

NATIONAL RIVERS AUTHORITY—ANGLIAN REGION

Notice of application for a licence to abstract water

Notice is hereby given that an application is being made to the National Rivers Authority, Anglian Region by Frederick Hiam Limited, Manor Farm, Ixworth Thorpe, Bury St. Edmunds, Suffolk, for a licence to abstract water from 2 boreholes, both situated on an Agricultural Holding known as Hill Farm in the Parish of Tuddenham St. Mary, in the district of St. Edmundsbury in the county of Suffolk.

Borehole No. 1, is situated at National Grid Reference TL 741 689 and a licence is required to abstract water for the following purposes:

- (a) For spray irrigation at the rate of not more than 136 cubic metres per hour, 2,727 cubic metres per day and 68,165 cubic metres per year between the months of April and September.
- (b) To fill storage reservoir No. 1 for subsequent re-abstracted for the purpose of spray irrigation at the rate of not more than 136 cubic metres per hour, 2,727 cubic metres per day, and 136,380 cubic metres per year between the months of November and March.

The current licence No. 6/33/37/313 authorises the filling of this reservoir in November and December. We are now applying to fill the reservoir between 1st November and 31st March, to enable the use of offpeak electricity. Total quantity of water abstracted for this purpose is to remain at 136,380 cubic metres each year.

Borehole No. 2, is situated at National Grid Reference TL 743 715 and a licence is required for the following purposes:

For spray irrigation at the rate of not more than 68.2 cubic metres per hour, 1,364 cubic metres per day and 91,000 cubic metres per year between the months of April and September.

The licence applied for will include the 2 boreholes and will replace the existing licence No. 6/33/37/313 (due to expire on 30th September 1998), at present covering borehole 1 only, and will also include licence No. 6/33/37/G/348, covering borehole No. 2, which expired on 30th September 1995. Application for a new licence is currently being considered by the National Rivers Authority.

A copy of this application and any map, plans and other documents submitted with it, may be inspected, free of charge, at the Post Office, High Street, Tuddenham, Bury St. Edmunds, Suffolk IP28 6SA, at all reasonable hours during the period between 29th March and 30th April 1996.

C. J. H. Wilson, Director on behalf of Frederick Hiam Ltd
18th March 1996. (722)

NATIONAL RIVERS AUTHORITY—SOUTHERN REGION

Notice of proposals for varying licences to abstract and/or impound water.

Reduction of minimum residual flow condition on licences in the River Medway catchment, as measured by the National Rivers Authority at Teston flow gauging station (National Grid Reference TQ 708 530).

Notice is hereby given that the National Rivers Authority, in pursuance of section 52 of the Water Resources Act 1991, have formulated proposals for the reduction in the minimum residual flow condition prescribed in 103 licences. The individual reductions in condition will be as follows:

River flow from 505.98 megalitres per day to 428.98 Megalitres per day:

9/40/3/511/S holder R. M. Sarson Partners, of Moat Farm, Collier Street, Marden, Tonbridge, Kent TN12 9RR.

From 506 megalitres per day to 429 Megalitres per day:

9/40/3/535/S holder F. C. Pierce and Sons Ltd., of Orchard Place Farm, Comp Road, Borough Green, Sevenoaks, Kent TN15 8QX.

From 506.879 megalitres per day to 429.879 megalitres per day:

9/40/3/148/SR holder Hadlow College, of Agriculture & Horticulture, of Hadlow College, Hadlow, Tonbridge, Kent TN11 0AL (Ashes Lane).

9/40/3/429/S holder Mid Kent Water Plc., of PO Box 45, High Street, Snodland, Kent ME6 5AH.

From 510.5 megalitres per day to 433.5 megalitres per day:

9/40/3/602/I holder P. B. Knight, of Medhurst Farm, Pootings, Edenbridge, Kent TN8 6SF.

From 533.2 megalitres per day to 456.2 megalitres per day:

9/40/3/40/SR holder H. A. Boxall, of Stallance, Rectory Lane, Sutton Valence, Maidstone, Kent ME17 3BT.

From 534.155 megalitres per day to 457.155 megalitres per day:

9/40/3/451/I holder C. Charrington, of Old Cryals Farm, Cryals Road, Matfield, Tonbridge, Kent TN12 7HW.

9/40/3/468/C holder V. & C. Smith, of Palmers Farm, Coopers Lane, Fordcombe, Tunbridge Wells, Kent TN3 0RP.

9/40/3/510/I holder Mr. C. Charrington, of Old Cryals Farm, Cryals Road, Matfield, Tonbridge, Kent TN12 7HW.

9/40/3/548/S holder B. R. Brooks, of Great Hollenden Farm, Mill Lane, Underriver, Sevenoaks, Kent TN15 0SG.

From 543 megalitres per day to 466 megalitres per day:

9/40/3/42/SR holder L. Wheeler & Sons (Yalding) Ltd., of Bockingfold, Claygate, Marden, Tonbridge, Kent TN12 9PH.

9/40/3/469/S holder Coblands Nurseries Ltd., of Trench Road, Tonbridge, Kent TN10 3HQ.

9/40/3/471/S holder Mr. & Mrs. H. Veall, of Gonerills Farm, Maidstone Road, Five Oaks Green, Tonbridge, Kent TN12 6SG.

9/40/3/476/C holder T. A. & A. J. Borland, of 2 Crittenden Cottages, Crittenden Road, Matfield, Tonbridge, Kent TN12 7EN.

9/40/3/479/C holder J. S. Scott, of Grove Farm, Hunton, Maidstone, Kent ME15 0RU.

9/40/3/480/S holder F. S. & R. W. Highwood, of Manor Farm, Marden, Tonbridge, Kent TN12 9DG.

9/40/3/485/S holder Alan Firmin (Linton) Ltd., of Wares Farm, Linton, Maidstone, Kent ME17 4BB.

9/40/3/489/S holder Ministry of Agriculture Fisheries & Food, Fisheries Laboratory, Remembrance Avenue, Burnham-on-Crouch, Essex CM0 8HA.

9/40/3/493/S holder C. F. Dicker, of Church Farm, Collier Street, Tonbridge, Kent TN12 9RT.

6/075 holder Headcorn Flowers Ltd., of Grigg Lane, Headcorn, Ashford, Kent TN27 9LX (The Ringles).

9/40/3/481/C holder Miss J. M. Anstey, of Quarry Farm Nurseries, Sheriffs Lane, Rotherfield, East Sussex TN6 3JE.

9/40/3/487/C holder Moatlands Farm Ltd., of Friars Farm, Maidstone, Road, Matfield, Tonbridge, Kent TN12 7LG.

9/40/3/488/C holder R. B. & M. J. Matthews, of Felcourt Farm, Felcourt, East Grinstead, Sussex RH19 2LQ.

From 552 megalitres per day to 475 megalitres per day:

9/40/3/564/G holder F. G. Pierce & Sons Ltd., of Orchard Place Farm, Comp Road, Borough Green, Sevenoaks, Kent TN15 8QX.

9/40/3/467/S holder Tunbridge Wells Golf Club, of Langton Road, Tunbridge Wells, Kent TN4 8XH.

9/40/3/474/G holder West Kent Water Plc, of 14 Upperton Road, Eastbourne, East Sussex BN21 1EP.

9/40/3/502/S holder Cranbrook Golf Club Ltd., of Cranbrook Golf Club, Benenden Road, Cranbrook, Kent TN17 4AL.

9/40/3/509/C holder Mr. Kambiz Khatami, of Elmstone Farm, Lenham, Maidstone, Kent ME17 2AJ.

9/40/3/540/C holder J. L. Baxter and Son, of Westerhill Farm, Westerhill Road, Linton, Maidstone, Kent ME17 4BS.

9/40/3/607/C holder J. A. Bardsley & Sons, of River Farm, Chart Hill Road, Staplehurst, Tonbridge, Kent TN12 0RN.

6/082 holder Robert Edward Brown & Pamela Mary Brown, of "Correnden", 72 Headcorn Road, Biddenden, Ashford, Kent TN27 8JN.

9/40/3/519/I holder Great Danes Hotel, of Ashford Road, Hollingbourne, Maidstone, Kent ME17 1RE.

9/40/3/520/C holder A. G. H. & B. M. Robertson, of The Breach Farm, Goudhurst Road, Cranbrook, Kent TN17 2LJ.

9/40/3/521/S holder N. A. Phillips, of 1A Mill Farm Cottages, Hunton Road, Marden, Tonbridge, Kent TN12 9QX.

9/40/3/522/I holder R. King, of Vines Farm, Matthews Lane, West Peckham, Tonbridge, Kent TN11 0JG.

9/40/3/525/I holder A. A. E. Lowe, of Brattles Grange, Tibbs Court Lane, Brenchley, Tonbridge, Kent TN12 7AJ.

9/40/3/524/C holder The Hon. A. C. L. Campbell, of The Stables, Everlands, Bayleys Hill, Sevenoaks, Kent TN14 6HU.

9/40/3/530/C holder Mr. A. J. Fleck, of Coombe Farm, Sutton Valence Hill, Sutton Valence, Maidstone, Kent ME17 3AX.

9/40/3/539/S holder N. Saphir, of Heronden Farm, Chart Hill Road, Chart Sutton, Maidstone, Kent ME17 3EZ.

9/40/3/541/C holder J. A. & N. J. Bardsley, of River Farm, Chart Hill Road, Staplehurst, Tonbridge, Kent TN12 0RN.

9/40/3/542/I holder M. G. Cartisser, of Leighton Manor Farm, Spode Lane, Cowden, Edenbridge, Kent TN8 7HN.

9/40/3/544/I holder G. A. Beck, of Riverhall, Partridges Lane, Wadhurst, East Sussex TN5 6LB.

9/40/3/549/I holder N. P. Wilson, of Orchard View, Ladds Corner, Lower Eastcourt Lane, Gillingham, Kent ME7 2UW.

9/40/3/553/C holder D. G. Catt, of East Hall Farm, East Hall Hill, Boughton Monchelsea, Maidstone, Kent ME17 4JX.