



INFORMATION

Shire of Coolgardie

NOTICE – SECTION 39 OF THE WATER SERVICES LICENSING ACT 1995

The Economic Regulation Authority has served a notice under section 39(1) (failure to comply with licence) of the *Water Services Licensing Act 1995* (Section 39 Notice) on the Shire of Coolgardie (Shire).

The notice published by the Authority on 14 March 2013 stated that, after considering the 2012 asset management system review report (Review Report), the Authority is of the view that the Shire does not have an effective asset management system in place in respect of the assets used in the provision of the water services covered by their water services licence. Consequently, the Authority is of the opinion that the Shire is contravening clause 17 of their licence (asset management system).

Due to the extent of the asset management system deficiencies identified in the Review Report, the Authority considers the contravention of clause 17 to be serious, and decided to serve a Section 39 Notice. The Section 39 Notice requires the Shire to rectify all of the deficiencies disclosed in the Review Report by 31 October 2013.

The [Section 39 Notice](#) is available on the Authority's website.

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