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NOTICE

Annual Inquiry into the Water Corporation's Tariffs

Notice to Rescind Reference

The Treasurer, the Hon Troy Buswell MLA, has given notice to the Authority rescinding the standing reference for it to conduct an annual inquiry into the Water Corporation's tariffs.

The notice was given under the *Economic Regulation Authority Act 2003*.

The annual inquiries were more limited in scope than the major review of the Water Corporation's tariffs, which the Authority conducts every three years. (The Authority has recently published a draft report for its second major review of the Water Corporation's tariffs.)

The Treasurer has indicated to the Authority that it is intended that in years when a major inquiry is not conducted, a reference for an annual inquiry will be issued. It is understood that having the annual inquiry issued each year allows it to be tailored to particular issues of relevance at the time.

The original notice of the reference for the annual inquiry was published in the *Government Gazette of Western Australia* as the Economic Regulation Authority (Water Corporation's Tariffs Reference) Notice 2007.

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