



WHAT IS REQUIRED FOR A TEMPORARY DIVERSION LICENCE (TDL)

Water withdrawals require a licence.

A temporary diversion licence is granted to allow short term (less than one-year) diversion (or withdrawal) of water from a natural body of water.

WHO IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE TDL?

A name and contact information is needed so that regulators can get in touch if needed and to show anyone who asks that you have a TDL.

WHAT IS THE WATER SOURCE?

Information on where you plan to take water is needed so regulators can figure out if there is enough water for the TDL and other conditions.

HOW MUCH WATER IS NEEDED?

Regulators need to know how much water is required and how fast it will be withdrawn to see if the source can support the withdrawal.

WHEN IS THE WATER NEEDED?

Waterbodies often have restrictions on when water is diverted because of the fish and wildlife that may use that location.

HOW IS THE WATER TO BE USED?

How the water is used will help regulators understand the need for the water and if any specific conditions are required on the TDL.

WHERE IS THE WATER TO BE USED?

It is important to know where the water is going to be used, called *point of use*, in case the use of water may impact that location.

DO YOU HAVE LANDOWNER CONSENT?

If the source of your diversion is on private land, you need the consent of the landowner to access their land.

SHOW YOUR LICENCE

Anyone can ask to see the TDL if you are diverting water, so be prepared to have it at the pumping location or in the truck.



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