



LITHGOW CITY COUNCIL

12. WATER SUPPLY

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OBJECTIVE: To determine Council's response to non-compliance with water restrictions.

POLICY:

1. That in circumstances where water supply restrictions are imposed and there is non-compliance with such water supply restrictions, the following procedure shall be applied in each period of twelve (12) months commencing 1 July:
 - a. First offence – warning and information on the water restrictions is issued to the occupier.
 - b. Second offence – a penalty infringement notice is issued.
 - c. Third offence - water supply to premises to be restricted. Reconnection fee to be paid before restoration of normal water supply.
 - d. Fourth and subsequent offence - water supply to be restricted. Reconnection fee to be paid before restoration of normal water supply. Offenders to be prosecuted for misuse of water supply.
2. A reconnection fee as per the adopted Management Plan Fees will be payable for restoration of normal water supply following restriction of water supply resulting from non-compliance with water restrictions and misuse of water supply. Normal water supply reconnection will be carried out only during normal working hours.
3. The General Manager is delegated to take all necessary action to institute prosecutions for offences for misuse of water supply pursuant to Section 637 of the Local Government Act, 1993.

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