

**WATER SERVICES REGULATION AUTHORITY  
WATER INDUSTRY ACT 1991, SECTIONS 6 TO 9**

**Variation of the Appointments of Icosa Water Services Limited and Southern Water Services Limited as Sewerage Undertakers**

Made on 10 June 2020  
Coming into effect on 11 June 2020

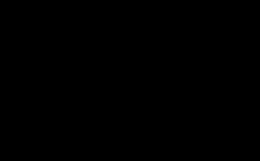
1. Icosa Water Services Limited ("Icosa Water") and Southern Water Services Limited ("Southern Water") hold Appointments as water and sewerage undertakers for their respective areas ("the Appointments").<sup>1</sup> The areas to which the Appointments of Icosa Water and Southern Water as water and sewerage undertakers relate ("Water Supply Area" and "Sewerage Services Area") are set out in their Instruments of Appointment.
2. The site called Thanington, Canterbury, Kent which is shown edged in red on the plan attached to this variation ("the Site") is within Southern Water's Sewerage Services Area. The Site is being developed by Pentland Homes Ltd.
3. Icosa Water has applied under section 7(4)(a) of the Water Industry Act 1991 ("the Act") for a variation of its Appointment as a sewerage undertaker to include the Site and for a consequential variation of Southern Water's Appointment to exclude the Site.
4. On 27 June 1995, the Secretary of State for the Environment and the Secretary of State for Wales acting jointly and pursuant to sections 6(1) and 7(2) of the Act authorised the Director General of Water Services<sup>2</sup> to make variations such as those contained in paragraph 5 below. After public consultation, as required by section 8 of the Act, the Water Services Regulation Authority has decided that it should grant Icosa Water's application.
5. Therefore, as provided by sections 7(2) and 7(4)(a) of the Act, and with the agreement of Pentland Homes Limited, the Water Services Regulation Authority **varies**—
  - (a) the Appointment of Icosa Water as a sewerage undertaker so that the Site is included in Icosa Water's Sewerage Services Area; and
  - (b) the Appointment of Southern Water as a sewerage undertaker so that the Site is excluded from Southern Water's Sewerage Services Area.

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<sup>1</sup> Southern Water's original Appointments as water and sewerage undertakers were made by the Secretary of State for the Environment under sections 11 and 14 of the Water Act 1989, now replaced by sections 6 and 11 of the Water Industry Act 1991. Icosa Water's original appointment was made by the Water Services Authority under sections 6 and 11 of the Water Industry Act 1991.

<sup>2</sup> With effect from 1 April 2006 the functions of the Director General of Water Services were transferred to the Water Services Regulation Authority in accordance with section 36 of, and Schedule 3 to, the Water Act 2003.

**Signed for and on behalf of the Water Services Regulation Authority**



**Sally Irgin**

**Director of Enforcement**