

**McKINLAY SHIRE COUNCIL  
LOCAL LAW NO. 10**

**(WATER)**

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**1. Citation**

This local law may be cited as *Local Law No. 10 (Water)*.

**2. Objects**

The objects of this local law is to regulate the taking or use of water.

**3. Relationship with other laws**

- (1) This local law is in addition to, and does not derogate from other laws about water.
- (2) In particular, this local law is in addition to the *Sewerage and Water Supply Act 1949* and the *Standard Water Supply Law 1998* ("the Law")

**4. Not to use water from taps on local government land**

- (1) Where a water tap has been installed on a road or land under the control of the local government, a person must not take or use such water for any use whatsoever on private property.

Maximum Penalty - 10 penalty units.

- (2) If there is occurring or has occurred a breach of sub-section (1) an authorised person may by written notice require the person in breach to:

- (a) cease the carrying out of an activity; and/or
- (b) remedy the breach; and/or
- (c) do such work and undertake such actions as are specified in the notice, within the specified time.

- (2) The person to whom the notice is given must comply with the notice within the specified time.

Maximum Penalty - 50 penalty units.

**5. Local government's powers on default**

When the requirements of a notice given under Section 4 are not complied with within the time specified in the notice, the local government may if practicable carry out the requirements of the notice in which event its costs of so doing are recoverable as a debt from the person to whom the notice is given.