

## **Central Water Authority (Dry Season) Regulations 2022**

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### **CENTRAL WATER AUTHORITY ACT**

#### **Regulations made by the Central Water Board, with the approval of the Minister, under section 49 of the Central Water Authority Act**

- 1.** These regulations may be cited as the **Central Water Authority (Dry Season) Regulations 2022**.
- 2.** In these regulations –
  - "domestic consumer" means a person to whom the Authority has agreed to supply water for domestic purposes;
  - "domestic purpose" has the same meaning as in the Central Water Authority (Water Supply for Domestic Purposes) Regulations 2011;
  - "non-domestic purpose" has the same meaning as in the Central Water Authority (Water Supply for Non-Domestic Purposes) Regulations 2011.
- 3.** No person shall, without reasonable excuse, use any water for domestic purpose or water supply for non-domestic purpose through a hosepipe, sprinkler or any similar apparatus in any wasteful manner.
- 4.** No person shall, without reasonable excuse, carry out sugarcane irrigation through abstraction of water resources.
- 5.** Any person who contravenes these regulations shall commit an offence and shall, on conviction be liable –
  - (a) in the case of a domestic consumer, to a fine not exceeding 50,000 rupees and to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 2 years;
  - (b) in any other case, to a fine not exceeding 200,000 rupees and to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 2 years.
- 6.** These regulations shall come into operation on 17 December 2022.

Made by the Central Water Board on 16 December 2022 and approved by the Minister on 16 December 2022.