

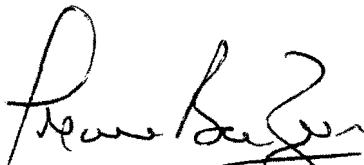
DEPARTMENT OF WATER AFFAIRS**No. 92****11 February 2011****RESTRICTIONS ON THE USE OF DOMESTIC WATER IN THE TOWN OF BEAUFORT WEST IN THE WESTERN CAPE PROVINCE.**

I, Trevor Balzer, in my capacity as Acting Director-General of the Department of Water Affairs, and by virtue of the powers vested in me in Section 63 – read together with Section 72 – of the National Water Act (Act No. 36 of 1998) -

Direct, in terms of Section 6(1)(i) of Schedule 3 of the National Water Act, 1998, that the following water restrictions will apply in the town of Beaufort West with effect from 01 November 2010 until any further Notice is published in this regard:

- The taking of raw water for domestic and industrial purposes from natural fresh water resources is reduced by 60%, to supply 40% of the unrestricted use. The restrictions are to be applied at the point of source as well as on the consumptive use. The reduction is based on water consumption in the year 2008 and will be adjusted to allow for population growth.
- The taking of groundwater from private boreholes for the irrigation of gardens is not permitted between 07:00 and 17:00 hours.

This Notice overrides any other previous authorisation on water restrictions issued by the Department of Water Affairs relating to this area.



ACTING DIRECTOR GENERAL: DEPARTMENT OF WATER AFFAIRS
DATE: 2/12/2010