


DEPARTMENT OF WATER AFFAIRS**No. 498****10 June 2011****RESTRICTIONS ON THE USE OF DOMESTIC AND INDUSTRIAL WATER IN THE
MUNICIPALITIES OF HESSEQUA, MOSSEL BAY, GEORGE, KNYSNA AND BITOU
IN THE EDEN DISTRICT MUNICIPAL AREA
IN THE WESTERN CAPE PROVINCE**

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), I, Trevor Balzer, in my capacity as Acting Director General of the Department of Water Affairs hereby direct that, in terms of Section 6(1)(i) of Schedule 3 of the National Water Act, 1998, (Act No. 36 of 1998), the following notice should apply in the Local Municipalities of Hessequa, Mossel Bay, George, Knysna and Bitou in the Eden District Municipality of the Western Cape as from 1 March 2011 until any further Notice is published in this regard:

- The taking of raw water for domestic and industrial purposes from natural water resources in the local municipal area of Hessequa, Mossel Bay, George, Knysna and Bitou be lifted to supply 100% of the unrestricted use.

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

**ACTING DIRECTOR-GENERAL: DEPARTMENT OF WATER AFFAIRS****DATE:** 3/04/2011