STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1982 No. 959

WATER, ENGLAND AND WALES

The Thames Water Authority (Lower Swell) Order 1982

Made - - - - -	13*th July* 1982
Laid before Parliament	23*rd July* 1982
Coming into Operation	16*th August* 1982

The Secretary of State for the Environment, in exercise of powers conferred by section 133 of the Water Resources Act 1963(a) and now vested in him(b) and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby orders as follows:—

Citation and commencement.

1.—(1) This order may be cited as the Thames Water Authority (Lower Swell) Order 1982 and shall come into operation on 16th August 1982.

(2) This order shall be included among the enactments which may be cited together as the Thames Water Authority Orders 1974 to 1982.

Section 9(4) of the North Cotswold Rural District Council Act 1937 amended.

2. Section 9(4) of the North Cotswold Rural District Council Act 1937(c) is hereby amended by the substitution for the words "two hundred thousand gallons" of the words "three hundred thousand gallons".

Michael R. D. Heseltine,
Secretary of State for
the Environment.

13th July 1982.

(a) 1963 c. 38. (b) S.I. 1970/1681. (c) 1937 c. cxx.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order)

Section 9(4) of the North Cotswold Rural District Council Act 1937 limited the abstraction of water by the Council by means of the well and pumping station at Lower Swell in the County of Gloucestershire to 200,000 gallons per day of 24 hours.

Since that date the control of abstraction of water and the protection of water resources have, by virtue of the Water Resources Act 1963, as read with section 9 of the Water Act 1973, passed to the appropriate water authority, in this case the Thames Water Authority, who now hold the necessary abstraction licence. The Authority have recently varied that licence so as to permit the abstraction of up to 300,000 gallons of water per day of 24 hours, and this order amends section 9(4) of the said Act of 1937 in conformity with the licence as so varied.

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