

**NOTICE 845 OF 2013****DEPARTMENT OF WATER AFFAIRS  
NATIONAL WATER ACT, 1998****REVIEW OF THE NATIONAL WATER RESOURCES STRATEGY**

I, Mrs Bomo Edith Edna Molewa, Minister of Water and Environmental Affairs, in terms of section 5(4)(b) of the National Water Act, 1998 (Act 36 of 1998), hereby publish the revised National Water Resources Strategy after receiving and considering public comments.

The National Water Resources Strategy 2 consists of the following chapters and list of annexure:

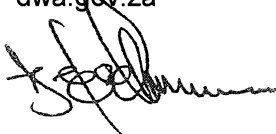
- Chapter 1: Introduction
- Chapter 2: National strategic imperatives
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The detailed National Water Resources Strategy 2 and its related documents can be viewed from Department of Water Affairs website [www.dwa.gov.za](http://www.dwa.gov.za) or visit Department of Water Affairs Map Shop at Emanzini Building, 185 Francis Baard Street, Pretoria.

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