

Allocation announcement

Monday 16 February 2015



Murray Irrigation

The NSW Office of Water today announced a six percent increase in the general security announced allocation taking the announced allocation to 59 percent in the NSW Murray.

As a result of this increase Murray Irrigation's announced allocation is now 59 percent for general security (Class C) entitlement customers.

The Office of Water stated this improvement was enabled because of reduced delivery losses and improved inflows, in particular from the Snowy Scheme.

There is no change to annual trade arrangements.

Trade into and out of the Murrumbidgee Valley remains open and the Barmah Choke trade restriction is in operation, meaning there is no net trade downstream of the Barmah Choke.

Trade to and from the Lower Darling remains closed due to storage levels in the Menindee Lakes.

The NSW Office of Water confirmed the next allocation announcement would be on Monday 2 March 2015.

A copy of the Office of Water announcement, which includes a data sheet for the resources available, is available in the 'Water Resources Updates' section of the Murray Irrigation website:

www.murrayirrigation.com.au.



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