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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

WATER RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

Water Supply Allocation Permits

Readoption:

N.J.A.C. 7:19

Authority:

N.J.S.A. 58:1A-1 et seq.; N.J.S.A. 58:2-1 et seq.;
N.J.S.A. 58:12A-1 et seq.; N.J.S.A. 58:11-59 et seq.;
and N.J.S.A. 58:4A-4.1 et seq.

Authorized by:

Catherine R. McCabe, Commissioner, Department
of Environmental Protection.

Effective Date: December 21, 2020

New Expiration Date: December 21, 2027

Take notice that, pursuant to the provisions of N.J.S.A. 52:14B-5.1, the Department of Environmental Protection's (Department) Water Supply Allocation Permits rules at N.J.A.C. 7:19 are readopted and shall continue in effect for a seven-year period. The rules had been scheduled to expire on January 23, 2021. The Department has reviewed these rules and has determined that the rules should be readopted because they are necessary, reasonable and proper for the purpose for which they were originally promulgated. In accordance with N.J.S.A. 52:14B-5.1(c), timely filing of this notice extended the expiration date of the chapter seven years from the date of filing.

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The Water Supply Allocation Permits rules at N.J.A.C. 7:19 establish a uniform water supply diversion permitting system with fee schedule, monitoring, inspection, enforcement and planning elements to ensure adequate supply and quality of the State's water supply resources. The rules also set standards for other activities mandated under the Water Supply Management Act, including the declaration of water supply critical areas, water supply emergencies (including drought emergencies), excess diversions, water supply bulk sale contracts, safe yield analyses, and water conservation.