

# Water Licences Report (2014)

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This investigation reviewed the adequacy of the Department of Natural Resources and Mines' policies, processes and practices for administering water licences in Queensland. This followed a 2012 Land Court decision that indicated water licence applications in the Atherton Subartesian Area between 2002 and 2006 were dealt with contrary to the requirements of the *Water Act 2000*. The report made recommendations to improve the department's administration of water licences in the future. The report was tabled on 8 May 2014.

## Report

- [The Water Licences Report: An investigation into the](#)

[administration of water licence decision-making under  
Chapter 2, Part 6 of the Water Act 2000 \(PDF 1MB\)](#)

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