



WATER RESOURCES COMMISSION

PUBLIC NOTICE: WATER USE ACTIVITIES IN GHANA

The Water Resources Commission (the Commission) wishes to bring to the notice of the general public, the obligations under Water Resources Act, (1996) (Act 522), and the Water Use Regulations, (2001), L.I. 1692.

By these laws and regulations, individuals and companies who use water on commercial basis (in the following categories – mining, industrial, water supply, irrigation, fishing farming, recreation, navigation, hydropower, underwater wood harvesting, dredging, spilling, diversion, damming and construction) are required to obtain a Water Use Permit.

Non-compliance with these laws and regulations is an offence subject to prosecution under section 13 of Act 522.

A list of permitted water users can be found at the website of the Commission at www.wrc-gh.org. Unregistered water users are called upon to take immediate steps to obtain permits for their water use activities in order to be in compliance with the law.

For further information and action, kindly contact the Commission at following locations:

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Head Office	P.O. Box CT 5630, Cantonments	0302 763651 or 765860	watrecom@wrc-gh.org	E4 Leshie Crescent, Labone Estates, Accra
Densu Basin Office	P.O. Box 278, Koforidua	03420 21954 or 21964	densu@wrc-gh.org	Rent Control Building, Oguaa Road, Ministries, Koforidua
White Volta Basin Office	P.O. Box 489, Bolgatanga	03820 24074	wvolta@wrc-gh.org	Regional Administration Building, DISCAP Block, Bolgatanga
Black Volta Basin Office	P.O. Box 46, Wa	03920 24459	blackvolta@wrc-gh.org	Regional Administration Area, Wa
Ankobra Basin Office	P.O. Box 475, Tarkwa	03123 92815 or 92431	ankobra@wrc-gh.org	State Housing Company Estates, Tarkwa Abosso Road
Pra (Offin) Basin Office	P.O. Box KS 15148, Kumasi	0322 040517	prabasin@wrc-gh.org	Ground floor, Immigration Services Building, Ministries, Adum – Kumasi
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