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Soil Conservation and Land Utilization Act 1958

#### BUNYIP RIVER WATER SUPPLY CATCHMENT

NOTICE OF DETERMINATION OF LAND-USE PLAN NO. 2135

Proclaimed 25<sup>th</sup> June, 1963, Victoria Government Gazette, No. 54, dated 3<sup>rd</sup> July 1963 pursuant to section 22 of the *Soil Conservation and Land Utilization Act* 1958.

In pursuance of the provisions of section 23, sub-section (1), of *the Soil Conservation and Land Utilization Act* 1958 (No. 6372), the Soil Conservation Authority, after consultation with the Land Utilization Advisory Council, has determined the land-use for all that area of land in the Parishes of Beenak, Tonimbuk East and Nayook West within the boundaries of the Bunyip River Water Supply Catchment delineated and marked on Plan NO. 2125, the original of which is lodged at the Head Office of the Soil Conservation Authority. All land within this area shall be used in accordance with the provisions of the particular category of land-use to which each area has been assigned.

The provisions of each of the land-use categories are set out hereunder:

## Category No. 1

Land which shall be used for the protection of streams and water courses where -

- (a) No tree shall be removed or soil disturbed in any way without the specific approval of the Soil Conservation Authority.
- (b) The crossing of streams and water courses within the category is permitted only be means of properly constructed crossings specifically approved for the particular site by the Soil Conservation Authority.

This category cover areas within a 10 chain radius of the offtake weir and within 1 chain or such greater distance as the Authority may require, from the banks of specified streams, springs or watercourses.

# Category No. 2

Land which shall be used for permanent forest where forestry operations shall be carried out only accordance with management conditions made or approved by the Soil Conservation Authority. The construction of roads, dams or earthworks of any description are subject to the approval of the Authority.

## Category No. 3

Land which may be developed for grazing or agricultural purposes, subject to Soil Conservation Authority approval and conditions for the particular circumstances, such conditions to include:

- (a) the specification of areas which may be cleared and those which shall remain under forest;
- (b) the specification of areas where cropping may be practised and areas where grazing only may be practised;
- (c) the application of management and conservation practices where necessary.

## Category No. 4

- 4A. Land use or reserved for roads on which any changes in land-use shall be made only after consultation with the Soil Conservation Authority.
- 4B. Land reserved for roads or other public purposes on which any changes in land-use shall be made only with the approval of the Soil Conservation Authority.

