# Flow Systems Pty Ltd application for a WIC Act licence variation



24 October 2019



#### WHAT

We have received an application for a variation to the licence that authorises the supply drinking water, non-potable water (recycled water), and sewerage services for the **North Cooranbong scheme**.

The variation application seeks to:

- Expand the current area of operations for the North Cooranbong scheme
- Add end uses for recycled water for dust suppression for construction activities.

We have separately sought stakeholder feedback on the variation application by Cooranbong Water Pty Ltd (Cooranbong Water) to vary its network operator's licence (number 15\_033) in October 2018.



## **WHERE**

The North Cooranbong scheme is within the Lake Macquarie local government area. The proposed extended area of operations is identified on the map.



#### **WHO**

Flow Systems Pty Ltd is the holder of the retail supplier's licence (number 13\_001R) and is authorised to supply drinking water, non-potable water (recycled water), and sewerage services for the existing North Cooranbong scheme.

More information about Flow Systems Pty Ltd, including its experience, technical and organisational capacity can be found in schedules A, D and E of the application form.



## **HOW**

The licence was granted under the *Water Industry Competition Act 2006* (NSW) (the Act).

Flow Systems Pty Ltd proposes to supply drinking water sourced from Hunter Water's bulk supply point and provide sewerage services to part of the expanded area.

Flow Systems Pty Ltd also proposes to supply recycled water to all of the expanded area from the treatment plant at North Cooranbong.

More information on the proposed retail supply scheme can be found in <u>schedules</u> A and D of the application form.



#### WHEN

The submissions period is now open and will close on 21 November 2019.



### WHY

The licence variation, if granted, would authorise Flow Systems Pty Ltd to supply retail services for the expanded North Cooranbong scheme in the areas specified. It would also include additional end uses for recycled water. These activities cannot be undertaken without a licence.



# **WHAT NEXT**

Information about the proposed variation to Flow Systems' retail supplier's licence is available on our <u>website</u>.

Tell us what you think about the application, by using the <u>Get in touch with us</u> link on our website.

IPART will consider the variation application, and how it meets the licensing criteria and principles of the Act. We will also consider all stakeholder submissions. Our report to the Minister will summarise our assessment of the variation application and any submissions.