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**HYDRO-ELECTRIC CORPORATION  
REGULATIONS 2024**

**STATUTORY RULES 2024, No. 32**

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## **HYDRO-ELECTRIC CORPORATION REGULATIONS 2024**

I, the Governor in and over the State of Tasmania and its Dependencies in the Commonwealth of Australia, acting with the advice of the Executive Council, make the following regulations under the *Hydro-Electric Corporation Act 1995*.

Dated 9 July 2024.

B. BAKER  
Governor

By Her Excellency's Command,

MICHAEL DARREL JOSEPH FERGUSON  
Acting for and on behalf of the Minister for Energy and  
Renewables

### **1. Short title**

These regulations may be cited as the *Hydro-Electric Corporation Regulations 2024*.

### **2. Commencement**

These regulations take effect on the day on which their making is notified in the *Gazette*.

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**3. Interpretation**

In these regulations –

*Act* means the *Hydro-Electric Corporation Act 1995*.

**4. Major power facility installed capacity**

For the purposes of the definition of *major power facility* in section 8(4) of the Act –

- (a) 40 megawatts is the limit fixed by regulation for the new generating plant located at the power station listed as item 23 of Schedule 1 to the Act and commonly known as Tarraleah; and
- (b) 40 megawatts is the limit fixed by regulation for new generating plant that generates electricity by pumping water from Lake Cethana through a pipe or tunnel to an upper reservoir, in a process also known as pumped hydro energy storage; and
- (c) 300 megawatts is the limit fixed by regulation for all other forms of new generating plant.

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These regulations are administered in the Department of State Growth.

**EXPLANATORY NOTE**

*(This note is not part of the regulations)*

These regulations set, for the purposes of the *Hydro-Electric Corporation Act 1995*, the megawatt limit that, if exceeded, makes a facility a major power facility for the purposes of that Act.