

**NOTICE OF EXEMPTION OF TEMPORARY CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES
FROM THE ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION (ENVIRONMENT AND RESOURCE
EFFICIENCY PLANS) REGULATIONS 2007**

Exercising its power under regulation 7(3) of the Environment Protection (Environment and Resource Efficiency Plans) Regulations 2007 ("the EREP Regulations"), the Environment Protection Authority ("the Authority") hereby exempts the class of people undertaking temporary construction activities, as defined in Section 1 below, from complying with the whole of the EREP Regulations.

1. CLASS OF PEOPLE THAT EXEMPTION APPLIES TO:

'Construction activities' means the building or re-building of a structure (such as a road, bridge or building) on or over land.

'Temporary' means up to 2 years anticipated duration, commencing on 1 July immediately after a "trigger year". The trigger year is the first financial year, from 2006-07 onwards, in which the construction activity used more than 100 terajoules of energy and/or more than 120 megalitres of water.

2. PERIOD OF VALIDITY

This exemption notice takes effect from 28 March 2008 and is effective until revoked or varied by the Authority.

3. CONDITIONS

Each person undertaking temporary construction activity must have:

- (a) assessed resource efficiency and waste minimisation opportunities when designing and planning the construction activity; and
- (b) an active plan and/or management system for the efficient management of energy, water and waste for the life of the activity.

4. REASON FOR NOTICE

The Authority is satisfied that requiring people undertaking temporary construction activities to comply with the whole of the EREP Regulations is unlikely to result in any significant additional reductions in environmental resource use and waste generated at the class of premises concerned.

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MAXWELL KEITH COSTELLO
MANAGER AUTHORITY DECISIONS