

Review of RAB-based irrigation prices from 1 July 2027

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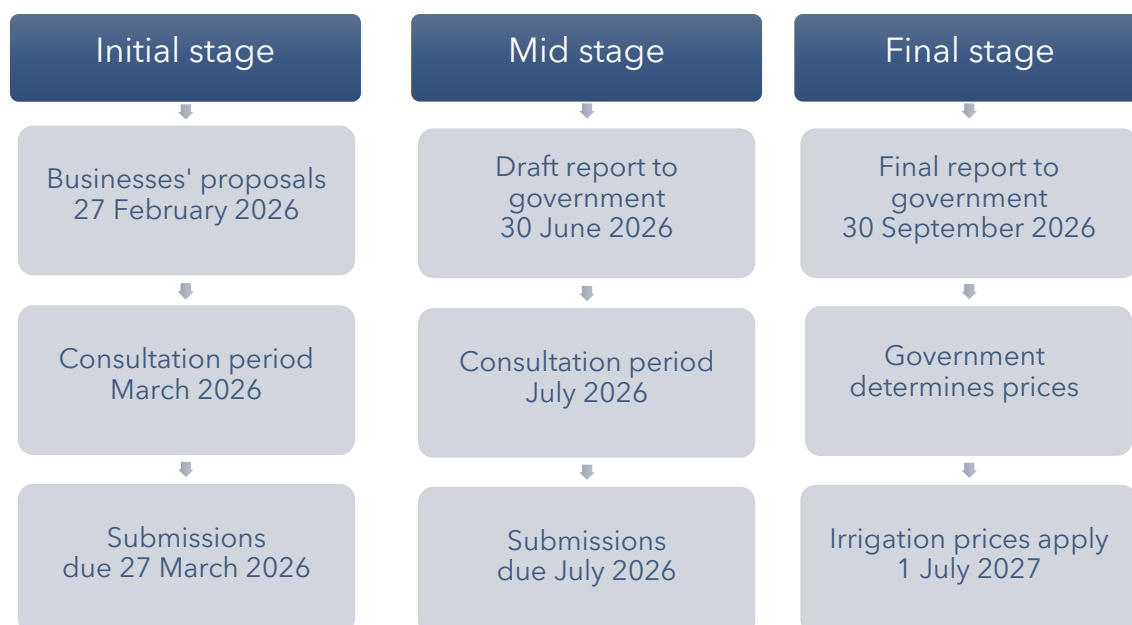
The Queensland Government has directed the Queensland Competition Authority to investigate and report on appropriate prices for the irrigation services provided by Sunwater and Seqwater (the businesses), derived using the regulatory asset base (RAB) approach. The review is being conducted under a direction notice (direction) issued by the Minister for Finance, Trade, Employment and Training (the Minister) under section 10(g) of the *Queensland Competition Authority Act 1997* (the QCA Act).

1.1 Review process and key dates

Our review will begin once the businesses submit their proposals, which are due by 27 February 2026. Stakeholders are invited to make initial submissions on the businesses' proposals or any other issues relevant to our review by 27 March 2026. Information about how to make a submission is provided below.

There will be a further opportunity to provide feedback following the release of our draft report in early July 2026. We will also consider holding workshops, depending on the issues raised by stakeholders and the level of interest.

Indicative timeframe for the review



1.2 How to make a submission

Submissions can be made online at <https://www.qca.org.au/submissions/>.

Alternatively, send your submission to:

Irrigation price review
Queensland Competition Authority
GPO Box 2257
Brisbane QLD 4001

In the interests of transparency and to promote informed consultation, we intend to make all submissions publicly available, unless they are confidential. If you wish to claim confidentiality over all or part of your submission, please refer to our [submission policy](#).

1.3 More information about the review

We have published a guidance paper on our [website](#) to provide stakeholders with more information about our review.

To stay informed about our review, stakeholders can regularly visit our [website](#) or [subscribe](#) to receive email updates.

For more information, please use the [contact form](#) on our website or call us on 07 3222 0555.