

**APPLICATION: Consent to stock fish a Private Farm Dam for
public fishing (under the *Inland Fisheries Act 1995*)**

Please contact Neil Morrow, Manager Anglers Access, before completing this application. Phone 0438 279 421 or email neil.morrow@ifs.tas.gov.au

There is a fee for this application. There is no fee for the issue of a Consent.

The fee needs to be paid before the application can be assessed.

For current fees please see www.ifs.tas.gov.au/forms or phone 1300 INFISH (463 474

You can pay by cheque made out to the Inland Fisheries Service or by credit/debit card over the phone.

If you would like us to ring you once we received this application to pay over the phone, please tick this box

The approval process is 10 working days from receipt of payment.

Please email the completed form to infish@ifs.tas.gov.au or mail to Inland Fisheries Service, PO Box 575 New Norfolk, Tasmania, 7140.

| I. Applicant Details <i>(please print using capitals)</i> | |
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| Last name | |
| First name(s) | |
| Address | |
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| Company/Business name | |
| Postal Address | |
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| Telephone/Mobile | |
| Fax | |
| Email Address | |

| 2. Landowner Details (If different from above) | |
|---|---|
| Last name | |
| First name(s) | |
| Address | |
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| Company/Business name | |
| Postal Address | |
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| Telephone/Mobile | |
| Fax | |
| Email Address | |
| 3. Site Information | |
| 3.1 Is the proposed water to be stocked on one land title? Yes No | |
| 3.2 If yes, do you have legal tenure of the site? (If Yes, attach proof of tenure documents) Yes No | |
| 3.3 If no, do all landowners approve of this stocking? Yes No | |
| 3.4 Describe the location of the proposed water to be stocked, including the following specifications: | |
| Tasmap Grid Reference | Easting: Northing: |
| Title Number | |
| Lot Number | |
| Address | |
| 3.5 What are the area, depth and volume of the proposed water to be stocked? | |
| Average length (m) | Average width (m) |
| Average depth (m) | Maximum depth (m) |
| Approximate surface area M ² / Ha | Dam volume @ full supply level ML |

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| 3.6 | Describe the water source for the proposed water to be stocked. For example, is it piped from a spring or creek, or surface rain water flow, or dammed gully? |
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| 3.7 | Describe the quality of the water. For example, is it usually clear or muddy? |
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| 3.8 | Describe the weed growth. For example, what proportion of surface, if any, do water weeds cover? |
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| 3.9 | When was the water proposed to be stocked, first filled with water? |
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| 3.10 | Provide details of any previous stockings, including date, the number of fish, size and species stocked. |
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| 3.11 | Describe any present stock, including an estimate of the number and size of trout now remaining in the water. |
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4. Conditions for approval

The Director of Inland Fisheries may approve brown trout for stocking of ponds and dams for public fishing, subject to the following conditions:

- A preferred minimum surface area of dam 2.5 Ha or 25,000 m²
- That the landowner to enter into a Farm Dam Access Licence Agreement with the Inland Fisheries Service.
- That there be provision of reasonable public access to the water equivalent to one of the following:
 1. Unlocked gates providing direct vehicle access to the water or to parking within easy walking distance of the water (less than 500m).
 2. Foot access from a public road. A safe parking area must be available within easy walking distance of the water (less than 500m).
 3. Access, as described in 1 or 2 above, by prior permission. Including signage displayed at the access point with landowners contact details including a mobile phone number. All reasonable requests for access to be granted.
- That the landowner maintains public liability insurance.
- That the Inland Fisheries Service conduct a safety assessment and inspection of the water and access.

5. Conditions of Consent (if granted)

1. The property owner retains the right to restrict or suspend access due to farming operations.
2. Anglers Access signage and infrastructure may be supplied, installed and maintained by the Inland Fisheries Service.
3. Water(s) location details will be made available to the public.
4. The Inland Fisheries Service will transfer brown trout to the nominated water subject to availability.
5. All Inland Fishing regulations apply to the stocked water including open season dates and the need to hold a current inland angling licence.

6. Privacy Statement

Your Personal Information is required for the issuing of a stocking consent under the *Inland Fisheries Act 1995*. It will be used for purposes permitted under that Act, and may be disclosed to agents of the Crown and other organisations authorised to use it. It will be managed in accordance with the *Personal Information Protection Act 2004* and may be accessed by you upon request. For more information, contact the Inland Fisheries Service on 6165 3808.

| 7. Declaration | |
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| <p>I/we hereby declare that all information provided in this application is true and correct.</p> <p>I understand fully the regulations pertaining to the activity to which this permit applies, and accept all the conditions.</p> <p>Signed for and on behalf of, by its duly authorised officer and who by signing warrants that they have the authority to do so</p> | |
| Applicant(s) Signature | |
| Landowner(s) Signature | |
| Company Seal | |
| Date | |
| 9. Inland Fisheries Service use only – assessment of application | |
| Application fee paid. | Yes No |
| Region. | |
| Applicant has complied with the conditions of any previous Consent to Stock a Private Farm Dam (public). | Yes No |
| Applicant has no conviction(s) for an offence under the <i>Inland Fisheries Act 1995</i> | Yes No |
| Application recommended approval | Yes No |
| Assessing IFS employee comments | |
| Assessing IFS employee name | |
| Assessing IFS employee position | |
| Assessing employee signature | |