

NATIONAL BOARD OF WATERS

The tasks of Certain Divisions and their Offices

1. General Planning Division

1.1 General Planning Office handles

- the developing of the planning activities of the water authority and coordination of the integrated planning
- integrated planning taking into account the various uses of the waters
- drafting the policies of the water-administration

1.2 Office for Water Pollution Control and Recreational Use of the Waters handles

- pollution control activities and their development
- planning of pollution control
- recreational uses of the waters
- conservation of the water landscape
- financing of said activities

1.3 Water-Supply Office handles

- water-supply and its development
- planning of water-supply
- financing of water-supply

1.4 Regulation Office handles

- watercourse regulation and planning of the regulations
- utilisation of water power
- financing of the regulations

1.5 Drainage Office handles

- drainage, irrigation and regulation of waters for those purposes
- financing of drainages

2. Technical Division

2.1 Construction Office handles

- construction programmes
- construction contracts
- planning and execution of construction activities
- machinery and technical equipment
- financing of the construction works

2.2 Operation and Maintenance Office handles

- discharges in the regulated waters
- recommendations for discharges in the privately operated regulations
- state-representation in regulation companies
- common waters
- maintenance and planning thereof
- financing of said operations

2.3 Timber-floating Office handles

- planning and financing of the part of the floating which is the duty of the water administration
- supervision of the floating according to water-act.
- distribution of the floating rules

3. Supervision and Inspection Division

3.1 Supervision Office handles

- supervision of the waters according to the Water-act.

3.2 Inspection Office handles

- acts of inspection in preparation for the issuing of permits by the water courts
- public hearings in drainage undertakings
- final inspections
- ordering of inspection engineer or assisting official for the inspections

6. Research Institute

6.1 Hydrological Office handles

- hydrological research and observations and their development
- hydrological forecasts
- publishing of the research and observation results

6.2 Water-Research Office handles

- research and observation of the quality of the waters
- controls the work of the consulting companies in the field of water-quality investigation
- publishing of the observation and research results

6.3 Technical Research Office handles

- research and developing of the equipment and methods for water-pollution control and water supply
- research on the effects of the work in the waters and research and development of structures
- soil-mechanical investigations and research
- publishing of the results.

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