

Requisitioning of a Public Sewer

Under Article 154 of the Water and Sewerage Services (Northern Ireland) Order 2006 it is the duty of Northern Ireland Water to provide a public sewer for domestic purposes if required to do so or "requisitioned" by one or more of the following, subject to satisfactory compliance with the financial conditions of Article 155:

- (a) the owners of the premises;
- (b) the occupiers of premises (eg tenants);

The requisitioner will pay for these requisitioned sewers.

Requisitioning a sewer means that Northern Ireland Water is responsible for the design and construction, including the acquisition of appropriate easements or rights over the land in which it will be laid. After construction we will be responsible for maintaining the sewers as a public sewer.

How to Apply:

Our standard application form can be downloaded from the internet at www.niwater.com

- **Sewer Requisition form SR1-A154**
- **Sewer Requisition guidance notes SR2-A154**

Note: The guidance notes SR2-A154 also apply to requisition of a sewer to provide a First Time Service to rural properties.

- **First Time Sewerage Provision – FTS1-A154**