

**BEFORE THE COMPETITION AND MARKETS  
AUTHORITY**

**IN THE MATTER OF AN APPEAL UNDER SECTION 207A OF THE WATER  
INDUSTRY ACT 1991**

**BETWEEN :**

**CASTLE WATER  
LIMITED**

Appellant

– and –

**THE WATER SERVICES  
REGULATION  
AUTHORITY (“OFWAT”)**

Respondent

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**ORDER**

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**UPON** the application by the Appellant for permission to appeal the decision of Ofwat to reject the Appellant’s proposed modification CPW132 to the Wholesale Retail Code issued under the Water Industry Act 1991 (‘the Decision’);<sup>1</sup>

**AND UPON** the CMA granting the Appellant permission to appeal the Decision;

**AND UPON** the CMA considering the grounds of appeal and the representations and submissions of the parties;

**AND UPON** the CMA issuing its reasoned determination in these proceedings on 13 May 2025 (the ‘Determination’)

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<sup>1</sup> Ofwat’s code modification decision dated 5 February 2025

**IT IS ORDERED THAT:**

1. The appeal is dismissed and the Decision is confirmed with effect from the date of this Order.
2. Costs are reserved.

Richard Feasey

Appeal Group Chair

13 May 2025