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NSW State Government water trading from Annual Reports - unfortunately their existence is not under an Act of Parliament so specific financial reporting on water trading is almost non-existent.

NSW environmental water trade OEH's Environmental Water Business Plan allows for the periodic trading of water allocations in the accounts of OEH water access licences to pay for some of the costs of managing water for the environment. Funds may also be used to purchase allocations or implement small-scale projects that improve environmental watering outcomes. In 2014–15, OEH purchased 5643 megalitres and sold 2350 megalitres in the NSW southern connected system (Murrumbidgee and Murray (NSW) rivers). Trading will continue to occur in future years so as to manage the portfolio for so called "maximum environmental benefit."