

Leep Networks Water Limited



Statement of Assurance
New Connections 2026-27
February 2026



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Statement of Assurance on the 2026–27 New Connection Charging Arrangements

The Board of Directors of Leep Networks (Water) Limited (“LNWL”) confirms that it has reviewed and approved the New Connection Charging Arrangements for 2026–27 and provides the following assurance to Ofwat.

Compliance with Charging Rules

Having made all reasonable enquiries, the Directors confirm that LNWL’s 2026–27 New Connection Charging Arrangements have been developed in compliance with:

- The Charging Rules for New Connection Services (English Undertakers); and
- All relevant statutory and regulatory obligations applicable to LNWL as a NAV.

Assurance Processes

The Board confirms that appropriate governance and assurance processes were followed in the development of the Charging Arrangements to ensure that the information published is accurate.

Balance of Charges

The Board confirms that LNWL has assessed and will maintain the balance of charges between developers and other customers in accordance with Ofwat’s rules.

This includes reviewing:

- The allocation of costs between developer-funded and customer-funded activities;
- The interaction with end-user retail tariffs, which continue to follow the relevant incumbent company’s tariff structure; and
- Infrastructure charges, environmental incentives and other fixed charges, aligned to those of the relevant incumbent.

Board Approval

The Board has satisfied itself that the Charging Arrangements and this Statement of Assurance meet all relevant regulatory obligations and reflect a robust assurance process.

Signed for and on behalf of the Board:



Victoria Louise Manfredi

Chief Executive Officer

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Dated: 20 February 2026

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