

Glossary

ADWEA	Abu Dhabi Water and Electricity Authority established under the Law.
Adequate Network Pressure	that the water pressure is not less than 1.25 bar (12.5 metres head) at the Distribution Company supply pipe to the Premises and that there is sufficient pressure to deliver water directly to the Roof Tanks of buildings not higher than 10 metres from the service connection pipe invert level.
Backflow	means flow upstream that is in a direction contrary to the intended normal direction of flow, within or from a water fitting.
Ball Float Valve	means any float-operated valve for controlling the inflow of water to a cistern or a tank
British Standard	means a standard or specification published under the authority of the General Council of the British Standards Institution, and shall be the current revision of the standard.
Bureau	the Regulation and Supervision Bureau for the Water, Wastewater and Electricity Sector in the Emirate of Abu Dhabi, established under the Law.
Check Meter	a Water Meter installed at the Entry Point of a multi-story/multi-tenant building used for the purpose of evaluating water balance and loss assessment.
Contamination	includes any alteration in chemical or biological quality of water due to a change in temperature or the introduction of polluting substances.
Customer	the person to whom the Distribution Company supplies water for domestic, industrial, agricultural and commercial purposes.
Distribution Company	a company or body holding a License from the Bureau,