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MINES

Mines (Notification of Dangerous Occurrences) (Amendment) Order (Northern Ireland) 1975

Made . . . . . *26th February* 1975

Coming into operation . . . *1st October* 1975

WHEREAS the Department of Commerce is of opinion that the special class of occurrences at mines which is hereinafter specified is of so dangerous a nature as to render it expedient that notice should be given under section 98 of the Mines Act (Northern Ireland) 1969(a) in every case thereof:

NOW, THEREFORE, the Department of Commerce, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 99(1) of the Mines Act (Northern Ireland) 1969 and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:

1. This Order may be cited as the Mines (Notification of Dangerous Occurrences) (Amendment) Order (Northern Ireland) 1975 and shall come into operation on 1st October 1975.

2. The Mines (Notification of Dangerous Occurrences) Order (Northern Ireland) 1970(b) shall have effect subject to the insertion after sub-paragraph (*t*) of Article 3 of the following sub-paragraph:

"(*u*) any apparatus is used (other than for the purpose of training and practice) which has been provided at the mine in accordance with any scheme made pursuant to the Mines (Emergency Egress) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1975(c) or any other arrangements are carried out in accordance with the scheme whereby persons employed below ground in the mine use means of egress therefrom in an emergency.".

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Commerce for Northern Ireland on 26th February 1975.

(L.S.)

J. D. Thompson,
Assistant Secretary

(a) 1969 c. 6 (N.I.)
(b) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1970 No. 121 (p. 577)
(c) S.R. (N.I.) 1975 No. 35