EMPLOYMENT OF YOUNG PERSONS

1960 No. 349

The Coal Mines (Male Young Persons) Order, 1960

Made - - - -	*29th February*, 1960
Laid before Parliament	*9th March*, 1960
Coming into Operation	*14th March*, 1960

The Minister of Power, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section one hundred and twenty-nine of the Mines and Quarries Act, 1954(a), and of all other powers him enabling, hereby makes the following order :—

1. This order shall come into operation on the fourteenth day of March, nineteen hundred and sixty, and may be cited as the Coal Mines (Male Young Persons) Order, 1960.

2. The thirty-first day of March, nineteen hundred and sixty, is hereby appointed as the day until which the provisions of paragraphs (*a*) and (*b*) of subsection (1) of section one hundred and twenty-nine of the Mines and Quarries Act, 1954, shall have effect in relation to the county of Warwick, and the thirty-first day of December, nineteen hundred and sixty-one, is hereby appointed as the day until which those provisions shall have effect in relation to the counties of Durham and Northumberland.

Dated this twenty-ninth day of February, nineteen hundred and sixty.

Richard Wood,
Minister of Power.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the order, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

The Mines and Quarries Act, 1954, s. 127, forbids the employment in mines and quarries during certain hours of the night of boys over 16 but under 18 years of age. Section 129 of that Act exempts coal mines in Durham, Northumberland and Warwickshire from this restriction until such day as the Minister of Power may by order appoint. This order fixes 31st March, 1960, as the appointed day for Warwickshire and 31st December, 1961, as the appointed day for Durham and Northumberland.

(a) 2 & 3 Eliz. 2. c. 70.