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The Coal Mines (Officials and Inspections) General Regulations, 1952

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The Minister of Fuel and Power in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section eighty-six of the Coal Mines Act, 1911(**a**), as amended by section nine of the Coal Industry Act, 1949(**b**), and of all other powers him enabling, hereby orders that the following regulations shall have effect:—

1. In subsection (2) of section fifteen of the Coal Mines Act, 1911 (as amended by the Coal Mines (Officials and Inspections) General Regulations, 1951(**c**)), there shall be inserted after the letter "(a)" the words "and sub-paragraph (ii) of paragraph (b)".

2. These regulations shall come into operation on the first day of June, nineteen hundred and fifty-two, and may be cited as the Coal Mines (Officials and Inspections) General Regulations, 1952.

Dated this twenty-sixth day of April, nineteen hundred and fifty-two.

Donald Fergusson,
Secretary
to the Ministry of Fuel and Power.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of these regulations, but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

The amendment to section 15 of the Coal Mines Act, 1911, coming into force on 1st June, 1952, requires a person who is to be a deputy to hold certain certificates of qualification, including a certificate of proficiency in first aid.

By these regulations the requirement to hold a first aid certificate is not to apply to a person who is certified by the manager to have been appointed to perform and to have actually performed the duties of a deputy at some time before 1st June, 1952, and to have been fully qualified to perform those duties immediately before that date.

(a) 1 & 2 Geo. 5. c. 50. (b) 12, 13 & 14 Geo. 6. c. 53.
(c) S.I. 1951/848; 1951 I, p. 308.