



# Mines And Quarries (Tips) Act 1969

## CHAPTER 10

### MINES AND QUARRIES (TIPS) ACT 1969

#### PART I

##### SECURITY OF TIPS ASSOCIATED WITH MINES AND QUARRIES

- 1 Security of certain tips and application of Mines and Quarries Act 1954.
- 2 Tips to which Part I applies.
- 3 Duties of owners and managers and powers of inspectors.
- 4 Notification of beginning and ending of tipping operations.
- 5 Tipping rules.
- 6 Plans and sections of tips.
- 7 Transmission and preservation of plans, etc. relating to tips at abandoned mines and quarries.
- 8, 9 .....
- 10 Interpretation of Part I.

#### PART II

##### PREVENTION OF PUBLIC DANGER FROM DISUSED TIPS

- 11 Local authorities having functions under Part II.
- 12 Information relating to disused tips.
- 13 Right of entry to carry out exploratory tests, etc.
- 14 Notice requiring owner of disused tip to carry out remedial operations.
- 15 Appeals against notices under s. 14.
- 16 Cancellation by local authority of notice under s. 14.
- 17 Carrying out of remedial operations and works of reinstatement by local authority.
- 18 Right of entry to carry out remedial operations and works of reinstatement.

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- 19 Contribution orders.
- 20 Compensation for damage or disturbance.
- 21 Recovery from contributories of expenses of owner carrying out remedial operations.
- 22 Appeals against demands under s. 21.
- 23 Right of local authority to recover certain expenses.
- 24 Appeals against demands under s. 23.
- 25 Grants towards local authority expenditure.
- 26 Penalty for obstructing remedial operations and damaging completed works.
- 27 Offences under Part II.
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- 29 Regulations and orders.
- 30 Service of documents.
- 31 Ecclesiastical property.
- 32 Raising of money in special cases to meet expenditure under Part II.
- 33 Application of provisions of Public Health Act 1936.
- 34 Miscellaneous provisions relating to local authorities, etc. in Scotland.
- 35 Application to Scotland.
- 36 Interpretation of Part II.

### PART III

#### GENERAL PROVISIONS

- 37 Financial provisions.
- 38 Short title, citation, commencement and extent.

#### SCHEDULES

##### SCHEDULE 1 — Modifications of Mines and Quarries Act 1954

- 1 In paragraph (b) of section 1(1) of the principal Act...
- 2 In subsection (2) of section 2 of the principal Act...
- 3 In section 89 of the principal Act (penalisation of failure...
- 4 . . . . .
- 5 In section 135 of the principal Act (which requires that...
- 6 (1) For the purposes of sections 145 and 146 of...
- 7 For the purposes of Part XIV of the principal Act...

##### SCHEDULE 2 — Provisions applicable where Local Authority carries out Remedial Operations on Disused Tip of which it is Owner

- 1 The provisions of this Schedule apply where a local authority...
- 2 Before commencing remedial operations, or as soon thereafter as is...
- 3 Where a local authority has served a notice under paragraph...
- 4 Where a local authority has served a notice under paragraph...
- 5 Where remedial operations are carried out by a local authority...
- 6 (1) Subject to the following provisions of this paragraph, where...
- 7 (1) In any case where— (a) a local authority has...

##### SCHEDULE 3 — Claims for Compensation by Owners and Contributories

- 1 (1) This Schedule applies to the owner of a disused...
- 2 (1) Where this Schedule applies to the owner of a...
- 3 (1) Where this Schedule applies to a contributory then, subject...

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- 4 Any reference in this Schedule to remedial operations includes a...
- 5 Where Schedule 2 to this Act applies, the preceding provisions...
- 6 (1) The time within which the owner of a disused...

SCHEDULE 4 — Modifications of Sections 21 and 22 where notice under Section 14 is cancelled

- 1 In any case where— (a) a local authority has served...
- 2 Any reference in those sections to remedial operations carried out...
- 3 (1) In determining, for the purpose of sections 21 and...
- 4 Where, by virtue of an order under section 16(4), the...

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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to :**

- s. 32(2)(a) words omitted by [2022 c. 6 Sch. 1 para. 10\(a\)](#)
- s. 32(2)(b) words omitted by [2022 c. 6 Sch. 1 para. 10\(b\)](#)