
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1951 No. 869

EXPLOSIVE SUBSTANCE

The Conveyance of Explosives Byelaws, 1951

Made - - - - - 11th May, 1951
Coming into Operation 1st June, 1951

In pursuance of the powers conferred on me by sections thirty-seven and thirty-nine of the Explosives Act, 1875(a), I hereby make the following byelaws :—

1. In paragraph (a) of the proviso to byelaw No. 2 of the byelaws with respect to the conveyance, loading or unloading of gunpowder and other explosives in certain places made by the Secretary of State under sections thirty-seven and thirty-nine of the Explosives Act, 1875, and dated the twentieth day of September, 1924(b) (which paragraph provides an exception to certain requirements of the byelaws when detonators, other than electric detonators, are, amongst other requirements, packed in inner packages with sawdust and felt as provided in the Order of the Secretary of State relating to the packing of explosive for conveyance and in force for the time being) for the words “with sawdust and felt” there shall be substituted the words “with felt”.

2. These byelaws may be cited as the Conveyance of Explosives Byelaws, 1951, and shall come into operation on the first day of June, 1951.

J. Chuter Ede,
One of His Majesty's Principal
Secretaries of State.

Home Office,
Whitehall.
11th May, 1951.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Byelaws, but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

Under the Byelaws now amended an exception to certain requirements in relation to the conveyance, loading and unloading of detonators, other than electric detonators, is provided when the detonators are, amongst other requirements, packed with sawdust as provided in the Order of the Secretary of State relating to the packing of explosives for conveyance and in force for the time being. This amendment is consequential on the Packing of Explosive for Conveyance Rules, 1951, which render the use of sawdust in the packing for conveyance of these detonators optional.

(a) 38 & 39 Vict. c. 17.

(b) S.R. & O. 1924 (No. 1129) p. 383.

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