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## **SCHEDULE**

## THE COAL AND OTHER MINES (SANITARY CONVENIENCES) REGULATIONS, 1956, HAVING EFFECT AS IF MADE UNDER SECTION ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-ONE OF THE MINES AND QUARRIES ACT. 1954

## Location and construction of sanitary conveniences

- **2.** It shall be the duty of the manager of every mine to ensure that sanitary conveniences provided at the mine in pursuance of section ninety-four of the Act are provided—
  - (a) in or adjacent to the winding engine house;
  - (b) at such other suitable places above ground as may be requisite in order to afford to every person employed at the mine convenient access to one at least of such conveniences;
  - (c) at or adjacent to every entrance below ground to every shaft and outlet, being an entrance ordinarily used by persons for the purpose of getting to or from their working places in the mine; and
  - (d) at suitable places along any length of road below ground, being a length which is a main intake airway or a main return airway for the purposes of the Coal and Other Mines (Ventilation) Regulations, 1956(1), so far as may be requisite for persons normally employed at places along that length of road.
  - 3. It shall be the duty of the manager of every mine to ensure—
    - (a) that all sanitary conveniences provided above ground at the mine are—
      - (i) under cover; and
      - (ii) so screened as to secure privacy for persons using them;
    - (b) that in any case where persons of both sexes are, or are intended to be, employed at the mine, every sanitary convenience provided above ground at the mine for the use of persons of one sex is—
      - (i) so placed or screened that, whatever the position for the time being of any door thereto, no part of the interior of that convenience can be seen from any place where any person of the other sex may work or pass; and
      - (ii) (if it adjoins a sanitary convenience provided for the use of persons of the other sex) readily approachable by a way separate from every way of approach to that other convenience; and
    - (c) that every sanitary convenience provided at the mine for the use of females is provided with a door which can be firmly secured on the inside when shut.

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<sup>(1) (</sup>p. 1295 above).