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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1994 No. 2565**

**The Coal Mining Subsidence (Provision  
of Information) Regulations 1994**

NOTICES OF PROPOSED UNDERGROUND COAL MINING

**Information to accompany notices**

**2.—**(1) Every notice given to the owners or occupiers of any land in accordance with section 46(1) (a) or section 46(4) of the 1991 Act shall be accompanied by the following information—

- (a) the full name and address of the person with responsibility giving the notice;
- (b) subject to paragraph (2) below—
  - (i) the place or places of business at which that person may be contacted during normal business hours; and
  - (ii) any telephone or facsimile transmission number for communicating with him at every such place; and
- (c) a copy of the document known as “Coal Mining Subsidence Damage—a Guide to Claimants' Rights” as for the time being issued by the Secretary of State.

(2) Where an employee or agent of the person with responsibility is appointed to represent him in his dealings with the owner or occupier in relation to subsidence damage to the land—

- (a) the information to be furnished in accordance with regulation 2(1) shall include the name of that employee or agent; and
- (b) sub-paragraph (b) of that regulation shall have effect with the substitution for references to the person with responsibility of references to that employee or agent.

**Time for giving section 46 notices**

**3.—**(1) This regulation applies when, on a person other than the British Coal Corporation becoming a person with responsibility in relation to any land—

- (a) a notice has been given to any owner or occupier of the land under section 46(1) or section 46(4) of the 1991 Act less than 12 months before the happening of that event; and
- (b) since the giving of that notice no notice has fallen to be given under section 46(3) of the 1991 Act.

(2) In the circumstances described in paragraph (1) above the person with responsibility shall, within the period of 3 months commencing with the date of his becoming that person, give to the owners or occupiers of the land—

- (i) any notice falling to be given under section 46(3) of the 1991 Act; or
- (ii) if no such notice falls to be given, notice under section 46(4) of that Act.