## STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

## 1996 No. 1484

## The Manchester Ship Canal (Bridgewater Canal) Act 1907 (Amendment) Order 1996

## Amendments to the 1907 Act

**2.** The following shall be substituted for the definition of "mine owner" in section 2 of the 1907 Act:

"The expression "mine owner" means:

- (a) a person who would for the time being be entitled to work and get supporting minerals if the Company had no right of support in respect thereof for the Leigh Canal; and,
- (b) in so far as no other person falls within the definition in paragraph (a) in respect of any supporting minerals, in respect of coal-mining operations before the restructuring date, the Coal Authority;"