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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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The Mines Regulations 2014

PART 10

TRANSITIONAL PROVISIONS, REPEALS,  
REVOCATIONS AND MODIFICATIONS

**Transitional provisions: tips**

72.—(1) A mine operator must carry out by 5th April 2016 the first appraisal of a tip that, immediately before the commencement date, was not classified within the meaning of regulation 2(1) of the 1971 Regulations.

(2) Where, before the commencement date, a report has been obtained in accordance with regulation 9(2)(a), 12(1) or 18(1) of the 1971 Regulations and is less than two years old, that report—

- (a) must be treated as a geotechnical assessment for the purpose of regulation 62; and
- (b) remains valid for two years from the date on which it was made.