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**THE COAL MINES REGULATIONS 1939,
AMENDMENT NO. 11**

COBHAM, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government House at Wellington this 27th day of June 1962

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to the Coal Mines Act 1925, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, hereby makes the following regulations.

REGULATIONS

1. (1) These regulations may be cited as the Coal Mines Regulations 1939, Amendment No. 11, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Coal Mines Regulations 1939* (hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations).

(2) These regulations shall come into force on the day after the date of their notification in the *Gazette*.

2. Subparagraph (iii) of paragraph (b) of regulation 8 of the principal regulations (as substituted by regulation 2 of the Coal Mines Regulations 1939, Amendment No. 10) is hereby amended by omitting the words "with the Lands and Survey Department".

3. Regulation 9 of the principal regulations (as substituted by regulation 2 of the Coal Mines Regulations 1939, Amendment No. 10) is hereby amended as follows:

(a) By revoking paragraph (b):

(b) By adding, as subclause (2), the following subclause:

"(2) No mine surveyor's certificate shall be issued to any person under the age of 21 years."

*S.R. 1939/94

Amendment No. 1: S.R. 1939/116
 Amendment No. 2: S.R. 1942/67
 Amendment No. 3: S.R. 1947/86
 Amendment No. 4: S.R. 1949/162
 Amendment No. 5: S.R. 1951/208
 Amendment No. 6: S.R. 1952/60
 Amendment No. 7: S.R. 1953/14
 Amendment No. 8: S.R. 1955/9
 Amendment No. 9: S.R. 1956/48
 Amendment No. 10: S.R. 1960/65

4. Regulation 10 of the principal regulations (as substituted by regulation 2 of the Coal Mines Regulations 1939, Amendment No. 10) is hereby amended by inserting, after subclause (2), the following subclause:

“(2A) A candidate who submits evidence of having passed an examination in any subject in any other examination which, in the opinion of the Board, is equivalent to a subject in the mine surveyor’s examination may, in the discretion of the Board, be credited, without further examination, with a pass in that subject.”

5. The principal regulations are hereby amended by revoking regulation 11 (as substituted by regulation 2 of the Coal Mines Regulations 1939, Amendment No. 10) and substituting the following regulation:

“11. (1) Every person who produces evidence to the satisfaction of the Board—

“(a) That he is the holder of a recognised certificate in mine surveying in a country other than New Zealand which, in the opinion of the Board, is equivalent to the New Zealand mine surveyor’s certificate; and

“(b) That he is of good character and reputation—
shall be entitled to a certificate of competency as a mine surveyor on complying with the conditions prescribed in subclause (2) hereof.

“(2) The aforesaid conditions are:

“(a) The applicant shall complete not less than one year’s practical experience in mine surveying in New Zealand; and

“(b) He shall pass at an examination of the Board in such one or more of the prescribed New Zealand examination subjects as the Board in any case may require.”

6. Paragraph (3) of Form 16 in the Schedule to the principal regulations is hereby amended by omitting the words “not exceeding £4”.

T. J. SHERRARD,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This note is not part of the regulations, but is intended to indicate their general effect.

Clause 2: Previously experience in boundary definition work necessary for obtaining a mine surveyor’s certificate was limited to work in the Lands and Survey Department. This amendment removes that limitation.

Clause 3: This clause raises from 19 years to 21 years the minimum age at which a person may obtain a mine surveyor’s certificate.

Clauses 4 and 5 rewrite the requirements relating to applicants for mine surveyors’ certificates who have overseas qualifications.

Clause 6 removes the limit of £4 previously applicable when fixing the sum to be lodged with the receiver in connection with the filing of applications where advertising is required. In future the sum will be assessed by the receiver with reference to the actual cost involved.

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These regulations are administered in the Mines Department.