



Coal Industry Act 1994

1994 CHAPTER 21

PART I

RE-ORGANISATION OF COAL INDUSTRY

The Coal Authority

[^{F1}4D Power of the Authority with respect to coal mine water discharge: Scotland

- (1) The Authority may take such action as it considers appropriate (if any) for the purpose of preventing, or mitigating the effect of, the discharge of water from a coal mine into or on to any land or into the water environment.
- (2) In this section and sections 4E [^{F2}, 4F and 4G] below—
 - (a) “the water environment” has the meaning given by section 3 of the Water Environment and Water Services (Scotland) Act 2003 (asp 3); and
 - (b) references to coal mines are to coal mines vested in the Authority.]

Textual Amendments

- F1** Ss. 4D-4F inserted (20.6.2005) by [Water Services etc. \(Scotland\) Act 2005 \(asp 3\)](#), **ss. 30(1)**, 37(2) (with s. 36); S.S.I. 2005/351, art. 2, sch. 1
- F2** Words in s. 4D(2) substituted (26.3.2015) by [Energy Act 2011 \(c. 16\)](#), **ss. 116(2)**, 121(1); S.I. 2015/880, art. 2, Sch.

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Coal Industry Act 1994, Section 4D.