



Miners' Strike (Pardons) (Scotland) Act 2022

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5 Interpretation

In this Act—

“conviction” includes any finding in criminal proceedings that a person has committed an offence or done the act or made the omission charged (including a finding linked with mental disorder or in respect of which an admonition or absolute discharge is made), and “convicted” is to be construed accordingly,

“household” means a group of people living together as a family or other unit (whether or not related) in a private dwelling, who—

- (a) have the dwelling as their only or main residence, and
- (b) share living accommodation and cooking facilities,

“miner” means an individual who at any time during the period beginning with 12 March 1984 and ending with 3 March 1985 was employed in any part of Great Britain—

- (a) by the National Coal Board established under section 1 of the Coal Industry Nationalisation Act 1946, or
- (b) by a person holding a licence granted under section 36(2)(a) of that Act,

“miners’ strike” means the national concerted stoppage of work by miners led by the National Union of Mineworkers,

“sibling of a miner” means an individual who has at least one parent in common with a miner.

Commencement Information

II S. 5 in force at 27.7.2022, see [s. 6](#)

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the *Miners' Strike (Pardons) (Scotland) Act 2022*, Section 5.