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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1979 No. 318**

**HEALTH AND SAFETY**

**MINES AND QUARRIES**

**The Mines (Precautions Against Inrushes) Regulations 1979**

*Made* - - - - *16th March 1979*  
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**THE MINES (PRECAUTIONS AGAINST  
INRUSHES) REGULATIONS 1979**

*Citation and commencement*

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Mines (Precautions Against...

*Interpretation*

2. (1) In these Regulations, unless the context otherwise requires— “the...

*General duty to take precautions against inrushes*

3. With respect to every working in a mine, it shall...

*Duty of mine owner and manager to obtain information*

4. (1) The owner and the manager shall each have the...
5. (1) The owner and the manager shall each have the...

*Mine workings in potentially hazardous areas*

6. (1) A working in a mine which would be within—...

*Repeals*

7. Sections 75 to 77 of the 1954 Act are hereby...

*Revocations*

8. (1) The Regulations made under the 1954 Act mentioned in...

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*Modification of the Mines and Quarries Acts 1954 to  
1971 (Repeals and Modifications) Regulations 1974*

9. Regulation 7(3) of the Mines and Quarries Acts 1954 to...

*Transitional provision*

10. During the period of 6 months from the coming into...  
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SCHEDULE 1 — REVOCATION OF REGULATIONS MADE UNDER THE 1954  
ACT

SCHEDULE 2 — REVOCATION OF REGULATIONS MADE UNDER THE 1974  
ACT

Explanatory Note