

“9cc.—(1) Where the Minister of Munitions is of opinion that for securing the public safety and the defence of the realm it is expedient that this regulation should be applied to any metalliferous mines, or to any mines of stratified iron stone, shale, or fire clay, not being coal mines, or to any quarries, he may by order apply this regulation, subject to any exceptions for which provision may be made in the order, to all or any of such mines or quarries, either generally or in any special area, or to any special mine or quarry.

“(2) Any mine or quarry to which this regulation is so applied shall by virtue of the order pass into the possession of the Minister of Munitions as from the date of the order, or from any later date mentioned in the order; and the owner, agent, and manager of every such mine or quarry and every officer thereof, and where the owner of the mine is a company, every director of the company, shall comply with the directions of the Minister of Munitions as to the management and user of the mine or quarry, and if he fails to do so he shall be guilty of a summary offence against these regulations.

“(3) It is hereby declared that the possession by the Minister of Munitions under this regulation of any mine or quarry shall not affect any liability of the actual owner, agent or manager of the mine or quarry under the Coal Mines Acts, 1887 to 1914, or the Metalliferous Mines Regulation Acts, 1872 and 1875, or the Quarries Act, 1894, or the Factory and Workshop Act, 1901, or any Act amending the same.

“(4) Any order of the Minister of Munitions under this regulation may be revoked or varied as occasion requires.”

6. In Regulation 14c after the words “specially authorised by” there shall be inserted the words “or by any person empowered to act on behalf of.”

7. In Regulation 18A after the words “For the purposes of this regulation” there shall be inserted “but without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing provision”; and for paragraph (a) the following paragraph shall be substituted:—

“(a) a person shall, unless he proves the con-

trary, be deemed to be in communication with a spy if—

(i) he has visited the address of a spy or con-sorted with a spy; or

(ii) the name or address or any other information regarding a spy is found in his possession or supplied by him to any other person;

in such circumstances as to give reasonable ground for suspecting that he is in communication with the spy.”

8. In paragraph (a) of Regulation 39d the words “exceeding one thousand tons in weight” shall be omitted.

9. Regulation 41A shall be amended as follows:—

The words “of 16 years or over” shall be substituted for the words “between the ages of 18 and 41” wherever they occur, except in paragraph (iii) of subsection (3), where the words “all other male persons of 16 years or over” shall be substituted for the words “male persons not being between the ages of 18 and 41.”

In the description of Statement No. II. in subsection (1) the word “female” shall be inserted before the word “persons,” and the words “of 16 years or over” shall be substituted for the words “of either sex,” and the words “and who are not required to be included in Statement No. I.” shall be omitted.

At the beginning of paragraph (c) of subsection (2) the words “In Great Britain” shall be inserted before the words “he shall,” and the following paragraph shall be added at the end of subsection (2):—

“(d) He shall, if and when required by the Director-General of National Service, either by general or special notice, furnish to the Director-General a true copy of any such statement as revised for the time being.”

In paragraph (iii) of subsection (3) for the words “and also showing” there shall be substituted the words “or a register showing,” and for the words “the said register” there shall be substituted the words “either of the said registers.”

Subsection (7) shall be omitted.

The following Table shall be substituted for Table No. I. :—

TABLE NO. I.—STATEMENT OF ALL MALE EMPLOYEES OF 16 YEARS OF AGE OR OVER.

Name and address of Employer _____

Shop or Occupation (if any) _____

Business or Department (where applicable) _____

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)	(i)	(j)	(k)	(l)	(m)	
Name and Initials.	Check No. (if any).	Present Address.	Badge Number (if any).	Other form of exemption (if any).	M= Married. S= Single.		Age.	A= At-tested.	Date of Engagement by present Employer.	Previous Occupation, if engaged since August 1914.	Now employed as a—	Degree of Skill (where there is a recognised Classification.	Work usually employed on.
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In Table No. II. the entry—
 “Number of male persons employed who are not between the ages of 18 and 41”

shall be omitted; and the words “of 16 years or over” shall be inserted after the words “female persons.”

10. The following words shall be added at the