

2. Clause 24 of the Scheme shall have effect as if:—

(i) the words "in respect of output of coal" were inserted after the words "standard tonnage" wherever those words occur; and

(ii) at the end of the Clause there were added the words "but so that in calculating the last 100,000 tons any remainder of tonnage less than 100,000 tons shall be reckoned as 100,000 tons".

3. Clause 28 of the Scheme shall have effect as if:—

(i) the words "and undertakings" and the words "or undertaking" were deleted wherever those words occur;

(ii) the words "in respect of output (hereinafter referred to as "Output Standard Tonnages")" were inserted after the words "standard tonnages" where those words first occur;

(iii) The word "output" were inserted before the words "standard tonnage" wherever those words occur and before the words "standard tonnages" wherever those words occur after the first time; and

(iv) the words "determined according to the nature of the coal or of the trade, industry or other category of consumer supplied" were inserted after the words "class of coal" where those words occur the first time.

4. Clause 29 of the Scheme shall be deleted.

5. Clause 30 of the Scheme shall be renumbered 29 and shall have effect as if:—

(i) the word "output" were inserted before the words "standard tonnages" wherever those words occur;

(ii) the words "or undertaking" were deleted where those words first occur; and

(iii) the words "The Board shall also be entitled to modify as it may deem equitable the standard tonnages of the coal mine or undertaking concerned" were deleted.

6. The following Clauses shall be substituted for Clause 31 of the Scheme, that is to say:—

"30. The Board shall from time to time and for such periods as it thinks fit fix the standard tonnages of every coal mine in the District in respect of:—

- (a) coal for export supply, and
- (b) coal for inland supply:

Provided that the Board may if it thinks fit fix standard tonnages for export supply or for inland supply in respect of any class of coal determined according to the nature of the coal or of the trade, industry or other category of consumer supplied.

30A. In the determination of standard tonnages in respect of coal or any class of coal for export supply and for inland supply the Board shall have regard to the special circumstances of every coal mine (including the efficiency and economy of working of the coal mine, the extent to which it has been developed or is being developed for economic working, the extent to which its output has been increasing or decreasing, and in the case of the first determination of such standard tonnages shall have regard to the proportion which the tonnage of coal or that

class of coal supplied from the coal mine concerned for export supply or for inland supply, as the case may be, bore to the total tonnage of coal or that class of coal, supplied from all the coal mines in the District for export supply or for inland supply during the period in the 12 months ended the 30th June, 1934, corresponding to the period in respect of which the standard tonnages are fixed).

30B. For the purpose of assisting the Board in the determination of Standard Tonnages for export supply and for inland supply every owner shall furnish to the Board upon notice given to him by the Board a statement in writing giving any information which the Board may require for that purpose and every owner may submit to the Board, together with such statement if required, a claim in writing accompanied by such additional explanations or information as the owner may consider it necessary or expedient to submit in support of the claim.

30C. In any case in which it may not be practicable for the Board to determine any standard tonnage for any coal mine in accordance with the foregoing provisions the Board may upon consideration of such circumstances as it may deem relevant determine such standard tonnages for such coal mine as the Board may think fair and proper but having regard in so fixing standard tonnages to any special circumstances of which the Board may have information affecting the coal mine in question.

31. The Board may at any time review, whether or not at the request of an owner, any standard tonnage of any coal mine or undertaking and upon consideration of such circumstances as the Board may think relevant, determine revised standard tonnages therefor:

Provided that in reviewing any standard tonnage the Board shall have regard to any special circumstance affecting the coal mine or undertaking concerned which may be within the knowledge of the Board or which may be brought to its notice."

7. Clause 32 of the Scheme shall have effect as if the words "or undertaking" were deleted wherever those words occur.

8. The following Clauses shall be substituted for Clauses 33, 34 and 35 of the Scheme, that is to say:—

Quotas.

"33.—(1) The Board shall from time to time determine the proportions (hereafter in the Scheme referred to generally as "the quotas" or particularly as "the quotas of output" or "the quotas of export supply" or "the quotas of inland supply" as the case may be) of the standard tonnages of each coal mine that may during any period fixed by the Board as after-mentioned be produced from such coal mine or supplied by the owner thereof as the case may be.

(2) If standard tonnages have been determined in respect of any class of coal the Board may if it thinks fit determine a separate quota for such class.

(3) All quotas shall be so calculated that during no period in respect of which allocations have been fixed by the Central Council shall any of such allocations be exceeded.