

1 AN ACT concerning State government.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Surface Coal Mining Land Conservation and
5 Reclamation Act is amended by changing Section 1.06 as follows:

6 (225 ILCS 720/1.06) (from Ch. 96 1/2, par. 7901.06)

7 Sec. 1.06. Scope of the Act. This Act shall apply to all
8 mining operations, except

9 (a) the private non-commercial extraction of coal by a
10 landowner or lessee where 250 tons or less of coal are removed
11 in any 12 consecutive months;

12 (b) the extraction of coal incidental to the extraction of
13 other minerals where the coal does not exceed 16 2/3% of the
14 total mineral tonnage mined;

15 (c) coal exploration on Federal lands; ~~and~~

16 (d) the extraction of coal on Federal lands except to the
17 extent provided under a cooperative agreement with the United
18 States in accordance with Section 9.03; ~~and~~

19 (e) the extraction of coal as an incidental part of a
20 federal, State, or local government-financed highway or other
21 construction under rules adopted by the Department.

22 (Source: P.A. 81-1015.)

1 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
2 becoming law.