

STATE COAL MINES (AMENDMENT) ACT.

Act No. 36, 1915.

George V, An Act to amend the State Coal Mines Act, 1912.
No. 36. [Assented to, 24th November, 1915.]

BE it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

Short title and application of Act.

1. This Act may be cited as the "State Coal Mines (Amendment) Act, 1915."

This Act shall apply where a valuation under the State Coal Mines Act, 1912, has been made, before the commencement of this Act as well as where such valuation is made after such commencement: Provided that where such valuation was made, and the amount thereof was notified to the owner, before such commencement, notice of appeal from such valuation may be given within twenty-eight days after such commencement.

Amendments of s. 7.

2. Section seven of the State Coal Mines Act, 1912, is amended as follows:—

(a) At the end of subsection one add the words "The Minister shall notify to the owner in writing the amount of the valuation or that he has abandoned his intention of resuming the land."

(b) Subsection two: Omit the subsection, and insert in lieu thereof the following subsection:—

(2) After the valuation and the notification thereof as aforesaid, and after the determination of any appeal (if any) therefrom as hereinafter provided, the matter may be referred by the Minister to Parliament. (c)

- (c) In subsection four omit "of resumption as in **George V,**
this Act provided", insert the words "to him **No. 36.**
of the amount of the valuation"
- (d) In subsection six omit the words "in the last
preceding subsection".

3. Section nine of the same Act is amended by <sup>Amendment
of s. 9.</sup> adding thereto the following:—

"Provided that if the land is not resumed by the Governor, the Crown shall pay the costs of the appeal."
