

Norman Jackson

Norman is an acknowledged authority on mining engineering and industry restructuring including the environmental impacts. After a successful career in mining he was appointed as Project Team Leader for the privatisation of British Coal Corporation (BCC). The experience gained during this period, when he was involved in detailed negotiations with Merchant Bankers, Legal Advisors and DTI officials in addition to BC Board members has provided him with a unique insight into the practicalities of industry restructuring

Prior to his involvement with BCC privatisation Norman Jackson was Head of Technical Services for the North East Group of BCC from 1988 to 1993. This was the period when BCC transformed itself from an organisation driven by output targets to one driven by cost targets. He was instrumental in implementing this transformation in the North East Group. Subsequently owing to economic pressures facing the Coal Industry played a leading role in the closing down of the coalfield in a safe and environmentally acceptable manner.

Since leaving BCC he has embarked on a successful career as an independent international management and mining consultant and has worked in association with many clients over a number of years on projects in the coal industries and related industries throughout the world. A recognised strategic thinker with a proven track record with many and varied clients and has gained a reputation as a highly respected expert witness to the Courts.