

(e) The Secretary may from time to time revise such regulations in accordance with the procedures prescribed in subsections (a) through (d) of this section.

TERMINATION

SEC. 9. If a State submits a proposed State plan to the Secretary after Federal regulations have been issued pursuant to section 8 of this Act, and if the Secretary approves the plan, such Federal regulations shall cease to be effective within the State sixty days after the approval of the State plan by the Secretary. Such Federal regulations shall again become effective if the Secretary subsequently withdraws his approval of the plan pursuant to subsection (b) of section 7 of this Act.

INSPECTIONS AND INVESTIGATIONS

SEC. 10. (a) The Secretary is authorized to cause to be made such inspections and investigations of surface mines and surface mined areas as he shall deem appropriate to evaluate the administration of State plans, or to develop or enforce Federal regulations, and for such purposes authorized representatives of the Secretary shall have the right of entry to any surface mine or upon any surface mined area.

(b) The head of each Federal agency shall permit by agreement authorized representatives of the State or the Secretary to have the right of entry to any surface mine or upon any surface mined area located on lands under his jurisdiction, unless the Secretary of Defense finds that such entry would not be in the interest of the national security.

REGULATIONS

SEC. 11. The Secretary may issue such regulations as are deemed necessary to carry out the purposes of this Act.

INJUNCTIONS

SEC. 12. At the request of the Secretary, the Attorney General may institute a civil action in a district court of the United States for a restraining order or injunction or other appropriate remedy (a) to prevent a person from engaging in surface mining operations without a permit from the Secretary required under section 8 of this Act, or in violation of the terms and conditions of such permit or the Federal regulations issued under section 8 of the Act; (b) to prevent a person from placing in commerce the products of a surface mine produced in violation of an approved State plan; or (c) to enforce the right of entry under section 10 of this Act. The district courts of the United States in which such person resides or is doing business or is licensed or incorporated to do business shall have jurisdiction to issue such order or injunction or to provide other appropriate remedy.

PENALTIES

SEC. 13. (a) If any person shall fail to comply with any regulation issued under section 8 of this Act for a period of fifteen days after notice of such failure, such person shall be liable for a civil penalty of not more than \$100 for each and every day of the continuance of such failure. The Secretary may assess and collect any such penalty, and upon application therefor may remit or mitigate any such penalty imposed.

(b) Any person who knowingly violates any regulation issued pursuant to section 8 of this Act shall, upon conviction, be punished by a fine not exceeding \$2,500, or by imprisonment not exceeding one year, or by both.

(c) The penalties prescribed in this section shall be available to the Secretary in addition to any other remedies afforded to him under this Act in enforcing the regulations issued under section 8 of this Act.

RESEARCH

SEC. 14. The Secretary is authorized to conduct and promote the coordination and acceleration of research, studies, surveys, experiments, demonstrations, and training in carrying out the provisions of this Act. In carrying out the activities authorized by this section, the Secretary may enter into contracts with, and