## §2862. Distribution of remaining revenues

Excise tax revenues remaining after municipal reimbursement and payments into the Mining Oversight Fund under section 2861 must be used as follows. [PL 2011, c. 653, §5 (AMD); PL 2011, c. 653, §33 (AFF).]

- 1. First year. In the first year following the commencement of mining, revenues shall be distributed as follows:
  - A. 20% to the General Fund; and [PL 1981, c. 711, §10 (NEW).]
- B. 80% to the Mining Impact Assistance Fund. [PL 1981, c. 711, §10 (NEW).] [PL 1981, c. 711, §10 (NEW).]
- **2. Second year.** In the 2nd year following the commencement of mining, revenues shall be distributed as follows:
  - A. 15% to the General Fund; [PL 1981, c. 711, §10 (NEW).]
  - B. 10% to the Mining Excise Tax Trust Fund; and [PL 1981, c. 711, §10 (NEW).]
- C. 75% to the Mining Impact Assistance Fund. [PL 1981, c. 711, §10 (NEW).] [PL 1981, c. 711, §10 (NEW).]
- **3.** Third year. In the 3rd year following the commencement of mining, revenues shall be distributed as follows:
  - A. 20% to the General Fund; [PL 1981, c. 711, §10 (NEW).]
  - B. 15% to the Mining Excise Tax Trust Fund; and [PL 1981, c. 711, §10 (NEW).]
- C. 65% to the Mining Impact Assistance Fund. [PL 1981, c. 711, §10 (NEW).] [PL 1981, c. 711, §10 (NEW).]
- **4. Fourth year.** In the 4th year following the commencement of mining, revenues shall be distributed as follows:
  - A. 25% to the General Fund; [PL 1981, c. 711, §10 (NEW).]
  - B. 25% to the Mining Excise Tax Trust Fund; and [PL 1981, c. 711, §10 (NEW).]
- C. 50% to the Mining Impact Assistance Fund. [PL 1981, c. 711, §10 (NEW).] [PL 1981, c. 711, §10 (NEW).]
- **5. Fifth year.** In the 5th year following the commencement of mining, revenues shall be distributed as follows:
  - A. 25% to the General Fund; [PL 1981, c. 711, §10 (NEW).]
  - B. 30% to the Mining Excise Tax Trust Fund; and [PL 1981, c. 711, §10 (NEW).]
- C. 45% to the Mining Impact Assistance Fund. [PL 1981, c. 711, §10 (NEW).] [PL 1981, c. 711, §10 (NEW).]
- **6. Subsequent years.** In the years following the 5th year after the commencement of mining, revenues shall be distributed as follows:
  - A. 30% to the General Fund; [PL 1981, c. 711, §10 (NEW).]
  - B. 60% to the Mining Excise Tax Trust Fund; and [PL 1981, c. 711, §10 (NEW).]
- C. 10% to the Mining Impact Assistance Fund. [PL 1981, c. 711, §10 (NEW).] [PL 1981, c. 711, §10 (NEW).]

- 7. Changes in mining activity. If, prior to the commencement of extraction of minerals for sale, a mining company ceases construction of a mine site, any taxes due during the period of construction cessation shall be distributed according to the most recently applicable provision of this section. [PL 1981, c. 711, §10 (NEW).]
- **8.** Adjustments to distribution formula. The distribution provisions of this section shall be altered as follows.
  - A. Amounts paid in accordance with section 2858, subsection 3, in each year shall be deposited in the Mining Impact Assistance Fund. [PL 1981, c. 711, §10 (NEW).]
  - B. [PL 1991, c. 883, §6 (RP).]
  - C. Funds allocated to the Mining Excise Tax Trust Fund which would raise the fund above its limit shall be redistributed as follows:
    - (1) 33 1/3% to the Mining Impact Assistance Fund; and
    - (2) 66 2/3% to the General Fund. [PL 1981, c. 711, §10 (NEW).]
- D. [PL 1991, c. 883, §6 (RP).] [PL 1991, c. 883, §6 (AMD).]

## **SECTION HISTORY**

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