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EEC RESEARCH GRANTS TO BRITAIN

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The Commission has announced eight research grants to Britain. These are among eighteen grants for research on Ergonomics and Rehabilitation totalling £636,000 and amount to £245,635. The recipients are as follows:

1. Recipient: British Steel Corporation, London

Project: The organisation of work to facilitate recovery from high

load and extreme conditions.

Total cost: £105,625. Commission contribution over one year:

£63,375.

2. Recipient: British Steel Corporation, London

Project: The evaluation and development of an eye-face head respiratory

protective assembly for use on coke ovens in the iron and

steel industry.

Total cost: £129,025. Commission contribution over two years:

£77,415.

3. Recipient: Institute of Medicine

c/o National Coal Board, Edinburgh

Project: Control room operations: an investigation of the task of the

operator in a colliery control room.

Total cost: £25,675. Commission contribution over two years:

£15,405.

4. Recipient: National Coal Board, London

Project: Investigation of finger and hand injuries in South Midlands

Area, NCB.

Total cost: £82,225. Commission contribution over three years:

£32,890.

5. Recipient: British Steel Corporation, Oswestry

Project: Study of low back pain in the steel industry.

Total cost: £25,025. Commission contribution over two years:

£25,025.

6. Recipient: National Coal Board, London

Project: Study of assessment of physical suitability of rescue

brigademen for strenuous work.

Total cost: £9,425. Commission contribution over two years:

£9,425.

7. Recipient: Mr C J A Andrews, Edinburgh

Project: Study of the value of teaching ergonomics in secondary

schools.

Total cost: £12,025. Commission contribution over one

year: £12,025.

8. Recipient: Professor H J Glanville, Southampton

Project: Study of the industrial and social implications of low back

pain.

Total cost: £10,075. Commission contribution over two

years: £10.0/7.