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I disagree with those who demand coal must be abandoned right now: this is too challenging for the coal companies and too frightening for their employees . Rather, offer them a set of procedures, alternatives and, above all, a timetable to work with. Then everyone can see the inevitable future and plan together for new industries, employment opportunities in a timely manner. One caveat: the science tells us unequivocally that global warming is happening much faster than they predicted, so the timetable must be short. This is an emergency, action must be fast. We are a bit like the UK in 1939: we need a Churchill not a Chamberlain!