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HEALTH AND SAFETY

**The Coal and Other Safety-Lamp
Mines (Explosives) Regulations 1993**

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**THE COAL AND OTHER SAFETY-LAMP
MINES (EXPLOSIVES) REGULATIONS 1993**

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INTERPRETATION AND APPLICATION

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2. Interpretation
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PART II

APPOINTMENT OF SHOTFIRERS AND TRAINEE SHOTFIRERS

4. (1) The manager shall appoint a sufficient number of suitably...

PART III

MATERIALS AND EQUIPMENT

5. (1) The manager shall ensure that no explosives, detonators, exploders,...

PART IV

SAFETY AND SECURITY OF EXPLOSIVES AND DETONATORS

6. Handling and use of explosives and detonators
7. Manager's duties in respect of the storage, handling, use, issue and return of explosives and detonators
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9. Locked containers and carriages

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10. Control of explosives and containers of explosives
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PART VI

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35. (1) Nothing in Parts II to V of these Regulations...

PART VII

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