



MRAC PROPOSED CHANGES TO LEGISLATION FOR THE 2020-2021 REPORTING YEAR

In accordance with Schedule 6, section 5 of the Mine Health and Safety Act 29 of 1996 (MHSA), the Mining Regulations Advisory Committee (MRAC) must advise Council on proposed changes to legislation to improve health and safety at mines. MRAC has identified the following regulations to review for the 2020-2021 reporting year;

Chapter 5 – Fires and Explosions,

Chapter 8 – Shafts and Winders,

Chapter 8 - Development of Traffic Management Guideline,

Chapter 8 - Conveyor Belt Installations,

Chapter 9 - Mine Environmental Engineering and Occupational Hygiene,

Chapter 15 – Certificates of Competency Regulations,

Chapter 16 - Development of Regulations Dealing with the Provision of Missing Person Locator systems or Equipment in SA Mines

Chapter 16 – Emergency Preparedness and Response,

Chapter 17 – Surveying, Mapping and Mine Plans,

Chapter 23 - Review of South African Mining Recordable Accidents Statistical System (SAMRASS) Codebook,