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**Table of changes**

<b>Change No.</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Scope</b>
Amdt 1	2018	Amended to update the foreword and definitions, and to change cross references accordingly.

**Foreword**

This South African Standard was approved by National Committee SABS/TC 065, *Explosion prevention*, in accordance with procedures of the South African Bureau of Standards, in compliance with annex 3 of the WTO/TBT agreement.

This document was approved for publication in December 2018.

This document supersedes SANS 96:2006 (edition 1).

A vertical line in the margin shows where the text has been technically modified by amendment No. 1.

Reference is made in 2.3 to a "government-endorsed accreditation body". In South Africa this means the South African National Accreditation System (SANAS). **Amdt 1**

Reference is made in 2.3 and 2.4 to the "relevant national authority". In South Africa this means the applicable of the following:

- a) in terms of the Mine Health and Safety Act, 1996 (Act No. 29 of 1996) by the Chief Inspector of Mines of the Department of Minerals and Energy, or
- b) in terms of the Occupational Health and Safety Act, 1993 (Act No. 85 of 1993) by the Chief Inspector of Occupational Health and Safety of the Department of Labour, or
- c) in terms of the Explosives Act, 2003 (Act No. 15 of 2003) by the Chief Inspector of Explosives of the Department of Labour. **Amdt 1**

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