
STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2016 No. 427

The Mines Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2016

PART 3

CONTROL OF MAJOR HAZARDS

Explosives

Rules

31. Rules required by regulation 12 shall include—

- (a) requirements relating to shotfiring operations;
- (b) procedures for appointing shotfirers;
- (c) procedures for authorising other persons who will be involved with the transport, storage, handling and use of explosives;
- (d) requirements relating to misfires; and
- (e) in mines in which places have been classified as hazardous under regulation 7(1) of DSEAR, requirements relating to testing for the presence of flammable gases before any shot is fired.

Commencement Information

II [Reg. 31](#) in operation at 1.2.2017, see [reg. 1\(2\)](#)

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Mines Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2016, Section 31.