

Abbreviations

ANC	African National Congress
APLA	Azanian Peoples Liberation Army (armed wing of the Pan Africanist Congress)
BICC	Bonn International Center for Conversion
CFR	Central Firearm Registry
DFID	UK Department for International Development
DP	Democratic Party
FIUs	Illegal Firearm Investigation Units
GFSA	Gun Free South Africa
IFP	Inkatha Freedom Party
ISDSC	Inter-State Defence and Security Committee
IDASA	Institute for Democracy in South Africa
ISS	Institute for Security Studies
NATO	North Atlantic Treaty Organisation
NCPS	National Crime Prevention Strategy
NGOs	Non-Governmental Organisations
OAS	Organisation of American States
OAU	Organisation of African Unity
RENAMO	<i>Resistência Nacional de Moçambique</i>
SADC	Southern African Development Community
SAGA	South African Gunowners Association
SAIRR	South African Institute for Race Relations
SANDF	South African National Defence Force
SADF	South African Defence Force
SAPS	South African Police Service
SARPPCO	Southern African Regional Police Chiefs Co-ordinating Organisation
TBVC	Transkei, Bophuthatswana, Venda, Ciskei
TRC	Truth and Reconciliation Commission
UDF	United Democratic Front
MK	Umkhonto we Sizwe
UN	United Nations

UNODCCP United Nations Office for Drug Control and Crime
Prevention
UNIDIR United Nations Institute for Disarmament Research
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