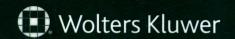
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## List of Abbreviations

A Supreme Court of Appeal

API American Petroleum Industry Standards

C Cape

CDM Clean Development Mechanism

CONNEP Consultative Process

CSIR South African Council for Scientific and Industrial Research

DEA Department of Environmental Affairs

DEAT Department of Environmental Affairs and Tourism

DME Department of Minerals and Energy
DMR Department of Mineral Resources

DWA Department of Water Affairs and Sanitation
DWAF Department of Water Affairs and Forestry

ECA Environment Conservation Act
EIA Environmental impact assessment

EMPR Environmental Management Programme Report

GDP Gross Domestic Product

GEAR Growth, Employment and Redistribution

GHG Greenhouse Gas

IPP Independent Power Producer

MEC Member of Executive Committee of a Province
MPRDA Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act

MSDS Material Safety Data Sheet

N Natal

NEMA National Environmental Management Act

NEMAQA National Environmental Management: Air Quality Act NEMBA National Environmental Management: Biodiversity Act

#### List of Abbreviations

NEMICMA National Environmental Management: Integrated Coastal

Management

NEMWA National Environmental Management: Waste Act

NEPAD New Partnership for African Development NERSA National Energy Regulator of South Africa

NWA National Water Act
OFS Orange Free State

PELJ Potchefstroom Electronic Law Journal RDP Reconstruction and Development Plan

s. Section

SABS South African Bureau of Standards

SADC South African Development Community SAHRA South African Heritage Resources Agency

SAJELP South African Journal of Environmental Law and Policy

SANS South African National Standards

SANEDI South African Energy Development Institute

SCA Supreme Court of Appeal

ss Sections

Stats SA Statistics South Africa

T Transvaal

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Contemporary Roman Dutch Law