



# Mining And Surface Certification CC

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Certificate Number: MASC M/13-855X  
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## IA – CERTIFICATE

IN TERMS OF REGULATION 21.17.2 OF THE MINERALS ACT (INCORPORATION THE MINE HEALTH AND SAFETY ACT) AND REGULATION 9 (1) OF THE ELECTRICAL MACHINERY REGULATIONS OF THE OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY ACT

Ex – Type Examination	
Certificate number:	<b>MASC M/13-855X</b>
Equipment:	I.S Power Supply 12V dc
Serial No:	All units must be covered by a valid batch report / accepted product certification mark.
Manufacturer:	Ex Solutio Engineering
Address:	P.O.Box 7837
	Albermarle
	Germiston
	1410

### DESCRIPTION:

The power supply consisted of a PCB with populated electronics. The PCB has approximate dimensions of 220mm x 86mm x 6. The unit is installed in an enclosure with a degree of protection IP54 in the safe area of in an approved flameproof enclosure in the hazardous area. The power supply must be supplied from an approved 1500V galvanically isolated transformer / supply.

### MARKING

**Manufacturer:** Ex Solutio Engineering  
**Type:** I.S. Power Supply  
**Model:** Type 12V dc  
**Ex rating:** [Ex ia] I (-20°C to +55°C)  
**IA No:** MASC M/13-855X  
**Serial Numbers:** See “Conditions of Certification”  
**Safety Parameters:**

**Um** = 60V  
**Uo** = 12V  
**Io** = 2.5A  
**Co** = 35µF  
**L/R** = 73µH/Ω

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## COMPLIANCE:

The unit as described above and in report number MASC **13-855** is hereby certified "Explosion Protected", Associated Apparatus [Ex ia] I (-20°C to 55°C), and is suitable for use in hazardous locations as stated below and as tested, assessed and inspected in accordance with the relevant requirements of SANS Standards:

### SANS 60079 "Electrical apparatus for explosive gas atmospheres"

- Part 0: 2005 "General requirements" and
- Part 11: 2007 "Equipment protection by intrinsic safety "I"".

Location	Zone 0 & 1	Gas/ Coal dust: Underground
Hazard Frequency	---	Continuous as could occur under normal operating conditions in hazardous area (Output only)
Environment	Group I	Methane and coal dust
Limiting Temperature		450°C (Methane gas) / 150°C (Coal dust)
Ambient Temperature	-20°C to 55°C	

***The use of apparatus in hazardous locations is subject to the following provisions as applicable, which shall be adhered to:***

- i) SANS 10086 requirements;
- ii) Any conditions mentioned in the above report;
- iii) Codes of Practice enforced in terms of Regulations 21.17.2 of Minerals Act, by Chief Inspector of Mines;
- iv) Any restrictions and conditions enforced by Chief Inspectors of Mines, Principal Inspector (Group I equipment) of Chief Inspector of Factories (Group II equipment);
- v) Any relevant requirements of the MHS Act or the OHS Act.

## SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF SAFE USE (X)

- The unit must be installed inside a certified explosion protected enclosure (e.g. flameproof) or in the safe area inside an IP54 enclosure.
- The installation of the interface shall consider wiring practices as described in SANS 10086-2 (or using the principles of Part 1, should part 2 not be finalized yet).
- The ambient temperature rating of the interface must not be invalidated.
- The power supply powering the interface may only be fed from a voltage not exceeding the value of  $U_m$ .
- The PCB's must be located inside a separate enclosure (At least IP20 with at least IP54 for the overall installation) for the enclosure, with or without the functional power supply and all installation rules for intrinsic safety, especially ambient temperature and segregation rules must be complied with.

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- The power supply must be powered from a power supply, complying with 1500Vrms isolation between primary and secondary, according to intrinsically safe requirements. The isolation is to be considered during full certification of the installation inside the flameproof enclosure or the systems approval.
- Application of the power supply interface must form part of a systems approval by an approved test laboratory as required in the latest draft EPA regulations.
- The enclosure of the power supply must have sufficient clearance from any non-intrinsically safe parts. In addition, a 1500V isolation shall be required.

## CONDITIONS OF CERTIFICATION:

**According to the relevant requirements of the MHS Act and the OHS Act, production units of explosion protected equipment are required to comply with third party quality assurance (an approved mark scheme or batch testing by an accredited test laboratory.)**



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**TECHNICAL SPECIALIST**

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