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PREFACE

This Standard was prepared by Committee ME-051, Amusement Rides and Devices, to supersede AS 4722—2009.

The objective of this Standard is to provide designers, manufacturers, proprietors, inspectors and operating staff with requirements and guidance specific to the design, construction, operation, inspection, testing and maintenance of passenger ropeways and passenger conveyors that will protect the health and safety of both operating staff and patrons of these devices.

This Standard references and modifies the requirements of Canadian Standards Association publication CSA Z98-14, *Passenger ropeways and passenger conveyors*. The Canadian Standard has historically been used for requirements for passenger ropeways in Australia. The Subcommittee has kept Australian variations to this Standard to a minimum and has informed the relevant Canadian committee of these so they can be considered for incorporation in a future edition of CSA Z98.

It should be noted that conformance to this Standard alone does not necessarily ensure that all legal obligations are being fulfilled.

Statements expressed in mandatory terms in notes to tables are deemed to be requirements of this Standard.

The term 'informative' has been used in this Standard to define the application of the appendix to which it applies. An 'informative' appendix is only for information and guidance.

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