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PREFACE

This Standard was prepared by the Standards Australia Committee on Fire Protection of Cooking Areas.

The fire risks associated with kitchen equipment are widely appreciated, and the need for adequate fire protection is readily apparent. This Standard draws attention to ancillary fire protection equipment such as portable extinguishers and fire blankets, but is principally concerned with performance specifications for fixed fire extinguishing systems utilizing carbon dioxide, fire extinguishing powders, wet chemicals, or water sprays. Minimum requirements for inspection and maintenance are also given herein.

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