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PREFACE

This Standard was prepared by the Joint Standards Australia/Standards New Zealand Committee ME-018, Mining Equipment.

The objective of this Standard is to promote the safety of fire-protected diesel engine systems that are used underground in coal mines.

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- 3584.2 Part 2: Explosion protected
- 3584.3 Part 3: Maintenance

This edition allows for the implementation of new technology in diesel engine systems, including the use of dry exhaust systems, limiting the emission of diesel aerosol particulates and generally reducing the emission of pollutants. This edition facilitates the use of electronically managed diesel engine systems. Its emphasis is to facilitate the implementation of new technology resulting in the increased operational safety of diesel engine systems.

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The terms 'normative' and 'informative' have been used in this Standard to define the application of the appendix to which they apply. A 'normative' appendix is an integral part of a Standard, whereas an 'informative' appendix is only for information and guidance.

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