



## **Electronic funds transfers— Requirements for interfaces**

### **Part 2: Message structures, format and content**



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## PREFACE

This Standard was prepared by the Standards Australia Committee IT-005, Financial Transaction Systems, to supersede AS 2805.2—2007, *Electronic funds transfer—Requirements for interfaces, Part 2: Message structure, format and content*. During the preparation of this Standard cognizance was taken of ISO 8583, *Financial transaction card originated messages—Interchange message specifications*.

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