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PREFACE

This Standard was prepared by the Joint Standards Australia/Standards New Zealand Committee EL/36, *In-service Testing of Electrical Equipment*, to supersede AS/NZS 3760:1996.

The in-service safety inspection and testing requirements in this Standard do not cover testing for design and approval of equipment (which is covered separately in the AS/NZS 3100, AS 3300/NZS 6200 and AS/NZS 3350 series of Standards).

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- (a) Additions and changes to Table 2, Testing Intervals for Electrical Equipment.
- (b) Numerous minor text changes.

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