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PREFACE

This Standard was prepared by the Joint Standards Australia/Standards New Zealand Committee ME/5 on Cranes. It covers specific requirements for vehicle hoists and is to be read in conjunction with AS 1418.1, *Cranes (including hoists and winches)*, Part 1: *General requirements*.

The purpose of this Standard is to establish uniformity in engineering practice and regulations for vehicle hoists. It has been prepared with the objective of meeting the minimum requirements for safety and with due regard to the undesirability of imposing restrictions on design. Where in respect of any appliance the minimum requirements specified are considered to be insufficient to meet working conditions, appropriate increases shall be made.

This edition is a revision of the 1986 edition, amended to remove misunderstandings and discrepancies in that Standard.

In the preparation of this Standard, cognizance was taken of comparable current Standards in Europe and the United States of America.

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