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PREFACE

This Standard was prepared by the Joint Standards Australia/Standards New Zealand Committee TE-003 on Electromagnetic Interference to supersede AS 2344—1980, *Limits of electromagnetic interference from overhead a.c. powerlines*. It is based on IEC/CISPR Committee draft CISPR/C(Secretariat)71 produced by the International Special Committee on Radio Interference (CISPR). The draft will eventually become an international Standard produced by CISPR Subcommittee C. This Standard maintains the international format and technical coverage.

This Standard incorporates Amendment No. 1 (May 2007). The changes required by the Amendment are indicated in the text by a marginal bar and amendment number against the clause, note, table, figure or part thereof affected.

This Standard has been published in advance of international development as the local requirements for realistic limits and methods of test are considered high priority. Alignment of this Standard to an international version will be considered when one becomes available.

The draft from which this Standard originated was developed by an Australian Subcommittee of Committee TE-003, as an extension of work already underway by the Joint Committee which was reviewing AS 2344—1980. The CISPR subcommittee reviewed international developmental work at the same time and adopted the work of Committee TE-003 as the basis for developing the IEC/CISPR draft Standard. The result is that Australia/New Zealand input has been high and Committee TE-003 considered the draft suitably developed as the basis for a publication.

The format of this Standard mirrors that of the CISPR committee draft. However, clause numbering has been changed due to the addition of Clause 2.

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