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PREFACE

This Standard was prepared by the Standards Australia Committee BD-074, Termites, to supersede (in part) AS 3660.2—2000, Termite management Part 2: In and around existing buildings and structures—Guidelines.

The objective of this Standard is to provide a guide for building owners and others involved in the management of subterranean termites within and around existing buildings and structures.

The revision of this Standard takes into account current practice in the field of termite management for existing buildings and structures.

This Standard is part two in a series of standards on termite management. Other parts in the series are as follows:

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