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### **PREFACE**

This Standard was prepared by the joint Standards Australia/Standards New Zealand Committee EL-001, Wiring rules, to supersede AS 3010.1—1987.

The objective of the Standard is to establish safety requirements for the use of generating sets for the supply of electricity at voltages normally exceeding 50 V a.c. or 120 V d.c.

Major changes to AS 3010.1—1987 are as follows:

- (a) The Standard has become a single Standard (i.e. without parts) as some types of generators listed in the previous preface such as—
  - (i) rotary converters;
  - (ii) static invertors;
  - (iii) hydro and wind driven generators; and
  - (iv) photovoltaic arrays
  - may be covered by other publications.
- (b) Switching of the normal supply neutral is not allowed for MEN earthing systems.
- (c) The inclusion of guidance connection drawings.
- (d) Changes of terminology to align with AS/NZS 3000.
- (e) It is published as a joint Australian/New Zealand Standard.

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