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This Standard was prepared by the Joint Standards Australia/Standards New Zealand Committee FP/4, Automatic Sprinkler Installations. This Standard is the result of a consensus among representatives on the Joint Committee to produce it as an Australian Standard.

The objective of this Standard is to establish requirements for the operation of specialized sprinkler installations designed to function in hazardous environments such as flammable liquid stores where open sprinklers deliver water or foam rapidly when quick opening valves operate following detection of flame, heat or smoke.

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