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PREFACE

This Standard was prepared by the Joint Standards Australia/Standards New Zealand Committee ME-018, Mining Equipment, to supersede AS/NZS 3584.1:2005.

The objective of this Standard is to promote the safety of fire-protected diesel engine systems that are used underground in coal mines.

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