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PREFACE

This Standard was prepared by the Standards Australian Committee BD-008, Roof Tiles, to supersede AS 2050—1995, *Installation of roof tiles*.

This Standard incorporates Amendment No. 1 (December 2005) and Amendment No. 2 (October 2012). 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.

The objective of this Standard is to provide installers of roof tiles, complying with AS 2049, with specifications covering the installation of such roof tiles for use in domestic, commercial or light industrial applications.

This revision extends the subject matter beyond the installation of roof tiles. It includes installing tolerances for battens, minimum installing requirements for tiles and accessories, and a general requirement for compliance with the dynamic weather resistance test. It also includes informative appendices on the recommended nail sizes for batten size relative to rafter spacing for both hand nailing and machine nailing.

The term 'informative' has been used in this Standard to define the application of the appendix to which it applies. An 'informative' appendix is only for information and guidance.

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Statements expressed in mandatory terms in notes to tables are deemed to be requirements of this Standard.

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