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1 PREFACE

The aim of this Standard is to outline requirements to provide a minimum level of fire safety for rail rolling stock in Australia.

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