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PREFACE

This Standard was prepared by the Joint Standards Australia/Standards New Zealand Committee FP-002, Fire Detection, Warning, Control and Intercom Systems. The objective of this Standard is to augment the existing AS 1603 series of product Standards which has, until now, not made an allowance for optical beam smoke detectors.

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