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PREFACE

This Standard was prepared by the Standards Australia Committee LG/6, Road Traffic Signals, to supersede AS 2339—1987. It is one of a number of Standards that set out requirements for the equipment associated with traffic signal installations. As at the date of publication of this Standard, these include the following:

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4192 Illuminated flashing arrow signs

The objective of this Standard is to specify requirements for the form, dimensions, material and finish of tubular steel posts and attachments used for the support of traffic signal lanterns, pedestrian push-button assemblies and ancillary equipment. It is intended for application by road and traffic authorities and their suppliers to facilitate the manufacture, purchase and use of the posts and attachments.

The objective of this edition is to introduce a variety of alterations, found to be necessary, arising from the application of the 1987 edition of the Standard. In particular, the dimensions of the lugs of lower mounting brackets have been changed to facilitate the use of a mechanism for locking lantern mounting straps in position. Details of one form of locking mechanism have been included in an informative appendix.

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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