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PREFACE

This Standard was prepared by the Joint Standards Australia/Standards New Zealand Committee TM/5 on Reconstituted Timber Panel Products. It provides performance requirements and specifications for the manufacture and application of decorative overlaid wood panels, which was not previously described in the AS/NZS 1859 series.

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1859.1(Int)	Part 1: Particleboard
1859.2(Int)	Part 2: Medium density fibreboard (MDF)
1859.3	Part 3: Decorative overlaid wood panels (this Standard)
1859.4	Part 4: Hardboard (in course of preparation)
1859.5	Part 5: Fibre insulating board (in course of preparation)

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