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PREFACE

This Standard was prepared by the Joint Standards Australia/Standards New Zealand Committee BD/23 on Structural Steel to supersede AS 3679.1—1990.

This Standard incorporates Amendment Nos. 1 and 2 (May 2000). The changes required by the Amendments 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 specify requirements for hot-rolled structural steel bars and sections for general structural and engineering applications.

This edition incorporates Amendment No. 1 and the following major changes:

- (a) Deletion of weather-resistant weldable grades.
- (b) Increase of copper content to 0.5%.
- (c) Modification of the chemical and mechanical properties for grade 300 on some sections.
- (d) Deletion of universal bearing piles.
- (e) Deletion of 760 and 690 universal beams.
- (f) Geometrical properties of steel sections are deleted.
- (g) Appendix B is updated.

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The terms 'normative' and 'informative' have been used in this Standard to define the application of the appendix to which they apply. A 'normative' appendix is an integral part of a Standard, whereas an 'informative' appendix is only for information and guidance.

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