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REVISED TEXT

The 1985 edition of AS 2792 is amended as follows; the amendments should be inserted in the appropriate place.

SUMMARY: This Amendment applies to Appendices C, D, and F.

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Page 11. Clause C4.

Add to the existing Clause C4:

NOTE: For the safety of test staff, precautions should be taken to restrain sudden movement of the couplings and hose in case of bursting.

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Page 11. Clause D4.

Add to the existing Clause D4:

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Page 13. Clause F4.

Add to the existing Clause F4:

NOTE: For the safety of test staff, precautions should be taken to restrain sudden movement of the couplings and hose in case of bursting.

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Page 13. Clause F4(a).

Delete existing Clause F4(a) and *substitute*:

(a) Place the hose on a horizontal, smooth, flat surface, e.g. metal roof decking.

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PREFACE

This standard was prepared by the Association's Committee on Fire Hydrant Installations. It covers percolating and non-percolating delivery fire hose in various grades according to their intended working pressures.

For some time a variety of specifications for fire hose have been used by various organizations. The committee examined these and accepted their broad principles, but has adapted some requirements to suit Australian conditions.

In the preparation of this standard, account has been taken of the following documents:

Central Fire Brigades Advisory Council (England and Wales), Scottish Central Fire Brigades Advisory Council—Joint Committee on Design and Development of Appliance and Equipment: Specification JCDD/1/1, Requirement Specification for Non-percolating Delivery Hose for Fire Brigade Use (With or Without an Outer Coating or Jacket).

Department of Defence: DEF(AUST) 5195, Australian Defence Standard for Hose, Synthetic Fibre, Rubber Lined (Fire Fighting, Delivery, 38 mm, 50 mm, 63 mm and 70 mm) Specification.

Board of Fire Commissioners of New South Wales:
Requirement Specification for Non-percolating Delivery Hose for Fire Brigade Use.

Department of Housing and Construction:
Specification for Fire Hose.

BS 6391—1983, Non-percolating Layflat Delivery Hoses and Hose Assemblies for Fire Fighting Purposes.

Fire hose is required to be constructed to resist high pressures under working conditions. Consequently the assessment of the performance of hose under various test conditions specified is intended to be a measure of the reliability of the fire hose during its most onerous service.

Appendix A to the standard sets out properties and requirements for fire hose that may be specified by the purchaser. Appendix B provides purchasing guidelines.

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