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This edition differs from AS 2745—1984 in that references are included to processes other than arc welding, and to plasma power sources where open-circuit voltages, ranging up to 710 V d.c. for plasma arc cutting equipment, present a greater hazard to welders and maintenance personnel than arc welding equipment.

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