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PREFACE

This Standard was prepared by the Standards Australia Committee on Lift Installations.

This Standard is Part 9 of the series, AS 1735 *Lifts, escalators and moving walks (known as the SAA Lift Code)*, the other parts of which are as follows:

- Part 1: General requirements
- Part 2: Passenger and goods lifts—Electric
- Part 3: Passenger and goods lifts—Electrohydraulic
- Part 4: Service lifts—Power-operated
- Part 5: Escalators
- Part 6: Moving walks
- Part 7: Stairway lifts
- Part 8: Inclined lifts
- Part 10: Tests
- Part 11: Fire-rated landing doors
- Part 12: Facilities for persons with disabilities
- Part 13: Lifts for persons with limited mobility—Manually powered
- Part 14: Lifts for people with limited mobility—Restricted use—Low-rise platforms
- Part 15: Lifts for people with limited mobility—Restricted use—Non-automatically controlled
- Part 16: Lifts for people with limited mobility—Restricted use—Automatically controlled

This Standard covers the requirements for special purpose industrial lifts that provide guided transportation for personnel, their tools and equipment on a range of structures and variety of locations.

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SECTION 1 SCOPE AND GENERAL

This Standard sets out requirements for permanently installed special purpose industrial lifts that provide guided transportation of authorized personnel, their tools and equipment, and materials for maintenance of plant.

NOTE: Such lifts are typically installed on structures such as bridge towers, chimneys, cranes, dams, silos, power stations, radio antennas, underground facilities, and similar structures.

This Standard is complementary to AS 1735.1, but the requirements of this Standard take precedence over corresponding requirements of AS 1735.1.

SECTION 2 REFERENCED DOCUMENTS

The following documents are referred to in this Standard:

AS

- 1530 Methods for fire tests on building materials, components and structures
- 1530.1 Part 1: Combustibility test for materials
- 1735 Lifts, escalators and moving walks
- 1735.1 Part 1: General requirements
- 1735.2 Part 2: Passenger and goods lifts—Electric
- 1735.3 Part 3: Passenger and goods lifts—Electrohydraulic
- 1735.10 Part 10: Tests
- 3000 Electrical installations—Buildings, structures and premises (known as SAA Wiring Rules)
- 3600 Concrete structures
- 3678 Structural Steel—Hot-rolled plates, floor plates and slabs
- 3990 Mechanical equipment—Steelwork

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- 436 Spur and helical gears
- 436.2 Part 2: Basic rack form, modules and accuracy (1 to 50 metric module)
- 436.3 Part 3: Method for calculating of contact and root bending stress limitations for metallic involute gears