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PREFACE

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In this edition the section on fasteners has been deleted. It is considered that this is adequately covered by AS 1214, *Hot-dip galvanized coatings on threaded fasteners (ISO metric coarse thread series)*.

The Preece Test for uniformity of coating is not included in the Standard since it is recognized, both in Australia and overseas, that it has many drawbacks which make it highly suspect in a pass/fail situation.

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