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General

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FOREWORD

Revise the 1st sentence of the 3rd paragraph of the Foreword as follows:

The scope of these Guide Specifications covers seismic design for typical bridge types and applies to ~~noncritical and non-essential~~ bridges classified as Ordinary.