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PREFACE

This Standard has been developed to assist in the process of implementation of the Australian Medical Device legislation.

After consultation with stakeholders in both countries, Standards Australia and Standards New Zealand decided to develop this Standard as an Australian, rather than an Australian/New Zealand Standard, through the Joint Standards Australia/Standards New Zealand Committee HE-009 on Hypodermic Equipment - General Medical.

This Standard is identical with and has been reproduced from ISO 10555-1:1995, *Sterile, single-use intravascular catheters — Part 1: General requirements*.

The objective of this Standard is to specify requirements for single-use intravascular catheters.

This Standard provides for the use of the following Australian/New Zealand Standards as equivalents to the ISO Standards referenced herein:

Reference to International Standard or other Equivalent Australian/New Zealand Standard publication

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