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Annex A forms a normative part of this International Standard.

Introduction

This International Standard recognizes the need for formats of track 3 which can be used independently of, or in conjunction with, track 2 as defined in ISO 7813. This approach is intended to permit the greatest degree of flexibility within the financial community in facilitating international interchange.

