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BRIEF HISTORY

The ISO Recommendation R 214, *Abstracts and Synopses*, was drawn up by Technical Committee ISO/TC 46, *Documentation*, the Secretariat of which is held by the Nederlands Instituut voor Documentatie en Registratuur (N.I.D.E.R.) on behalf of the Stichting Nederlands Normalisatie-instituut (NNI).

Work on this question by the Technical Committee began in 1952 and led, in 1958, to the adoption of a Draft ISO Recommendation.

In June 1959, this Draft ISO Recommendation (No. 299) was circulated to all the ISO Member Bodies for enquiry. It was approved, subject to some editorial amendments, by the following Member Bodies:

Australia	Germany	Poland
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France	Norway	Yugoslavia

One Member Body opposed the approval of the Draft: New Zealand.

The Draft ISO Recommendation was then submitted by correspondence to the ISO Council, which decided, in November 1961, to accept it as an ISO RECOMMENDATION.