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## PREFACE

This Standard was prepared by Joint Standards Australia/Standards New Zealand Committee CS-016, Shopping Trolleys. In its preparation, cognizance was given to BS 7646:1993, *General purpose self-service trolleys* and prEN 1929:1995, *Basket trolleys with or without a child carrying facility*.

*This Standard incorporates Amendment No.1 (March 2002). The changes required by the Amendment are indicated in the text by a marginal bar and amendment number against the clause, note, table, figure or part thereof affected.*

This Standard was developed on the basis that children up to 18 kg (around 3 years of age) are the intended users of child carrying facilities in shopping trolleys and also those most at risk of injury. If child carrying facilities are to be used by heavier children, then adjustment should be made to the minimum dimensions of the child carrying facility, its carrying capacity, the information supplied on the trolley, and the child seat test loads.

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