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Part 2: Installation



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PREFACE

This Standard was prepared by the Australian members of Joint Standards Australia/Standards New Zealand Committee BD-058, Thermal Insulation, to supersede AS/NZS 4200.2:1994, *Pliable building membranes and underlays*, Part 2: *Installation requirements*.

This Standard incorporates Amendment No. 1 (June 2018). 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.

After consultation with stakeholders in both countries, Standards Australia and Standards New Zealand decided to develop this Standard as an Australian Standard rather than an Australian/New Zealand Standard.

The objective of this revision is to specify procedures for the installation of pliable building membranes in buildings that are consistent with good building practice. The requirements for installation have been compiled from a wide range of procedures used in Australia and considered as good practice in the installation of pliable building membranes.

This Standard is intended to be read in conjunction with AS/NZS 4200.1, *Pliable building membranes and underlays*, Part 1: *Materials*.

The term 'informative' has been used in this Standard to define the application of the appendix to which it applies. An 'informative' appendix is only for information and guidance.

This Standard incorporates a Commentary on some Clauses. The Commentary directly follows the relevant clause, is designated by 'C' preceding the clause number and is printed in italics in a panel. The Commentary is intended to help readers understand the background to the clause but does not form part of the clause.

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