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PREFACE

This Standard was prepared by the Standards Australia Committee CS-037, Garden Soils and Potting Mixes to supersede AS 4419—1998, *Soils for landscaping and garden use*.

Changes made in this edition include refinements of the toxicity test, and marking has changed to include bold line bordering around the health warnings for prominence on the bag or other documentation.

The terms ‘normative’ and ‘informative’ have been used in this Standard to define the application of the appendix to which they apply. A ‘normative’ appendix is an integral part of a Standard, whereas an ‘informative’ appendix is only for information and guidance.

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