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FOREWORD

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PREFACE

This standard has been prepared by I E C Technical Committee No. 64, Electrical Installations of Buildings.

The requirements of this standard form a complement to the rules contained in Chapter 43, Protection against overcurrent (I E C Publication 364-4-43).

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