



NATIONAL DIRECTORY FOR RADIATION PROTECTION

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Codes of Practice and Radiation Protection Standards

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31 January 2008, except Transport Code, which was approved
on 15 February 2008**

1.3 Scope

The Scope is replaced by the following, to provide for application of the Directory to mining and mineral processing:

This Directory provides comprehensive resources to establish and maintain a uniform legislative framework for both ionizing and non-ionizing radiation protection in Australia. Although the Directory has been developed with the needs of radiation safety and protection agencies and regulators in mind, it is agreed that the Directory will also be used by all sectors involved in implementing radiation controls, including mining, mineral processing and occupational health and safety regulators. While edition 1 of the Directory did not apply to the mining and mineral processing industries, the provisions of the Directory now apply to these industries.

Schedule 11 – National Adoption of Referenced Codes of Practice and Standards

(Refer section 5.1)

Schedule 11 is amended to add the following publications to the referenced Codes and Standards, which must be adopted by all jurisdictions within their respective regulatory frameworks:

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| RPS 2 Code of Practice | Safe Transport of Radioactive Material, ARPANSA, January 2008 (<i>the 2001 edition is deleted</i>). |
| RPS 5 Code of Practice | Portable Density/Moisture Gauges containing Radioactive Sources, ARPANSA, May 2004. |
| RPS 8 Code of Practice | Exposure of Humans to Ionizing Radiation for Research Purposes, ARPANSA, May 2005. |
| RPS 9 Code of Practice | Radiation Protection and Radioactive Waste Management in Mining and Mineral Processing, ARPANSA, August 2005. |
| RPS 10 Code of Practice | Radiation Protection in Dentistry, ARPANSA, December 2005. |
| RPS 11 Code of Practice | Security of Radioactive Sources, ARPANSA, January 2007. |
| RPS 12 Radiation Protection Standard | Occupational Exposure to Ultraviolet Radiation, ARPANSA, December 2006. |
| RPS 13 Code of Practice | Safe Use of Fixed Radiation Gauges, ARPANSA, January 2007. |