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PREFACE

This Standard was prepared by Standards Australia Committee MN-004, Heavy Mineral Sands, to supersede AS 2715—1984, *Heavy mineral sand concentrates—Determination of pH value*.

The significance of the pH value has been questioned, but in view of its usefulness as a guide to binder requirements for zircon sand moulds, the industry has requested the preparation of this Standard.

The revision confirms the method for the determination of pH value of heavy mineral sand concentrates. Editorial changes have been made to bring the Standard into line with current style.

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