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## Foreword

This Singapore Standard was prepared by the Technical Committee on Building Services under the purview of the Building and Construction Standards Committee.

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This Code is based on the 1981 edition of the Public Utilities Board Code of Practice on Water Services and is intended to provide guidance to Professional Engineers, Registered Architects and Licensed Water Services Plumbers in the design, installation, fixing, testing and maintenance of water services in all residential, commercial and industrial buildings/premises.

In preparing this Code, reference was also made to BS 6700 "Specification for design, installation, testing and maintenance of services supplying water for domestic use within buildings and their curtilages".

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## **Code of practice for water services**

### **1 General**

#### **1.1 Scope**

This code deals with services for the supply of potable water to all residential, commercial and industrial buildings/premises. The scope of the Code extends from the Authority's water supply to the point where the water is drawn off for use, including storage. It does not cover all aspects of services for the supply of water for fire fighting.