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1 Replacement text

An inconsistency has been identified between the text in Publication 186 and Publication 214 (Toolbox Guide), and furthermore neither are considered sufficiently explicit. Therefore the first sentence of Clause 4.2.1 Terminating – general on page 36 of Publication 214 Edition 7 should be replaced by the following:

If multi-stranded and, in particular, fine-stranded conductors are employed, the ends shall be protected against separation of the strands, for example by means of cable lugs or core end sleeves, or by the type of terminal, but not by soldering alone.

(A similar change is applicable to Clause 4.4.3.5 Crimped terminations on Page 109 of Publication 186 Edition 7.)