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## Foreword

This Malaysian Standard was developed by the Working Group on Tubular and Prefabricated Scaffolding under the authority of the Industry Standards Committee on Building, Construction and Civil Engineering.

With the substantial construction activities envisioned, the importance of the use of contemporary scaffolding cannot be ignored. Tubular and Prefabricated Scaffolding, currently being used widely in Malaysia, is one of the contemporary categories of scaffolding which can be assembled and dismantled speedily, transported and handled effortlessly.

This Malaysian Standard is the second revision of MS 1462-1, *Prefabricated scaffolds - Specification for steel frame scaffoldings*.

Major Modification in this revision are as follows:

- a) incorporation of members, “global bracing system”, “side protection/guardrail” and “toe board” in Table 2;
- b) incorporation of new clause 10;
- c) replacement of Figure H1 with new figure and incorporation of clause H1;
- d) addition of annex P and incorporation of members “clamp” in Table 2;
- e) incorporation of members, “cross brace”, “joint pin”, “global bracing system”, and “side protection/guardrail” in Table 2; and
- f) Revision of figure 3 and additional note.

This Malaysian Standard consists of the following parts, under the general title *Metal Scaffolding*:

*Part 1: Prefabricated scaffolds - specification for steel frame scaffolding*

*Part 2: Tubular (tube and coupler) scaffolds - Section 1: Specification for steel tubes*

*Part 2: Tubular (tube and coupler) scaffolds - Section 2: Specification for aluminium tubes*

*Part 2: Tubular (tube and coupler) scaffolds - Section 3: Specification for steel and aluminium couplers, fitting and accessories*

*Part 3: Prefabricated scaffolds - Section 1: Specification for steel and aluminium modular system scaffolding*

*Part 4: Temporary works equipment - Section 1: Performance requirements and general design\**

*Part 4: Temporary works equipment - Section 2: Information of materials\**

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*Part 4: Temporary works equipment - Section 3: Load testing\**

*Part 5: Mobile access and working tower made of prefabricated elements – Materials, dimensions design loads, safety and performance requirements\**

*Part 6: Temporary installed suspended scaffolds and access equipment\**

This Malaysian Standard cancels and replaces MS 1462:2012, *Metal scaffolding - Part 1: Prefabricated scaffolds - Specification for steel frame scaffolding (First revision)*.

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