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- a) most classes have been replaced by completely new classes based on the use of new information obtained from referenced Technical Reports;
- b) Table 1 through to Table 5 have been updated;
- c) the content of Annex A and Annex B has either been incorporated into main body text or deleted.

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