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Foreword

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- Part 1: Communication protocol
- Part 2: Application requirements
- Part 3: Environmental characteristics
- Part 4: Data protection
- Part 5: Physical layer

Introduction

This part of ISO 18185 defines the physical layer for compliant electronic seals.

It has been created to ensure global adoption of ISO 18185, providing a standardized physical layer as developed in the RFID standards of ISO/IEC 18000 and ISO/IEC 24730.