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# Qualitative Report Summary

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## **Background**

This is a summary of the Qualitative report for the building structure, and is based in general on the Detailed Engineering Evaluation Procedure document (draft) issued by the Structural Advisory Group on 19 July 2011, visual inspections on 17 April 2012.

## **Building Description**

The Park Toilet is located at 130 Hussey Road within Styx Mill Reserve in Harewood. The building is relatively isolated surrounded by park reserve to the south and west, and few houses to the north and east, roughly 100m away.

The building is a single storey public toilet. The building is approximately 4m long, 2.5m wide and 3.5m in height. The overall footprint of the building is approximately 10m<sup>2</sup>. The building was constructed in 1996. No alterations have been made to the building since construction.

The steel roof structure consists of 100x50 RHS steel trusses (spaced at 2m), 100x50 RHS ridge beam with 150x50 timber purlins (spaced at 0.88m) clad with 0.55mm corrugated metal sheeting.

Filled reinforced 150 series concrete masonry walls clad with ceramic tiles (internally) form the external perimeter walls and 100x50 timber framing with timber diagonal bracings clad with ceramic tiles form the internal partition walls.

The building's foundation consists of concrete strip footings to the external perimeter connected to the 100mm concrete floor slab founded on 150mm hardfill.

## **Key Damage Observed**

No apparent damage was observed.

## **Critical Structural Weaknesses**

No significant critical structural weakness has been identified.

### **Indicative Building Strength (from IEP and CSW assessment)**

Based on the information available, and using the NZSEE Initial Evaluation Procedure, the building's original capacity has been assessed to be in the order of 93% NBS and post-earthquake capacity in the order of 93% NBS.

The building has been assessed to have a seismic capacity in the order of 93% NBS and is therefore not potentially earthquake risk.

### **Recommendations**

It is recommended that:

- a) As the building does not have any apparent damage and has achieved greater than 67% NBS following an initial IEP assessment, the building can remain occupied as per Christchurch City Council's policy.
- b) No detailed quantitative assessment is required.

# 1. Background

GHD Limited has been engaged by the Christchurch City Council (CCC) to undertake a detailed engineering evaluation of the Park Toilet located at Styx Mill Reserve.

This report is a Qualitative Assessment of the building structure, and is based generally on the Detailed Engineering Evaluation Procedure document (draft) issued by the Structural Advisory Group on 19 July 2011.

A qualitative assessment involves inspections of the building and a desktop review of existing structural and geotechnical information, including existing drawings and calculations, if available.

The purpose of the assessment is to determine the likely building performance and damage patterns, to identify any potential critical structural weaknesses or collapse hazards, and to make an initial assessment of the likely building strength in terms of percentage of new building standard (%NBS).

At the time of this report, no intrusive site investigation, detailed analysis, or modelling of the building structure had been carried out. Planning drawings were made available. The building description below is based on our visual inspections and the planning drawings available.

## 2. Compliance

This section contains a brief summary of the requirements of the various statutes and authorities that control activities in relation to buildings in Christchurch at present.

### 2.1 Canterbury Earthquake Recovery Authority (CERA)

CERA was established on 28 March 2011 to take control of the recovery of Christchurch using powers established by the Canterbury Earthquake Recovery Act enacted on 18 April 2011. This act gives the Chief Executive Officer of CERA wide powers in relation to building safety, demolition and repair. Two relevant sections are:

#### **Section 38 – Works**

This section outlines a process in which the chief executive can give notice that a building is to be demolished and if the owner does not carry out the demolition, the chief executive can commission the demolition and recover the costs from the owner or by placing a charge on the owners' land.

#### **Section 51 – Requiring Structural Survey**

This section enables the chief executive to require a building owner, insurer or mortgagee carry out a full structural survey before the building is re-occupied.

We understand that CERA will require a detailed engineering evaluation to be carried out for all buildings (other than those exempt from the Earthquake Prone Building definition in the Building Act). It is anticipated that CERA will adopt the Detailed Engineering Evaluation Procedure document (draft) issued by the Structural Advisory Group on 19 July 2011. This document sets out a methodology for both qualitative and quantitative assessments.

The qualitative assessment is a desk-top and site inspection assessment. It is based on a thorough visual inspection of the building coupled with a review of available documentation such as drawings and specifications. The quantitative assessment involves analytical calculation of the buildings strength and may require non-destructive or destructive material testing, geotechnical testing and intrusive investigation.

It is anticipated that factors determining the extent of evaluation and strengthening level required will include:

- ▶ The importance level and occupancy of the building
- ▶ The placard status and amount of damage
- ▶ The age and structural type of the building
- ▶ Consideration of any critical structural weaknesses
- ▶ The extent of any earthquake damage



## **2.2 Building Act**

Several sections of the Building Act are relevant when considering structural requirements:

### **Section 112 – Alterations**

This section requires that an existing building complies with the relevant sections of the Building Code to at least the extent that it did prior to any alteration. This effectively means that a building cannot be weakened as a result of an alteration (including partial demolition).

### **Section 115 – Change of Use**

This section requires that the territorial authority (in this case Christchurch City Council (CCC)) be satisfied that the building with a new use complies with the relevant sections of the Building Code 'as near as is reasonably practicable'. Regarding seismic capacity 'as near as reasonably practicable' has previously been interpreted by CCC as achieving a minimum of 67% NBS however where practical achieving 100% NBS is desirable. The New Zealand Society for Earthquake Engineering (NZSEE) recommend a minimum of 67% NBS.

#### **2.2.1 Section 121 – Dangerous Buildings**

The definition of dangerous building in the Act was extended by the Canterbury Earthquake (Building Act) Order 2010, and it now defines a building as dangerous if:

- ▶ In the ordinary course of events (excluding the occurrence of an earthquake), the building is likely to cause injury or death or damage to other property; or
- ▶ In the event of fire, injury or death to any persons in the building or on other property is likely because of fire hazard or the occupancy of the building; or
- ▶ There is a risk that the building could collapse or otherwise cause injury or death as a result of earthquake shaking that is less than a 'moderate earthquake' (refer to Section 122 below); or
- ▶ There is a risk that that other property could collapse or otherwise cause injury or death; or
- ▶ A territorial authority has not been able to undertake an inspection to determine whether the building is dangerous.

### **Section 122 – Earthquake Prone Buildings**

This section defines a building as earthquake prone if its ultimate capacity would be exceeded in a 'moderate earthquake' and it would be likely to collapse causing injury or death, or damage to other property. A moderate earthquake is defined by the building regulations as one that would generate ground shaking 33% of the shaking used to design an equivalent new building.

### **Section 124 – Powers of Territorial Authorities**

This section gives the territorial authority the power to require strengthening work within specified timeframes or to close and prevent occupancy to any building defined as dangerous or earthquake prone.

### **Section 131 – Earthquake Prone Building Policy**

This section requires the territorial authority to adopt a specific policy for earthquake prone, dangerous and insanitary buildings.

## **2.3 Christchurch City Council Policy**

Christchurch City Council adopted their Earthquake Prone, Dangerous and Insanitary Building Policy in 2006. This policy was amended immediately following the Darfield Earthquake of the 4th September 2010.

The 2010 amendment includes the following:

- ▶ A process for identifying, categorising and prioritising Earthquake Prone Buildings, commencing on 1 July 2012;
- ▶ A strengthening target level of 67% of a new building for buildings that are Earthquake Prone;
- ▶ A timeframe of 15-30 years for Earthquake Prone Buildings to be strengthened; and,
- ▶ Repair works for buildings damaged by earthquakes will be required to comply with the above.

The council has stated their willingness to consider retrofit proposals on a case by case basis, considering the economic impact of such a retrofit.

We anticipate that any building with a capacity of less than 33% NBS (including consideration of critical structural weaknesses) will need to be strengthened to a target of 67% NBS of new building standard as recommended by the Policy.

If strengthening works are undertaken, a building consent will be required. A requirement of the consent will require upgrade of the building to comply 'as near as is reasonably practicable' with:

- ▶ The accessibility requirements of the Building Code.
- ▶ The fire requirements of the Building Code. This is likely to require a fire report to be submitted with the building consent application.

## **2.4 Building Code**

The building code outlines performance standards for buildings and the Building Act requires that all new buildings comply with this code. Compliance Documents published by The Department of Building and Housing can be used to demonstrate compliance with the Building Code.

After the February Earthquake, on 19 May 2011, Compliance Document B1: Structure was amended to include increased seismic design requirements for Canterbury as follows:

- ▶ Hazard Factor increased from 0.22 to 0.3 (36% increase in the basic seismic design load)
- ▶ Serviceability Return Period Factor increased from 0.25 to 0.33 (80% increase in the serviceability design loads when combined with the Hazard Factor increase)

The increase in the above factors has resulted in a reduction in the level of compliance of an existing building relative to a new building despite the capacity of the existing building not changing.

### 3. Earthquake Resistance Standards

For this assessment, the building’s earthquake resistance is compared with the current New Zealand Building Code requirements for a new building constructed on the site. This is expressed as a percentage of new building standard (%NBS). The new building standard load requirements have been determined in accordance with the current earthquake loading standard (NZS 1170.5:2004 Structural design actions - Earthquake actions - New Zealand).

The likely capacity of this building has been derived in accordance with the New Zealand Society for Earthquake Engineering (NZSEE) guidelines ‘Assessment and Improvement of the Structural Performance of Buildings in Earthquakes’ (AISPBE), 2006. These guidelines provide an Initial Evaluation Procedure that assesses a buildings capacity based on a comparison of loading codes from when the building was designed and currently. It is a quick high-level procedure that can be used when undertaking a Qualitative analysis of a building. The guidelines also provide guidance on calculating a modified Ultimate Limit State capacity of the building which is much more accurate and can be used when undertaking a Quantitative analysis.

The New Zealand Society for Earthquake Engineering has proposed a way for classifying earthquake risk for existing buildings in terms of %NBS and this is shown in Figure 3.1 below.

Description	Grade	Risk	%NBS	Existing Building Structural Performance	Improvement of Structural Performance	
					Legal Requirement	NZSEE Recommendation
Low Risk Building	A or B	Low	Above 67	Acceptable (improvement may be desirable)	The Building Act sets no required level of structural improvement (unless change in use) This is for each TA to decide. Improvement is not limited to 34%NBS.	100%NBS desirable. Improvement should achieve at least 67%NBS
Moderate Risk Building	B or C	Moderate	34 to 66	Acceptable legally. Improvement recommended		Not recommended. Acceptable only in exceptional circumstances
High Risk Building	D or E	High	33 or lower	Unacceptable (Improvement)	Unacceptable	Unacceptable

**Figure 3.1 NZSEE Risk Classifications Extracted from table 2.2 of the NZSEE 2006 AISPBE**

Table 3.1 compares the percentage NBS to the relative risk of the building failing in a seismic event with a 10% risk of exceedance in 50 years (i.e. 0.2% in the next year). It is noted that the current seismic risk in Christchurch results in a 6% risk of exceedance in the next year.

Percentage of New Building Standard (%NBS)	Relative Risk (Approximate)
>100	<1 time
80-100	1-2 times
67-80	2-5 times
33-67	5-10 times
20-33	10-25 times
<20	>25 times

**Table 3.1 %NBS compared to relative risk of failure**

## 4. Building Description

### 4.1 General

The Park Toilet is located at 130 Hussey Road within Styx Mill Reserve in Harewood. The building is relatively isolated surrounded by park reserve to the south and west, and few houses to the north and east, roughly 100m away.

The building is a single storey public toilet. The building is approximately 4m long, 2.5m wide and 3.5m in height. The overall footprint of the building is approximately 10m<sup>2</sup>. The building was constructed on 1996. No alterations have been made to the building since construction. Plan and cross section details are shown in Figures 4.1 to 4.3.

The steel roof structure consists of 100x50 RHS steel trusses (spaced at 2m), 100x50 RHS ridge beam with 150x50 timber purlins (spaced at 0.88m) clad with 0.55mm corrugated metal sheeting.

Filled reinforced 150 series concrete masonry walls clad with ceramic tiles (internally) form the external perimeter walls and 100x50 timber framing with timber diagonal bracings clad with ceramic tiles form the internal partition walls.

The building's foundation consists of concrete strip footings to the external perimeter connected to the 100mm concrete floor slab founded on 150mm hardfill.

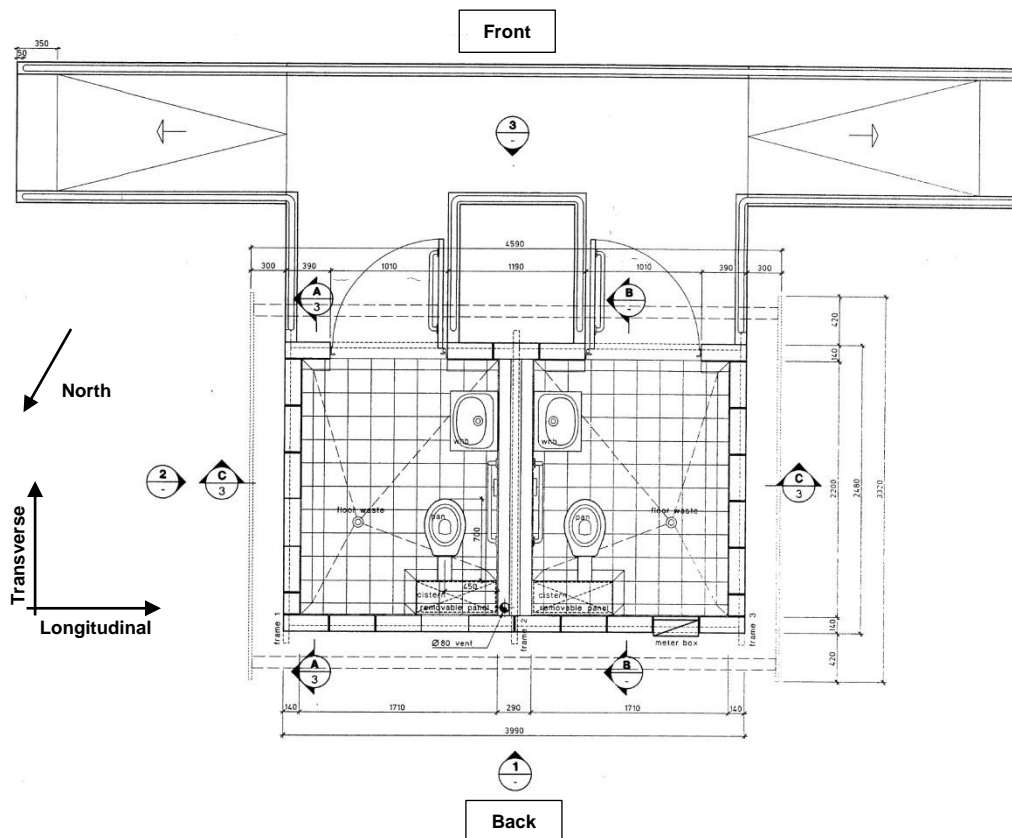


Figure 4.1 Plan View

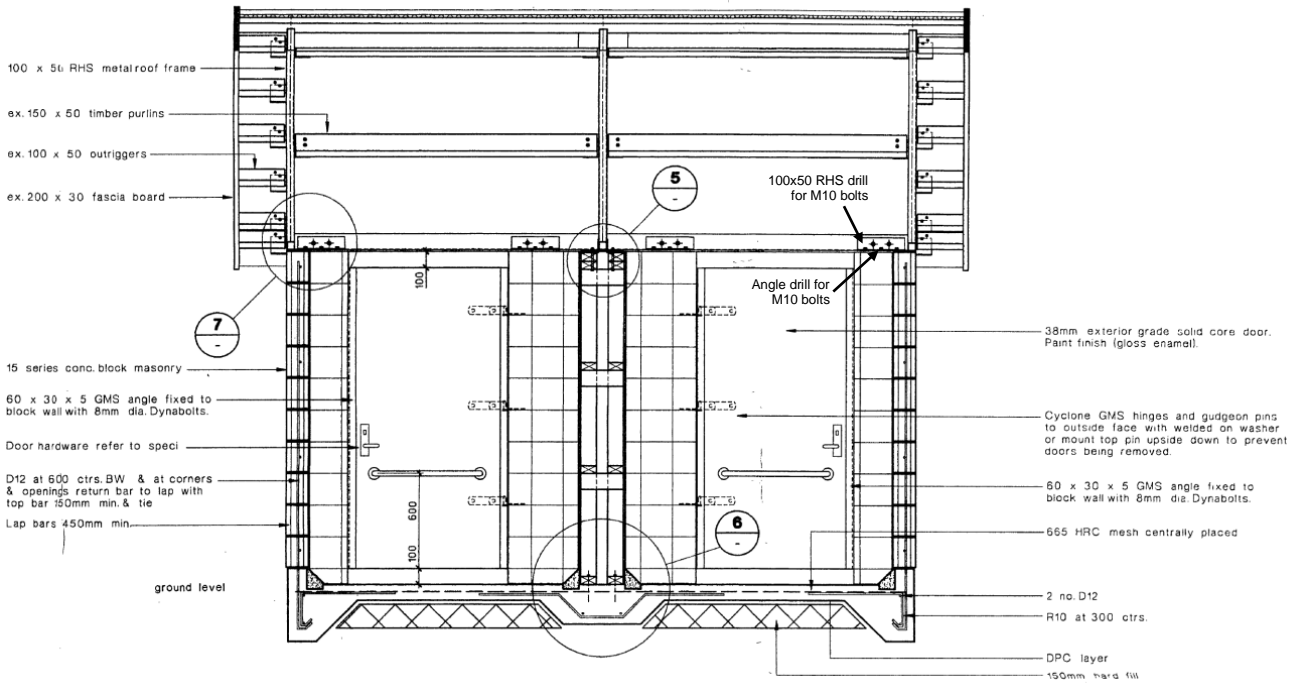


Figure 4.2 Section C-C

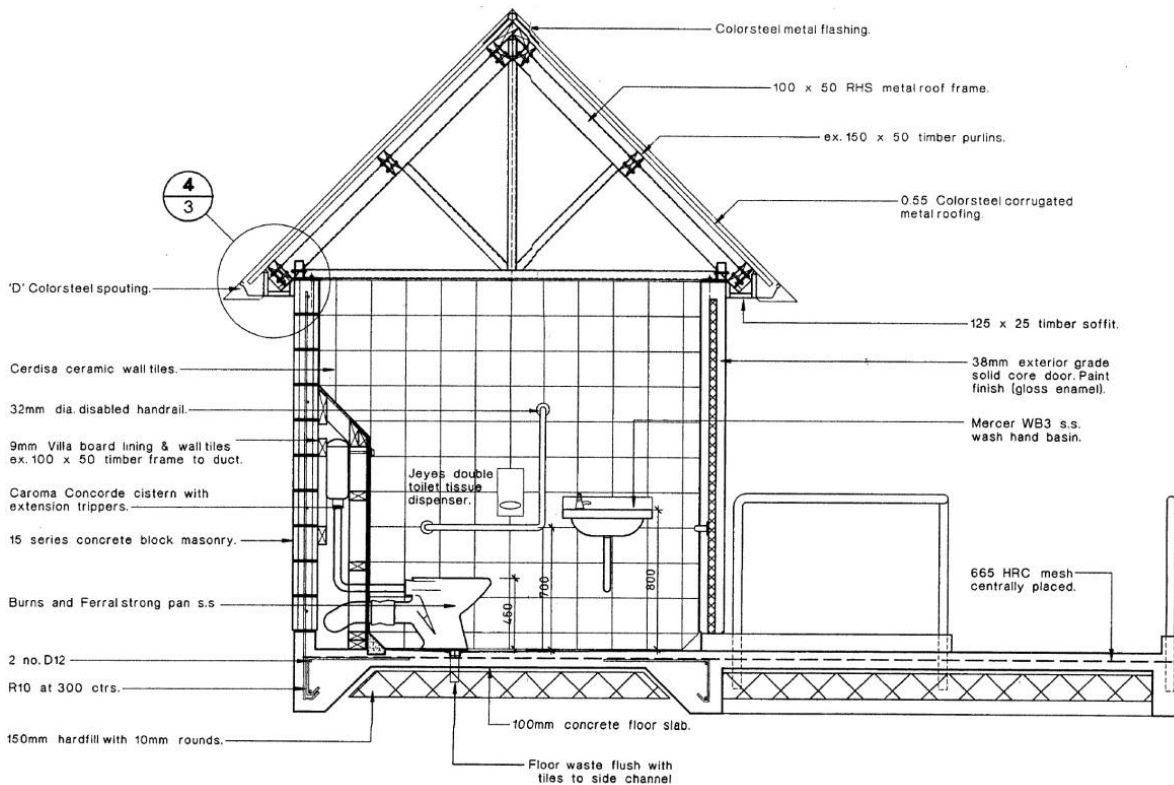


Figure 4.3 Section B-B

## **4.2 Gravity Load Resisting System**

Gravity loads are carried by the corrugated metal cladding, which is supported by timber purlins spanning in the longitudinal direction. Gravity loads are then transferred to the steel roof trusses which span the building in the transverse direction. Loads from the trusses are transferred to the concrete masonry walls, through the concrete strip footings to the external perimeter and into the ground. Floor gravity loads are transferred through the reinforced concrete floor slab and compacted hardfill and into the ground.

## **4.3 Lateral Load Resisting System**

In the longitudinal direction, the lateral loads are resisted primarily by the concrete masonry walls at the front and rear of the building. Due to the two door openings, the steel beams connected to the top of the masonry walls create a frame action which partly resists the lateral loads to the front half of the building. Due to the close spacing of the roof trusses and masonry walls and corrugated metal cladding, diaphragm action in the steel roof structure also transfer lateral loads to the more substantial rear concrete masonry walls.

Lateral loads in the transverse direction are resisted primarily by the transverse concrete masonry walls. These walls transfer lateral loads into the concrete slabs and strip footings, which transfer the lateral loads into the ground.

## 5. Assessment

An inspection of the building was undertaken on the 17<sup>th</sup> of April 2012. Both the interior and exterior of the building was inspected. No placard was observed. The main structural components of the building including the roof structure were all able to be viewed. No inspection of the foundations of the structure was able to be undertaken.

The inspection consisted of observing the building to determine the structural systems and likely behaviour of the building during earthquake. The site was assessed for damage, including observing the ground conditions, checking for damage areas where damage would be expected for the structure type observed and noting general damage observed throughout the building in both structural and non-structural elements.

The %NBS score is determined using the IEP procedure described by the NZSEE which is based on the information obtained from visual observation of the building and the available planning drawings.



## 6. Damage Assessment

### 6.1 Surrounding Buildings

The Park toilet at Styx Mill Reserve is an isolated building. The closest buildings include the Equipment Shed and a few residential buildings which are located approximately 100m from the toilet.

No damage to these buildings was observed during the site inspection.

### 6.2 Residual Displacements and General Observations

No apparent damage was noted throughout the building.

### 6.3 Ground Damage

No ground damage was observed during our inspection of the site.

## 7. Critical Structural Weakness

### 7.1 Short Columns

The building does not contain any short columns.

### 7.2 Lift Shaft

The building does not contain a lift shaft.

### 7.3 Roof

A lack of roof bracing was observed but was not regarded as a Critical Structural Weakness in this case due to the close spacing of the roof trusses and masonry walls and corrugated metal cladding.

### 7.4 Plan Irregularity

In the longitudinal direction, the lateral loads are resisted by the concrete masonry walls located at the front and rear of the building. Due to the two door openings, the lateral loads acting on the front of the building are partly resisted by the frame action created by the steel beams connected to the masonry walls. This difference in stiffness may create some torsional effect; however, it is not regarded as a 'significant' Critical Structural Weakness due to the close spacing of the concrete masonry walls.

### 7.5 Vertical Irregularity

The building does not qualify as vertically irregular according to IEP standard.

### 7.6 Staircases

The building has no staircase.

## 8. Geotechnical Consideration

### 8.1 Site Description

The Styx Mill Conservation Reserve is situated in Harewood, Christchurch. The reserve is flat at 20m above mean sea level and it's approximately 4km south of the Waimakariri River, and 7km west of the coast.

### 8.2 Published Information on Ground Conditions

#### 8.2.1 Published Geology

The geological map of the area<sup>1</sup> indicates that the site is underlain by:

- grey river alluvium beneath plains or low-level terraces (Q1a), Holocene in age.

#### 8.2.2 Environment Canterbury Logs

Information from Environment Canterbury (ECan) indicates that a number of boreholes are located within a 200m radius of the site.

Of these boreholes, only one had lithographic logs (see Table 3), which indicates that the area is typically underlain by clay in the shallow part, followed by the gravel.

**Table 2 ECan Borehole Summary**

Bore Name	Log Depth	Groundwater	Distance & Direction from Site
M35/5525	8.8m	1.1m bgl	100m N of the site

It should be noted that the purpose of the boreholes the well logs are associated with, were sunk for groundwater extraction and not for geotechnical purposes. Therefore, the amount of material recovered and available for interpretation and recording will have been variable at best and may not be representative. The logs have been written by the well driller and not a geotechnical professional or to a standard. In addition strength data is not recorded.

#### 8.2.3 EQC Geotechnical Investigations

The Earthquake Commission has not undertaken geotechnical testing in the area of the subject site.

#### 8.2.4 Land Zoning

Canterbury Earthquake Recovery Authority (CERA) has not published any information for this site.

<sup>1</sup> Forsythe P.J., Barrell D.J.A., & Jongens R. 2008: *Geology of the Christchurch Area*. Institute of Geological and Nuclear Sciences 1:250,000 Geological Map 16. Lower Hutt. Institute of Geological and Nuclear Sciences Limited.

### 8.2.5 Post February Aerial Photography

Aerial photography taken following the 22 February 2011 earthquake doesn't show the clear signs of liquefaction, as shown in Figure 4.

**Figure 4 Post February 2011 Earthquake Aerial Photography** <sup>2</sup>



### 8.2.6 Summary of Ground Conditions

From the information presented above, it is anticipated that ground conditions at the subject site comprise alluvial deposits. However, limited information on particle sizes or density was readily available.

## 8.3 Seismicity

### 8.3.1 Nearby Faults

There are many faults in the Canterbury region, however only those considered most likely to have an adverse effect on the site are detailed below.

<sup>2</sup> Aerial Photography Supplied by Coordinates sourced from <http://koordinates.com/layer/3185-christchurch-post-earthquake-aerial-photos-24-feb-2011/>

**Table 3 Summary of Known Active Faults**<sup>3,4</sup>

Known Active Fault	Distance from Site	Direction from Site	Max Likely Magnitude	Avg Recurrence Interval
Alpine Fault	130 km	NW	~8.3	~300 years
Greendale (2010) Fault	30 km	SW	7.1	~15,000 years
Hope Fault	100 km	N	7.2~7.5	120~200 years
Kelly Fault	110 km	NW	7.2	150 years
Porters Pass Fault	60 km	NW	7.0	1100 years

Recent earthquakes since 22 February 2011 have identified the presence of a previously unmapped active fault system underneath Christchurch City and the Port Hills. Research and published information on this system is in development and not generally available. Average recurrence intervals are yet to be estimated.

### 8.3.2 Ground Shaking Hazard

This seismic activity has produced earthquakes of Magnitude-6.3 with peak ground accelerations (PGA) up to twice the acceleration due to gravity (2g) in some parts of the city. This has resulted in widespread liquefaction throughout Christchurch.

New Zealand Standard NZS 1170.5:2004 quantifies the Seismic Hazard factor for Christchurch as 0.30, being in a moderate to high earthquake zone. This value has been provisionally upgraded recently (from 0.22) to reflect the seismicity hazard observed in the earthquakes since 4 September 2010.

In addition, anticipation of marine and/or estuarine sands of varying density, a 475-year PGA (peak ground acceleration) of ~0.4 (Stirling et al, 2002<sup>3</sup>), and bedrock anticipated to be in excess of 500m deep, and hence ground shaking is likely to be relatively high.

### 8.3.3 Slope Failure and/or Rockfall Potential

Given the site's location, a flat suburb in northeast Christchurch, global slope instability is considered negligible. However, any localised retaining structures or embankments should be further investigated to determine the site-specific slope instability potential.

### 8.3.4 Liquefaction Potential

It is not clear from the post-earthquake aerial photography (Figure 4) whether liquefaction has occurred at the site.

Ground investigation should be undertaken to better understand the liquefaction potential of the site and allow a liquefaction assessment to be undertaken.

<sup>3</sup> Stirling, M.W, McVerry, G.H, and Berryman K.R. (2002) A New Seismic Hazard Model for New Zealand, Bulletin of the Seismological Society of America, Vol. 92 No. 5, pp 1878-1903, June 2002.

<sup>4</sup> GNS Active Faults Database

## **8.4 Recommendations**

A soil class of **D/E** (in accordance with NZS 1170.5:2004) should be adopted for the site. The soil class can be confirmed following assessment of adequate intrusive ground investigation information.

It is recommended that one machine-drilled borehole and two piezocone CPT investigations be conducted to target depth of 20m. This will allow a liquefaction assessment to be undertaken.

## **8.5 Conclusions & Summary**

This assessment is based on a review of the geology and existing ground investigation information, and observations from the Christchurch earthquakes since 4 September 2010. However, limited ground information was available for the subject site.

It is recommended that intrusive investigation comprising one machine-drilled borehole and two piezocone CPTs should be conducted to target depth of 20m.

## 9. Survey

No level or verticality survey has been undertaken for this building at this stage, in accordance with Christchurch City Council guidelines.

## 10. Initial Capacity Assessment

### 10.1 % NBS Assessment

The building's capacity was assessed using the Initial Evaluation Procedure based on the information available. The building's capacity is expressed as a percentage of new building standard (%NBS) and is in the order of that shown below. This capacity is subject to confirmation by a more detailed quantitative analysis which is more detailed.

<u>Item</u>	<u>%NBS</u>
Building's seismic capacity (No CSW observed)	93

Following an IEP assessment, the building has been assessed as achieving 93% New Building Standard (NBS). Under the New Zealand Society for Earthquake Engineering (NZSEE) guidelines the building is not considered potentially Earthquake Risk as it achieves greater than 67% NBS.

### 10.2 Seismic Parameters

The seismic design parameters based on current design requirements from NZS1170:2002 and the NZBC clause B1 for this building are:

- ▶ Site soil class: E, NZS 1170.5:2004, Clause 3.1.3, Very soft soil
- ▶ Site hazard factor,  $Z = 0.3$ , NZBC, Clause B1 Structure, Amendment 11 effective from 1 August 2011
- ▶ Return period factor  $R_u = 1.0$ , NZS 1170.5:2004, Table 3.5, Importance level 2 structure with a 50 year design life.

Several key seismic parameters that have influenced the %NBS score obtained from the IEP assessment. An increased  $Z$  factor of 0.3 for Christchurch has been used in line with recommendations from the Department of Building and Housing recommendations resulting in a reduced % NBS score.

### 10.3 Expected Structural Ductility Factor

A structural ductility factor of 1.25 has been assumed. This is based on the concrete masonry wall system observed in both directions.

### 10.4 Discussion of Results

The original building was constructed in 1996 and was likely designed to the loading standard current at the time, NZS 4203:1992. The design loads used in this standard are likely to have been less than those required by the current loading standard. When combined with the increase in the hazard factor for Christchurch to 0.3 and soil class E for very soft soil sites, it is reasonable to expect that the building would not achieve 100% NBS.

### 10.5 Occupancy

The building does not pose an immediate risk to users and occupants as no collapse hazards have been identified.



## 11. Initial Conclusions

The building has been assessed to have a seismic capacity in the order of 93% NBS and is therefore not a potential Earthquake Risk.

## 12. Recommendations

It is recommended that:

- c) As the building does not have any apparent damage and has achieved greater than 67% NBS following an initial IEP assessment, the building can remain occupied as per Christchurch City Council's policy.
- d) No detailed quantitative assessment is required.

# 13. Limitations

## 13.1 General

This report has been prepared subject to the following limitations:

- No intrusive structural investigations have been undertaken.
- No intrusive geotechnical investigations have been undertaken.
- No level or verticality surveys have been undertaken.
- No material testing has been undertaken.
- No calculations have been performed, other than those included as part of the IEP in the CERA Building Evaluation to be used for their purposes only. GHD accepts no responsibility for any other party or person who relies on the information contained in this report.

It is noted that this report has been prepared at the request of Christchurch City Council and is intended to be used for their purposes only. GHD accepts no responsibility for any other party or person who relies on the information contained in this report.

## 13.2 Geotechnical Limitations

This report presents the results of a geotechnical appraisal prepared for the purpose of this commission, and prepared solely for the use of Christchurch City Council and their advisors. The data and advice provided herein related only to the project and structures described herein and must be reviewed by a competent geotechnical engineer before being used for any other purpose. GHD Limited (GHD) accepts no responsibility for other use of the data.

The advice tendered in this report is based on a visual geotechnical appraisal. No subsurface investigations have been conducted. An assessment of the topographical land features have been made based on this information. It is emphasised that geotechnical conditions may vary substantially across the site from where observations have been made. Subsurface conditions, including groundwater levels can change in a limited distance or time. In evaluation of this report cognisance should be taken of the limitations of this type of investigation.

An understanding of the geotechnical site conditions depends on the integration of many pieces of information, some regional, some site specific, some structure specific and some experienced based. Hence this report should not be altered, amended or abbreviated, issued in part and issued incomplete in any way without prior checking and approval by GHD. GHD accepts no responsibility for any circumstances, which arise from the issue of the report, which have been modified in any way as outlined above.

Appendix A  
Photographs



Photo 1 Aerial photograph showing location of Styx Mill Reserve Park Toilet.



Photo 2 Park Toilet (Front, photo is taken facing northwest).





Photo 3 Park Toilet (Sideways, photo is taken facing northeast).



Photo 4 Park Toilet (Rear, photo is taken facing northeast).



Photo 5 Park Toilet (Sideways, photo is taken facing southwest).



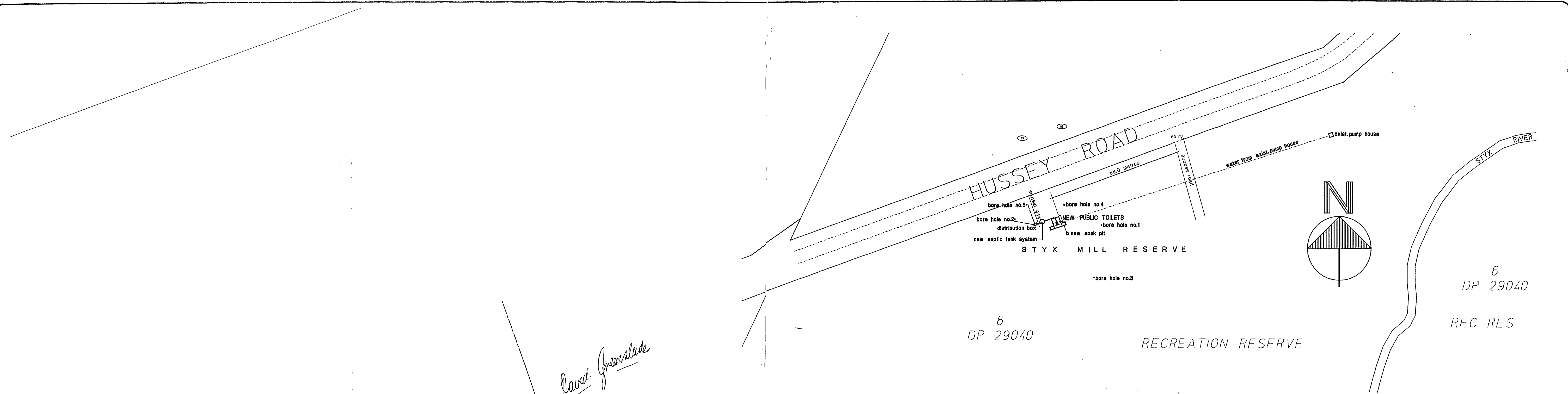
Photo 6 View of the roof structure.



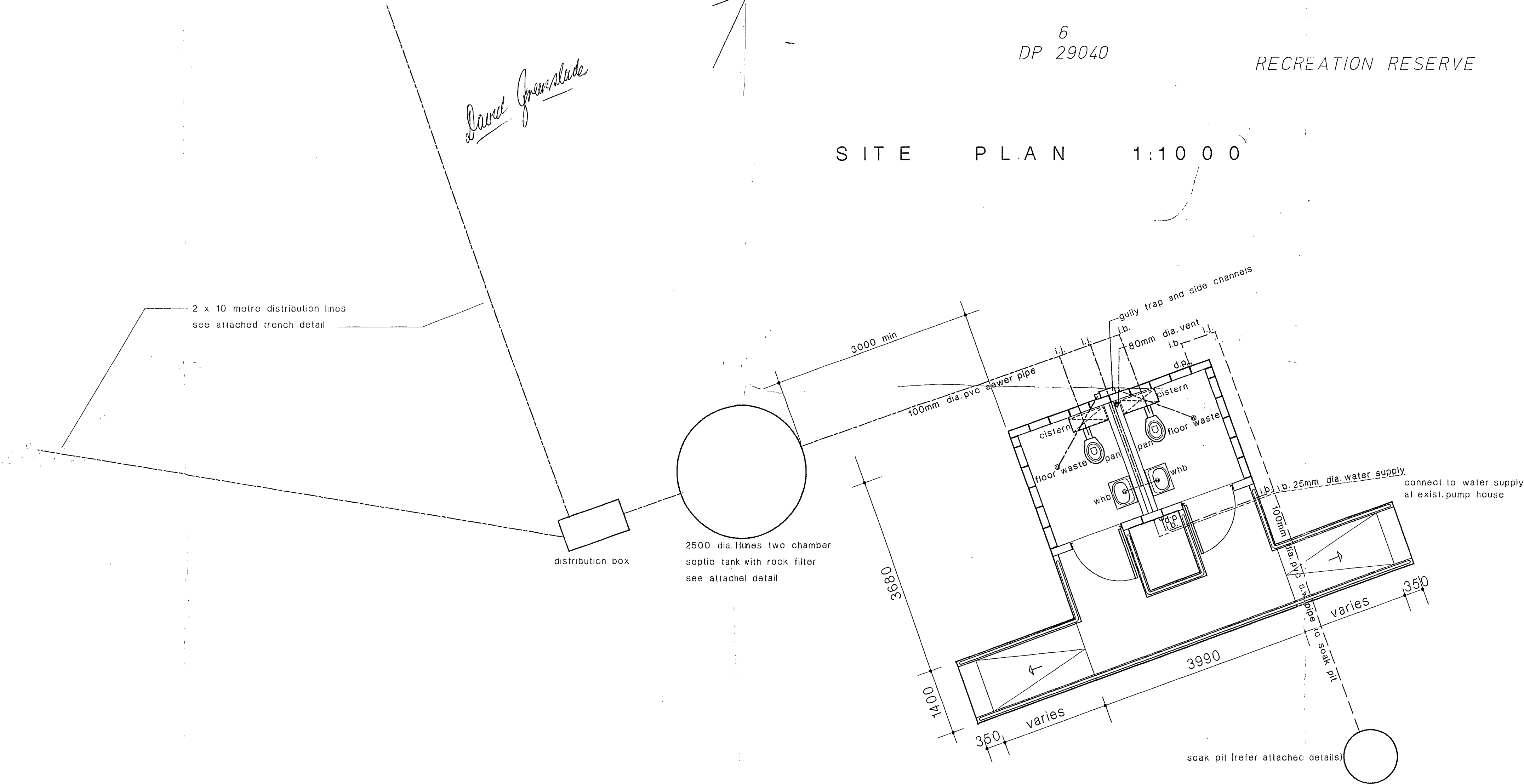
Photo 7 View of ceramic tiles cladding the perimeter and partition walls.



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Existing Drawings



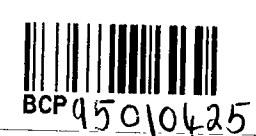
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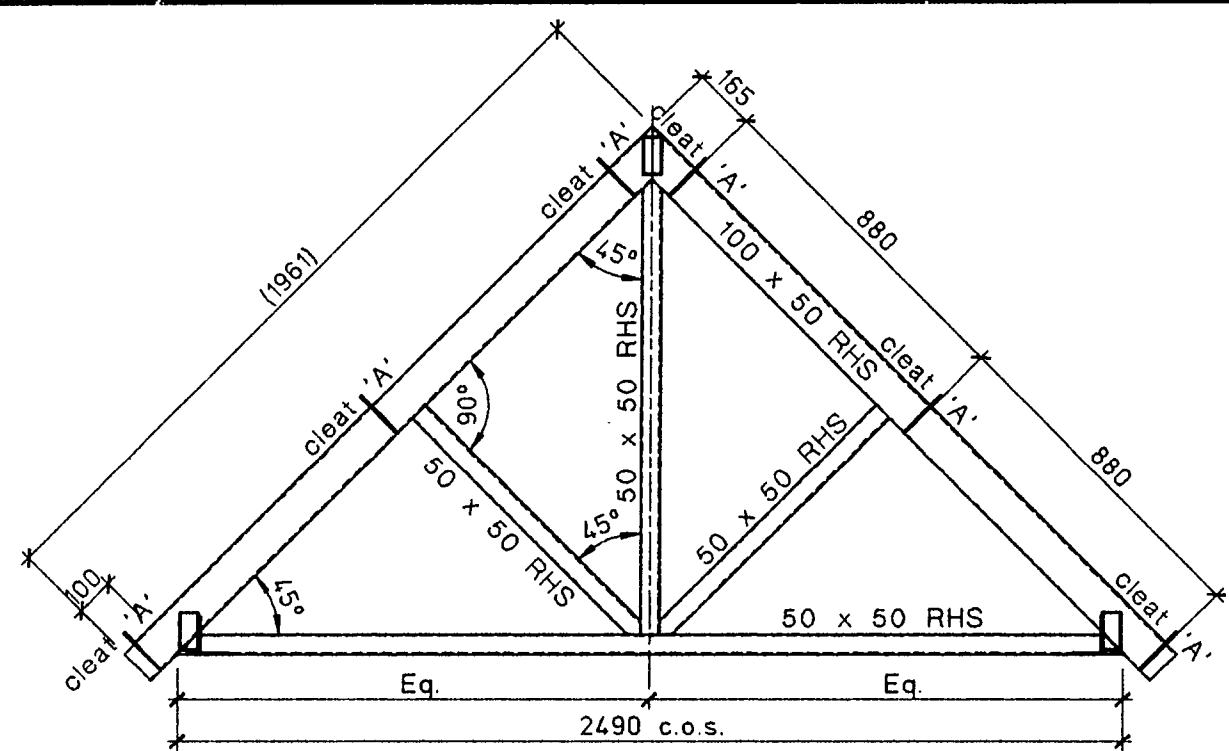
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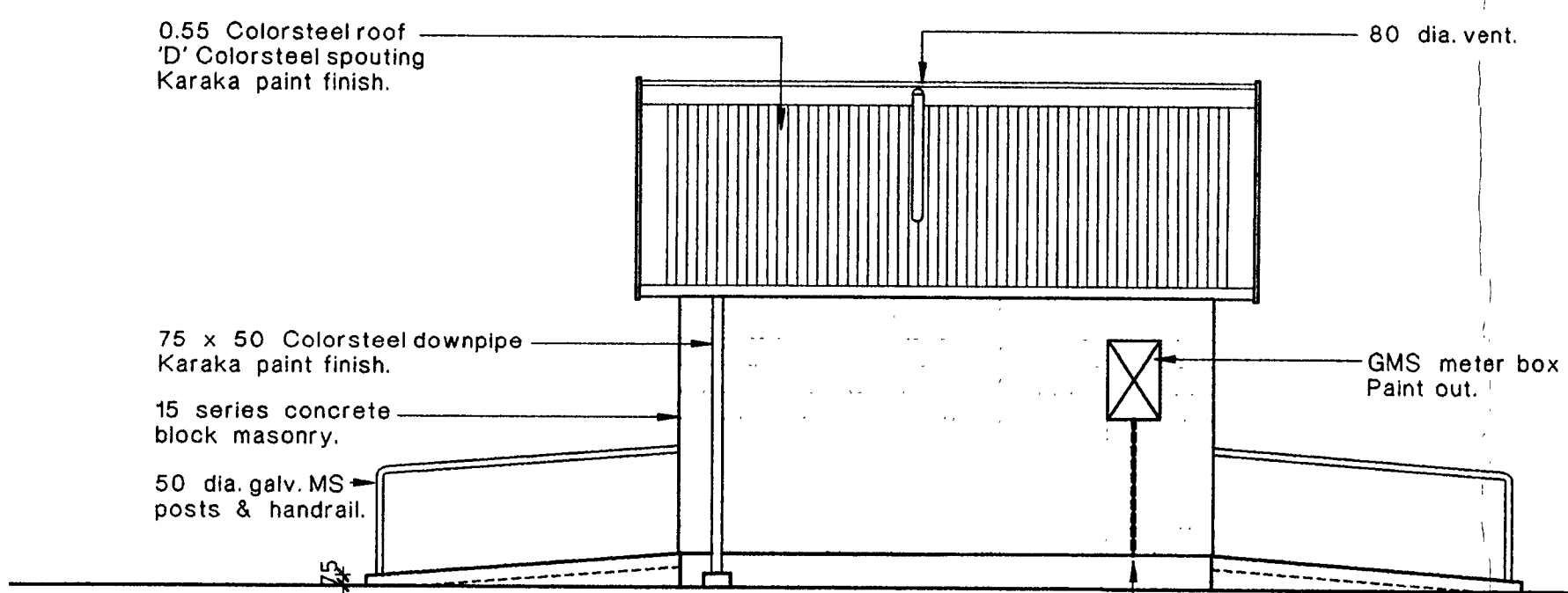
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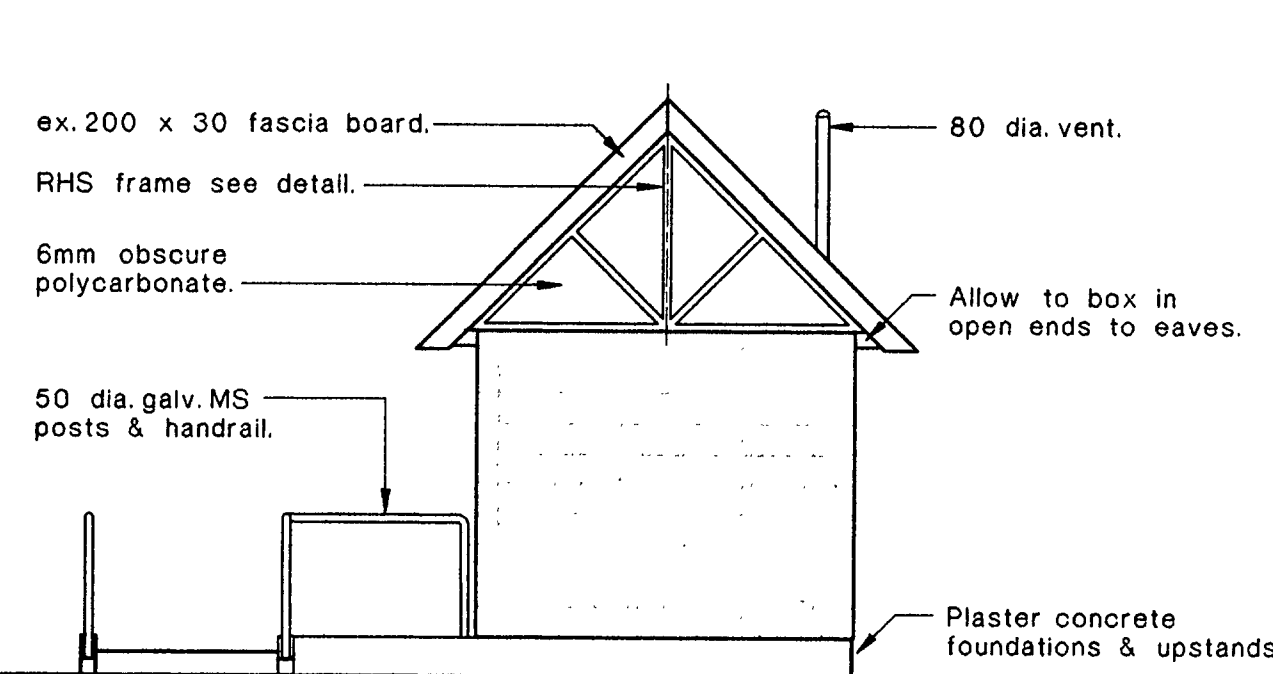
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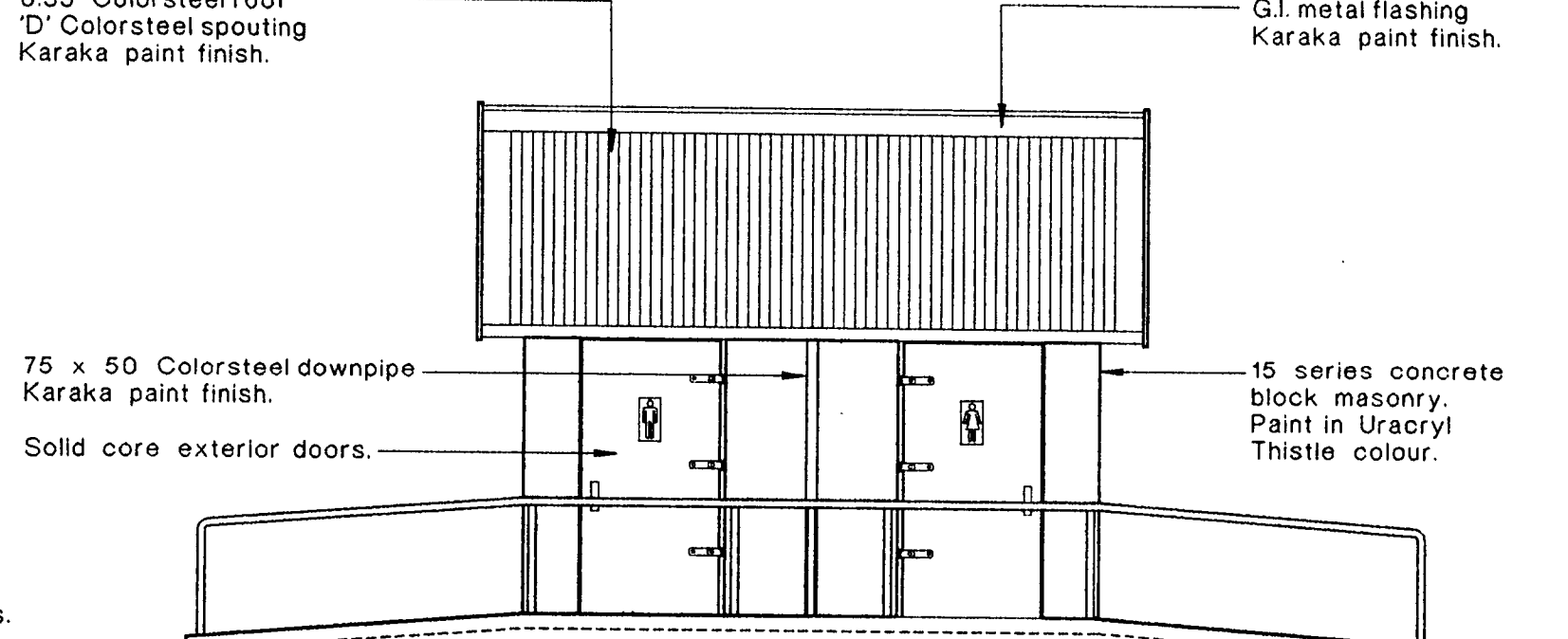
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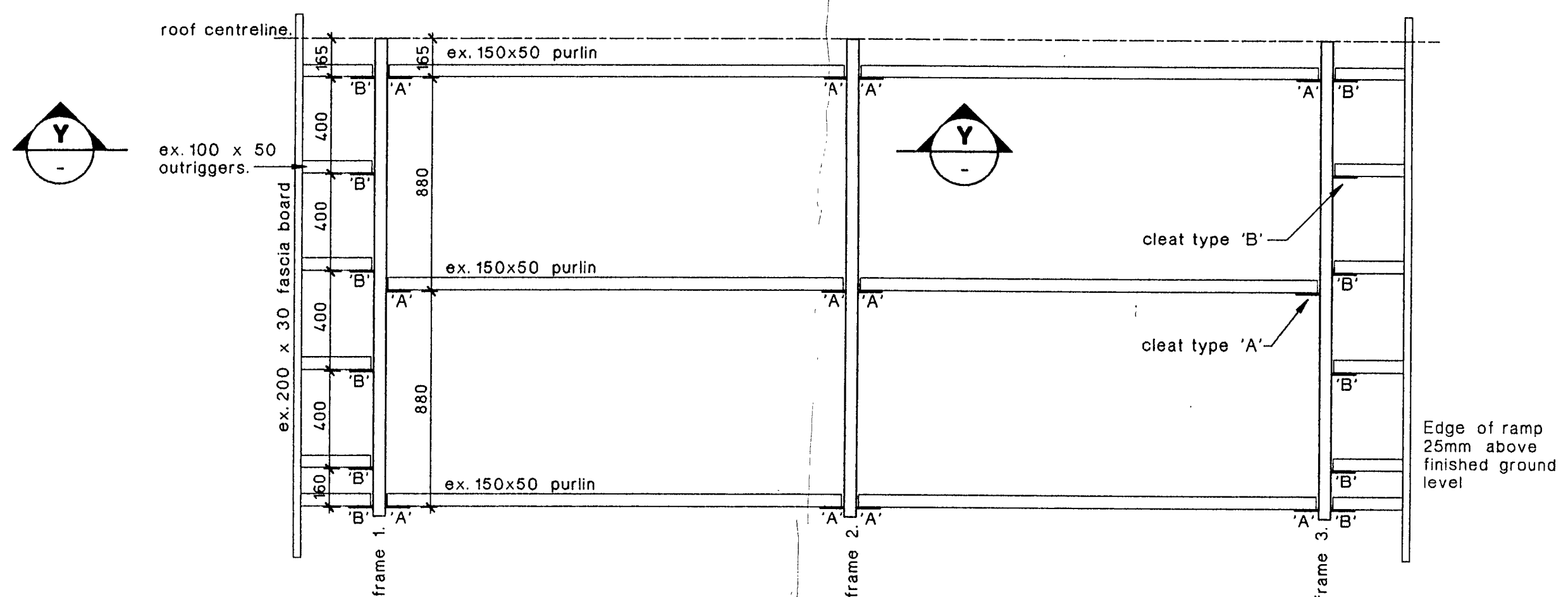
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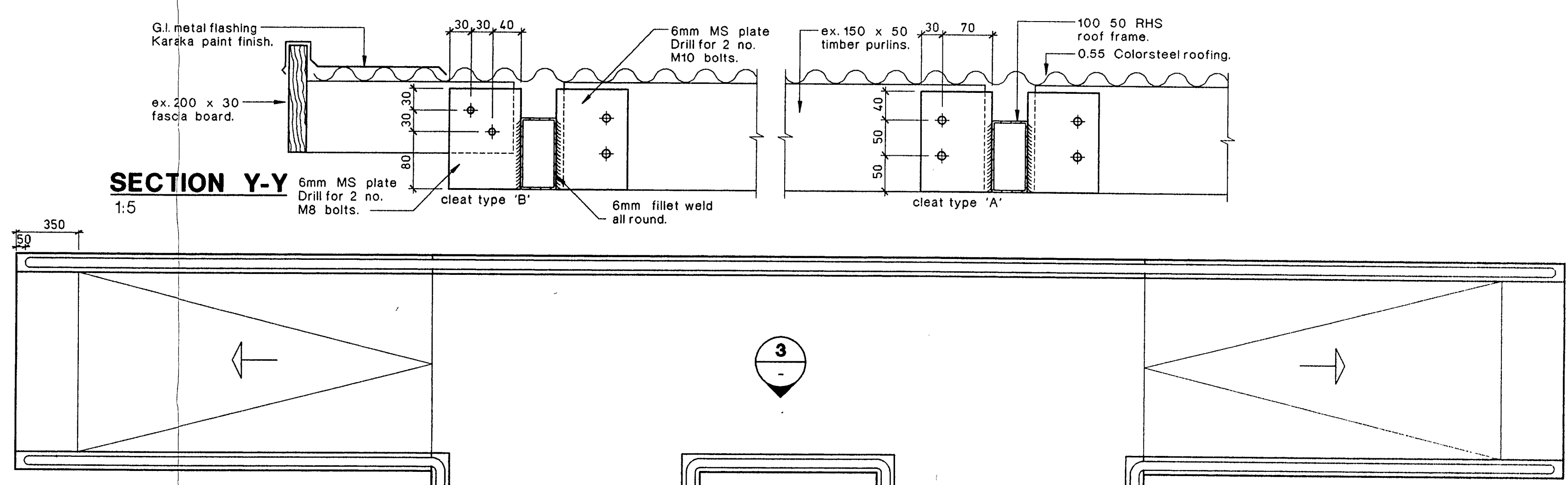
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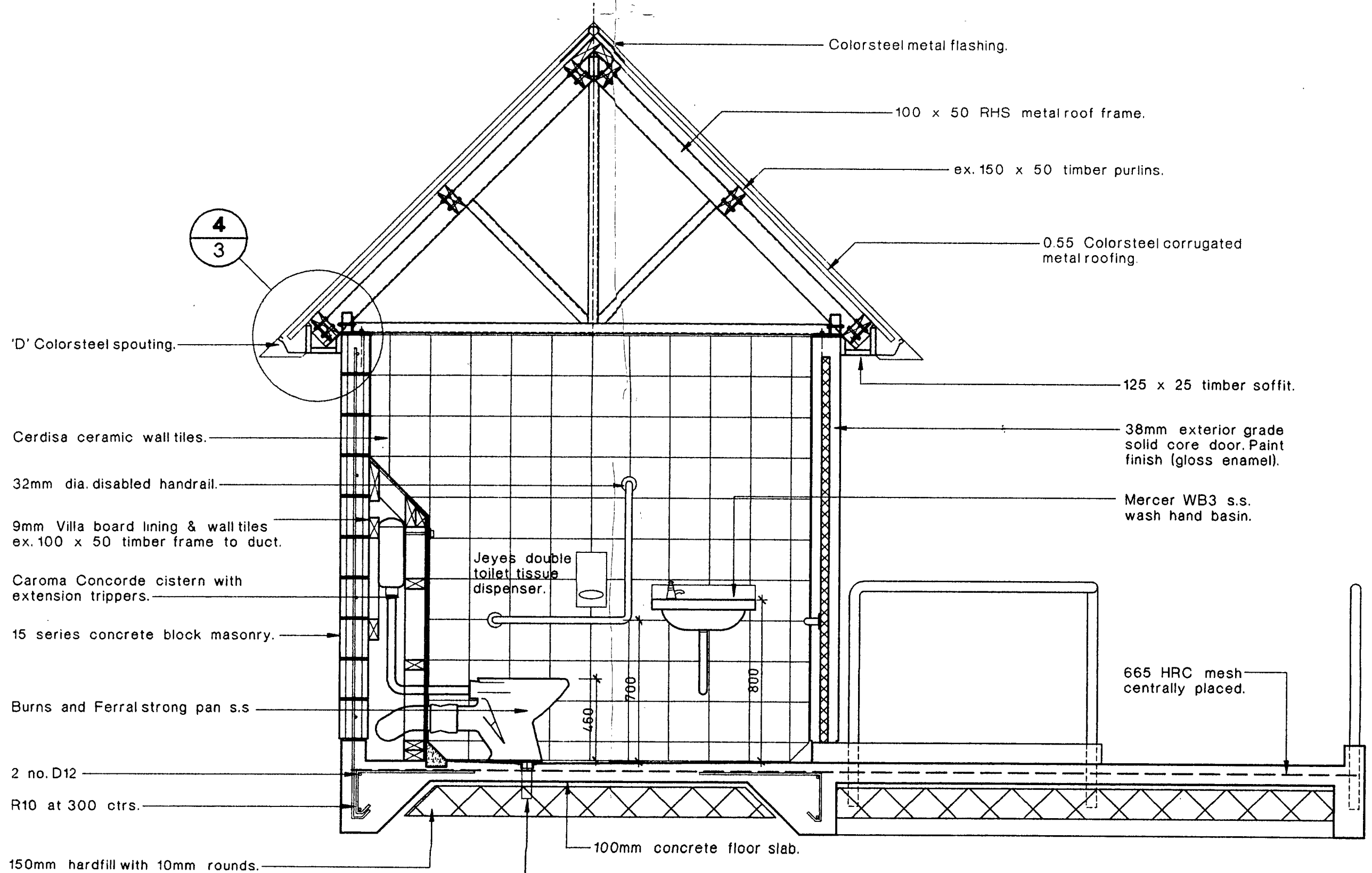
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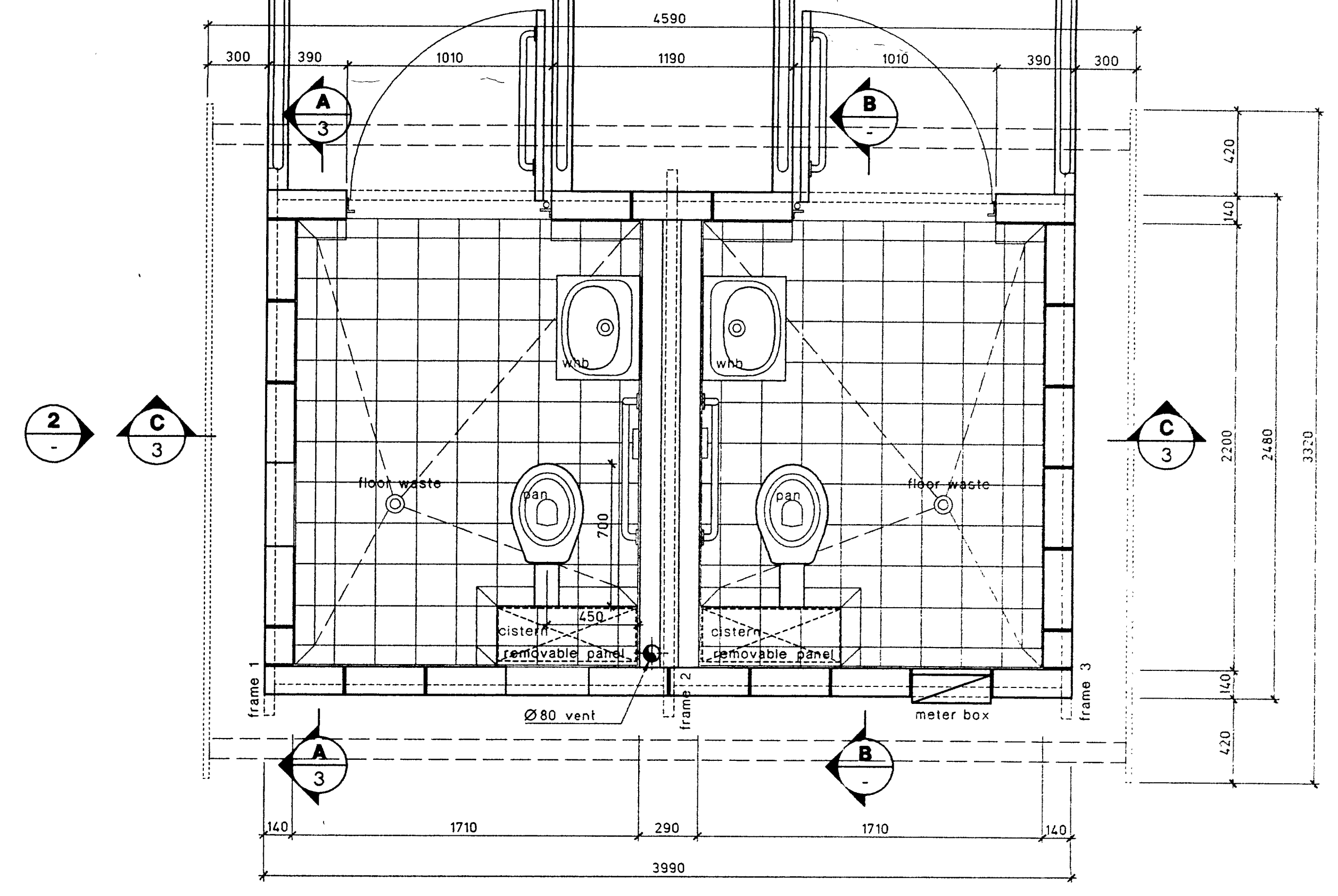
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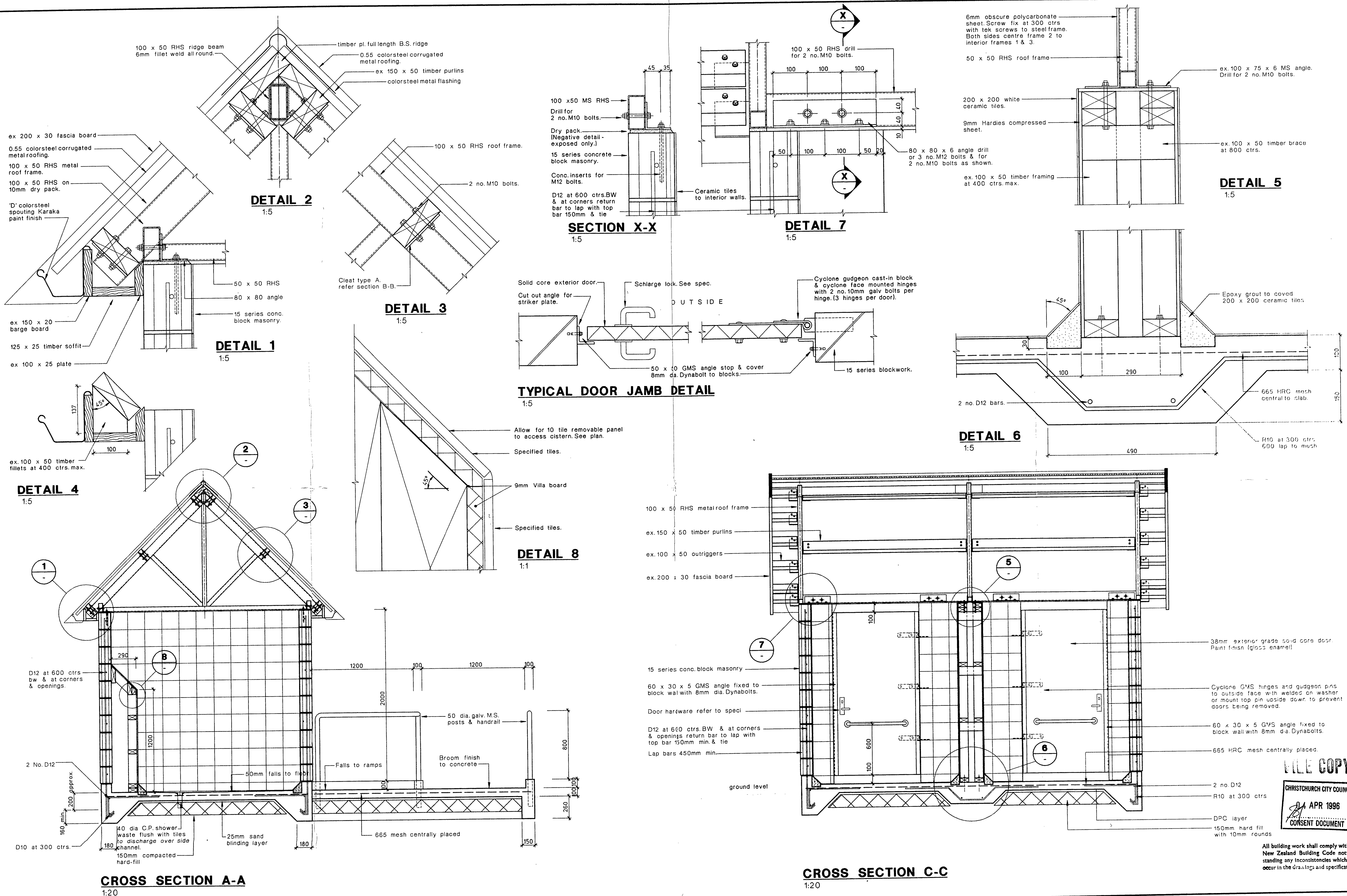
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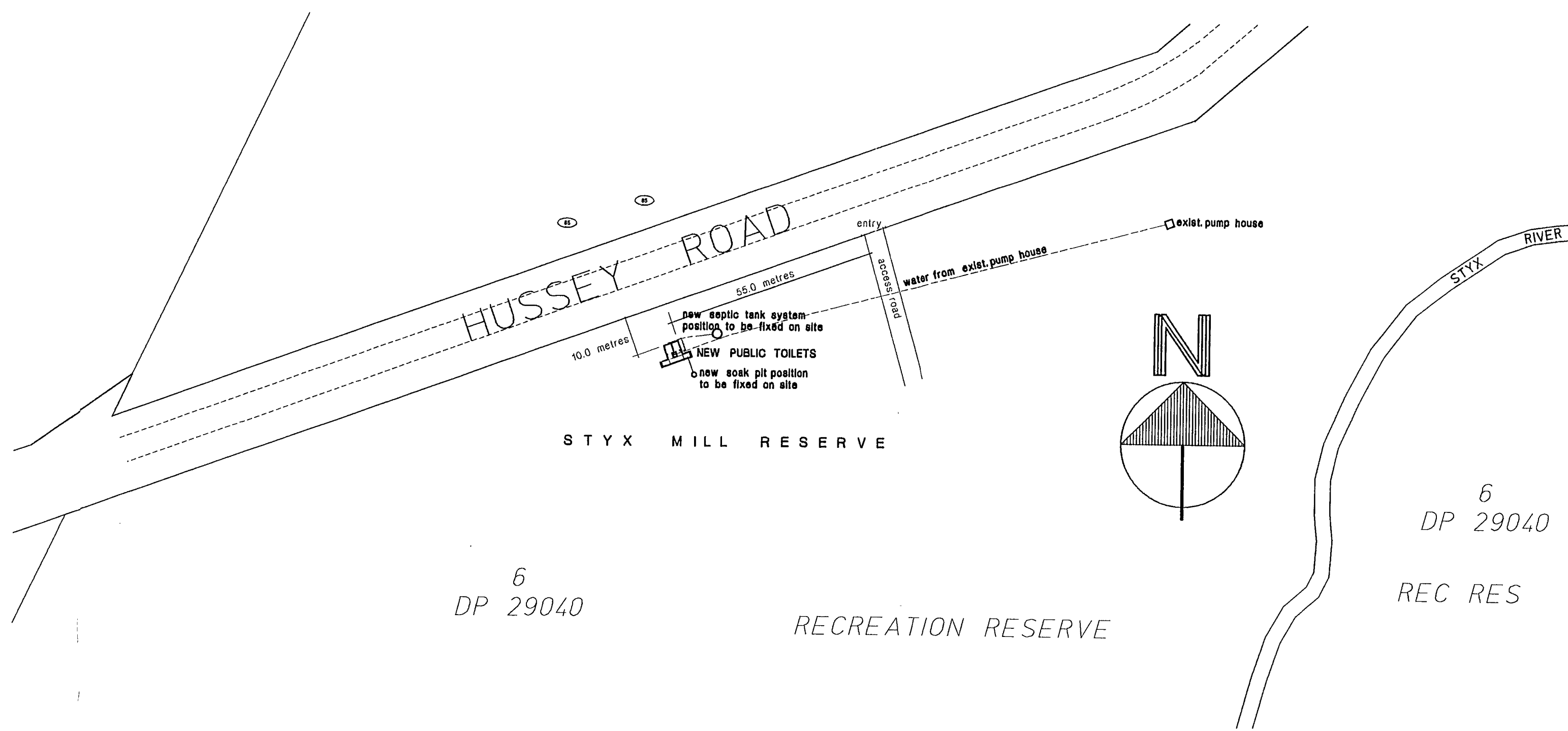
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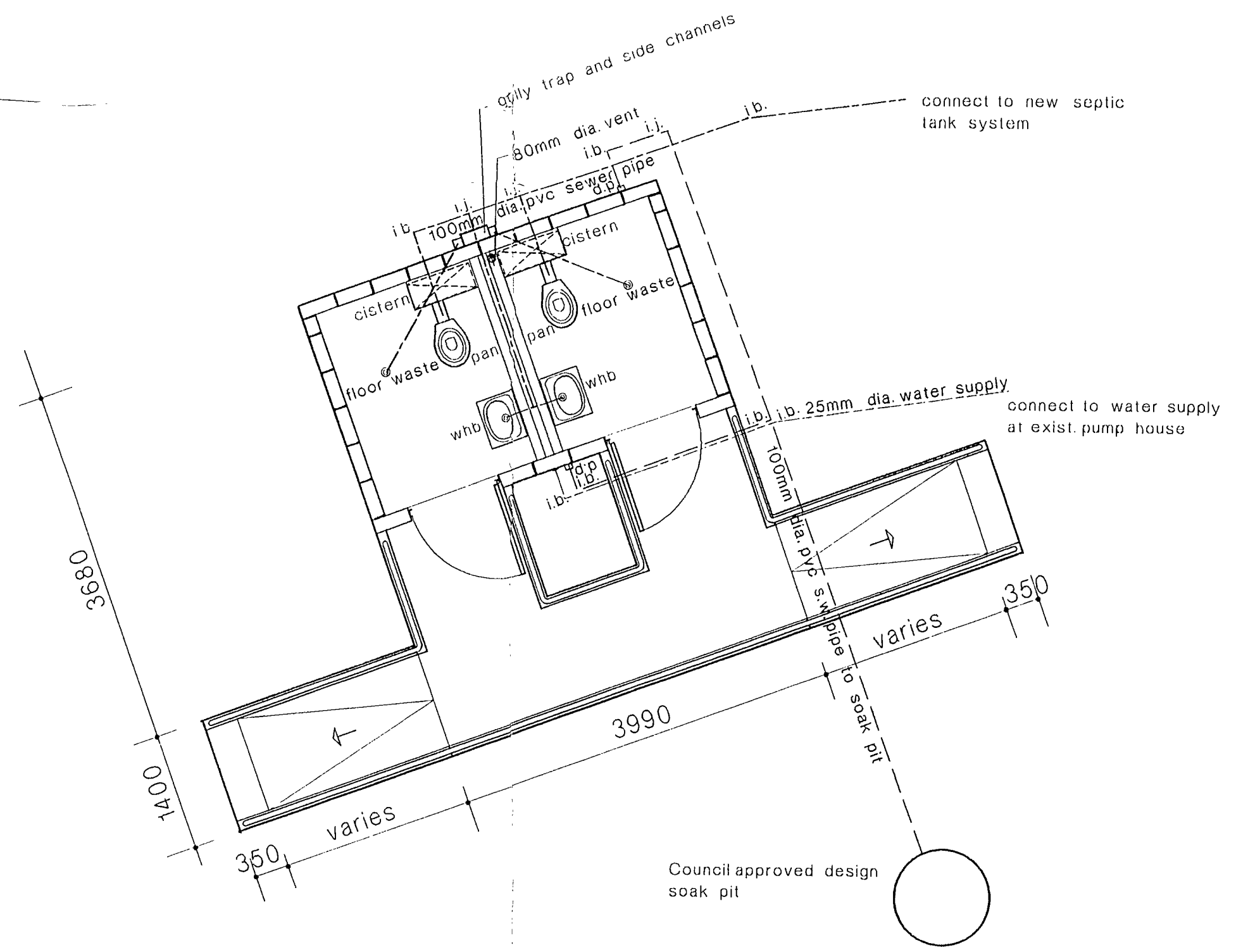
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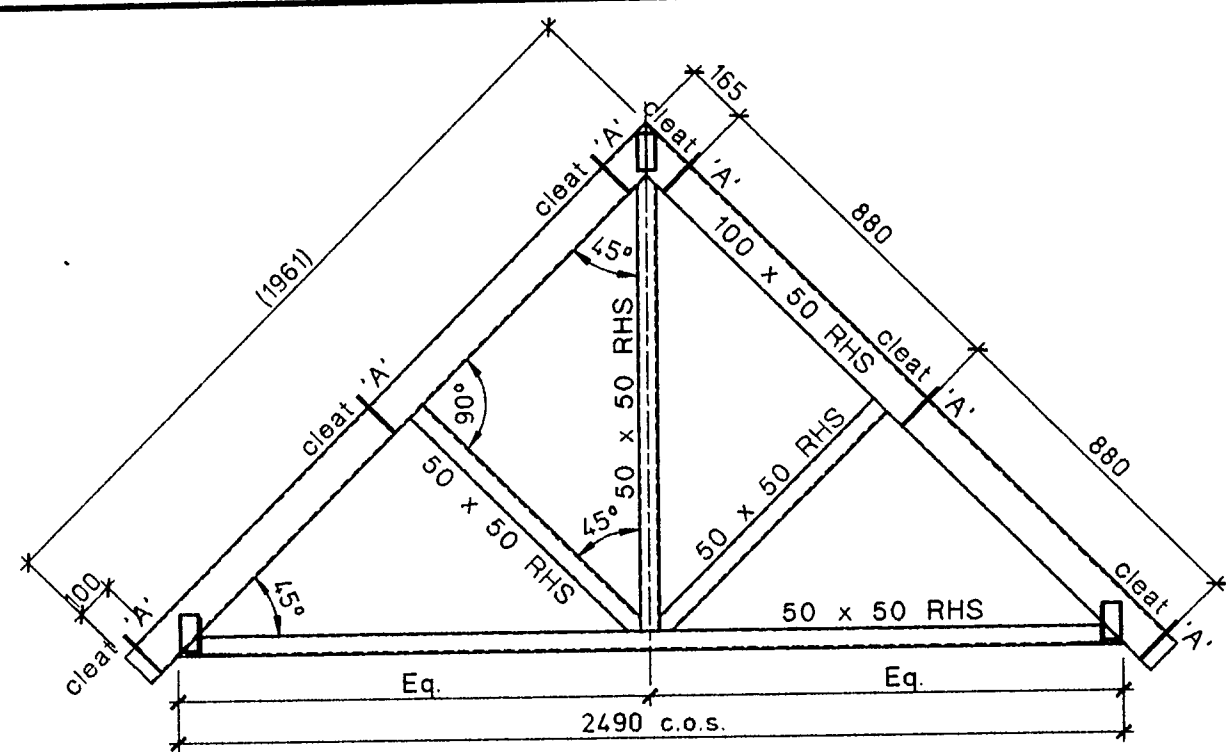
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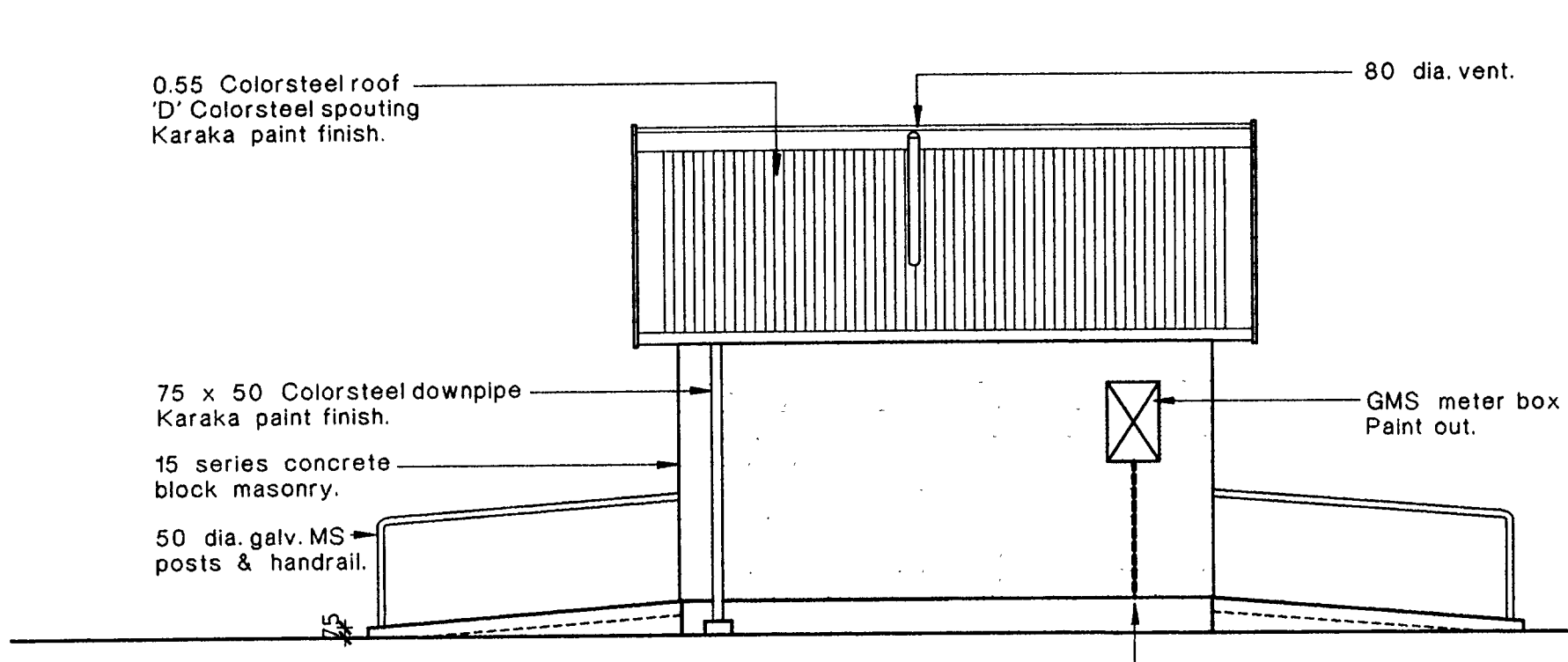
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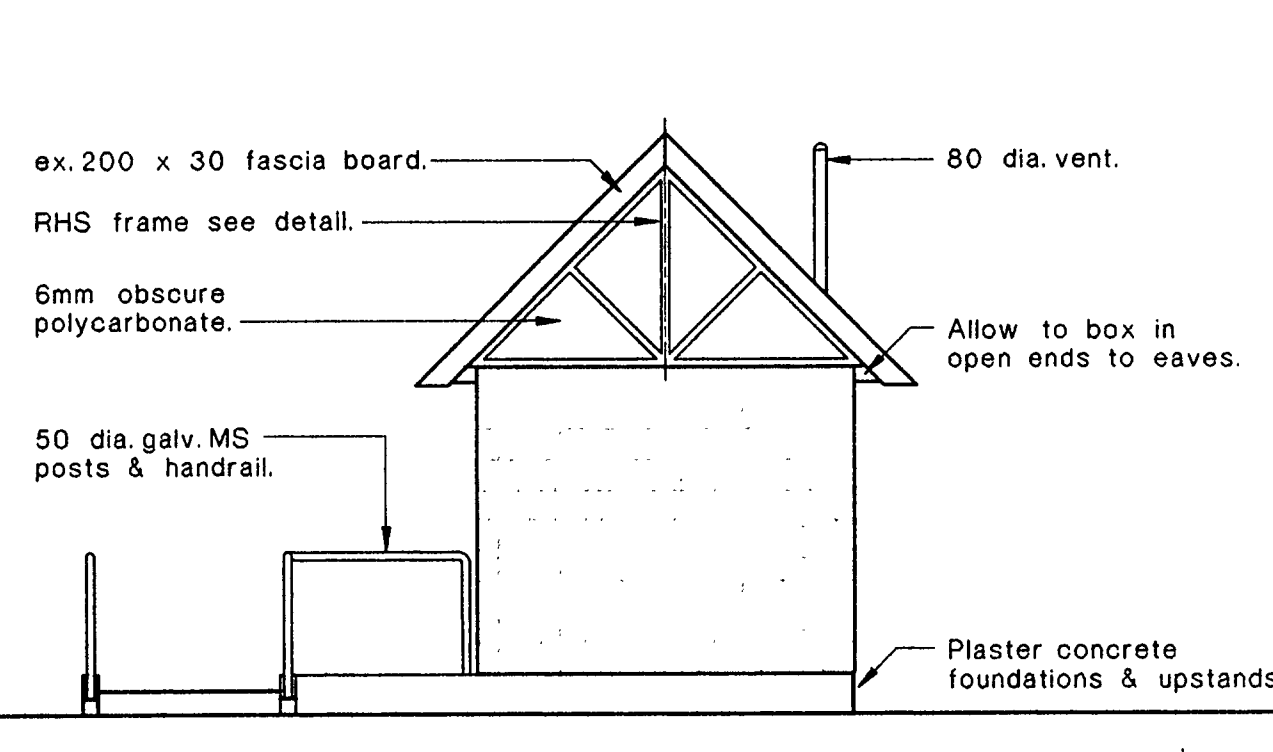
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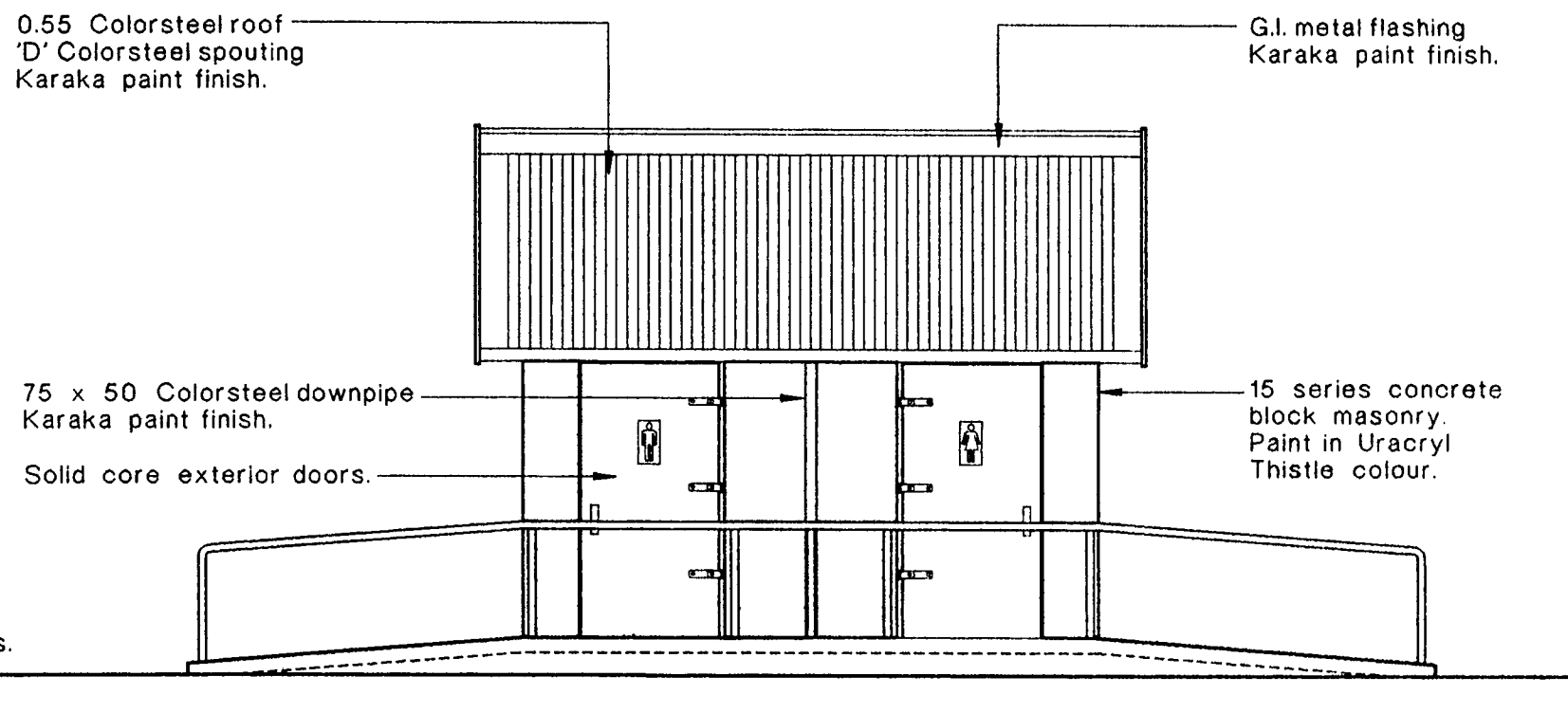
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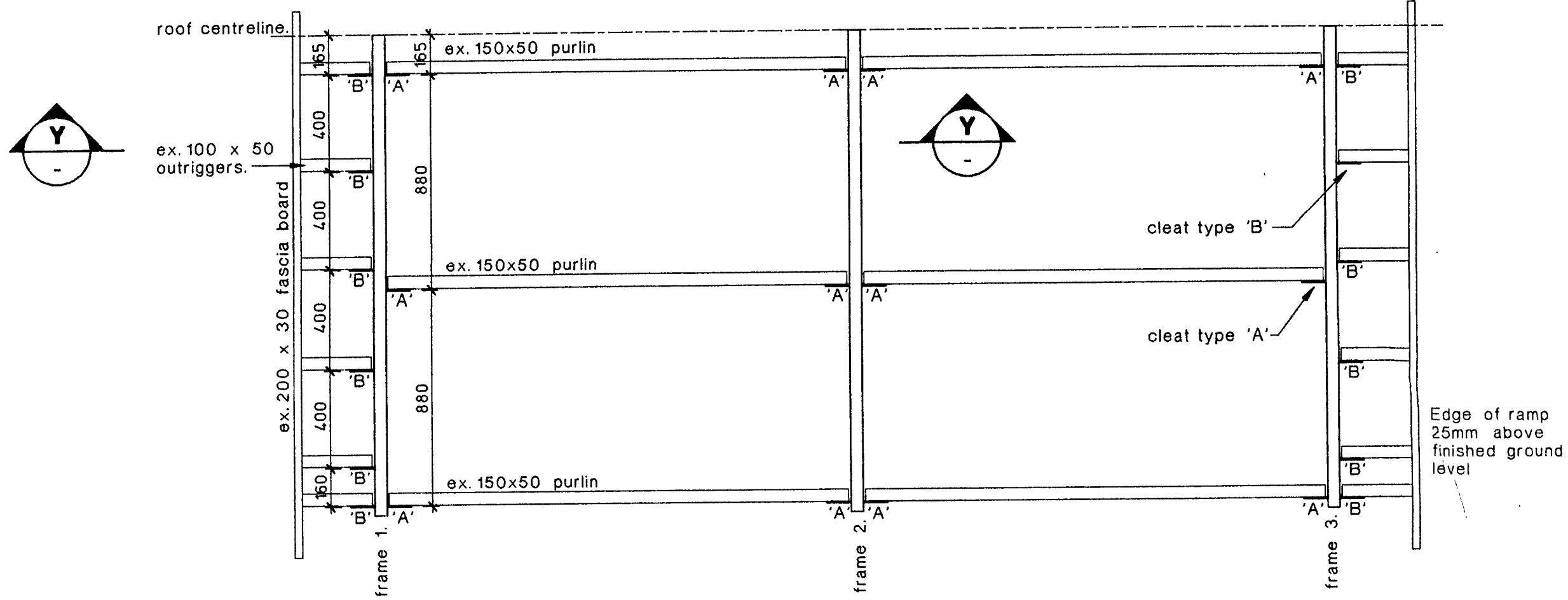
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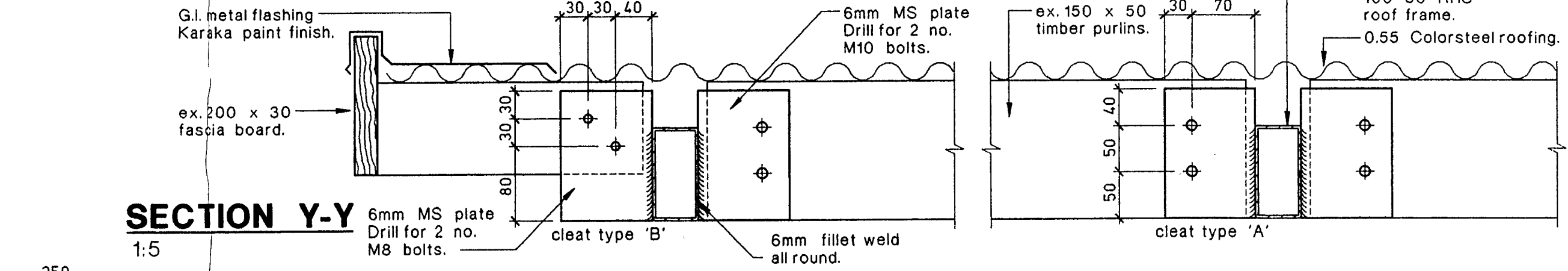
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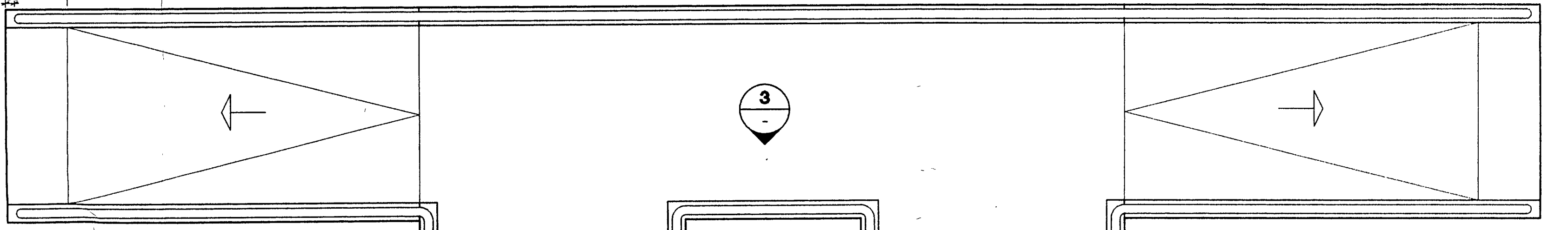
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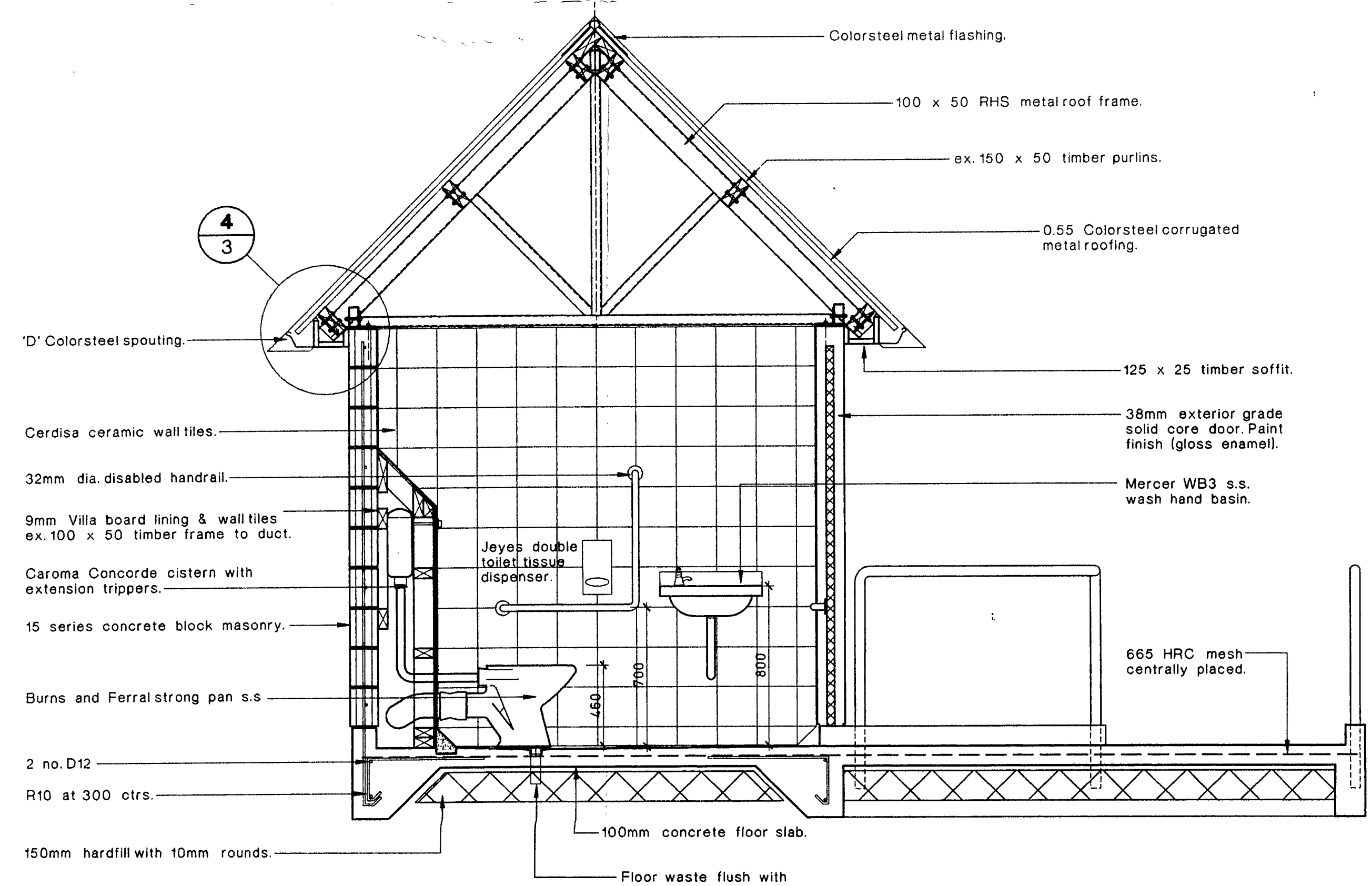
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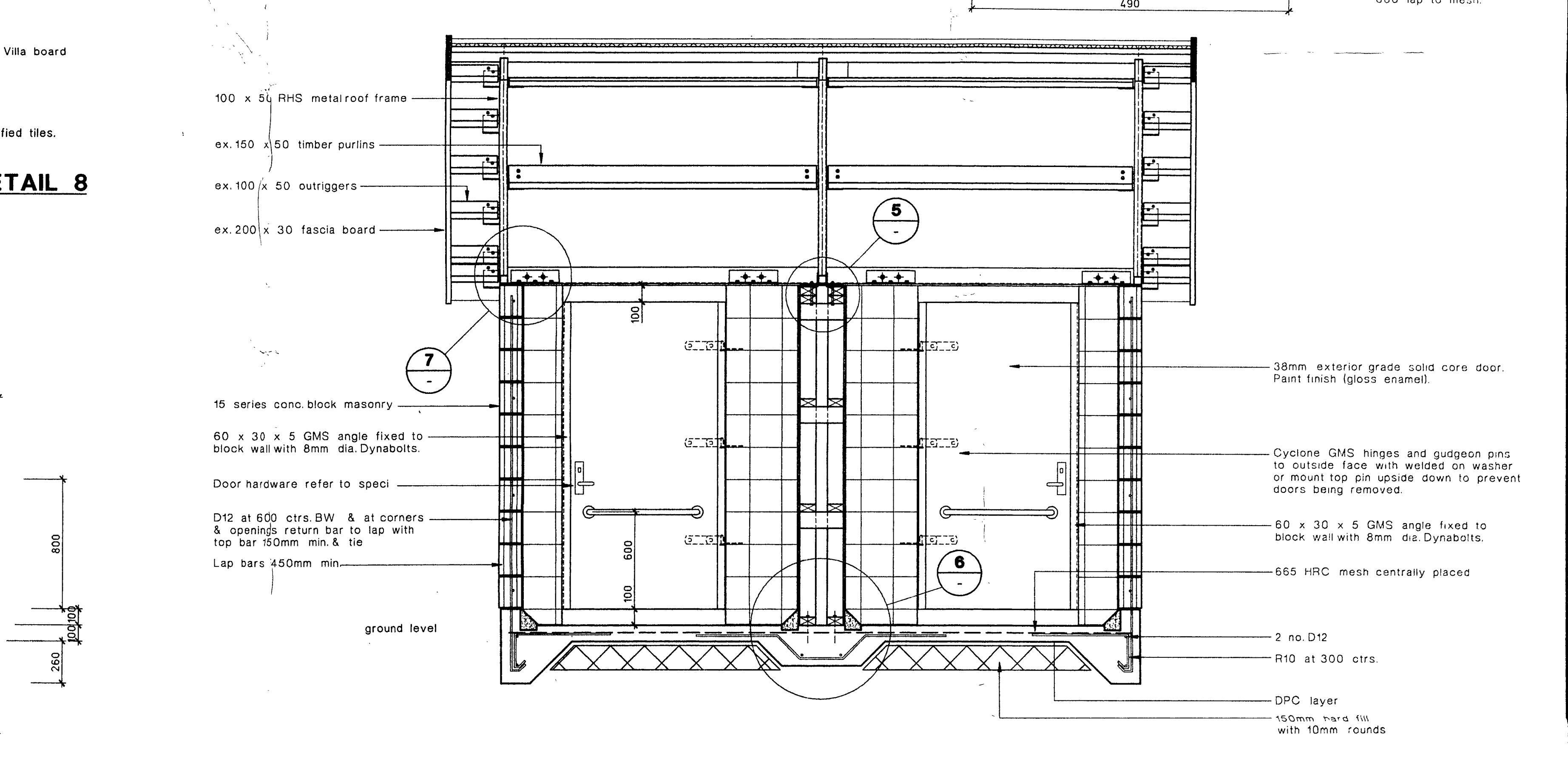
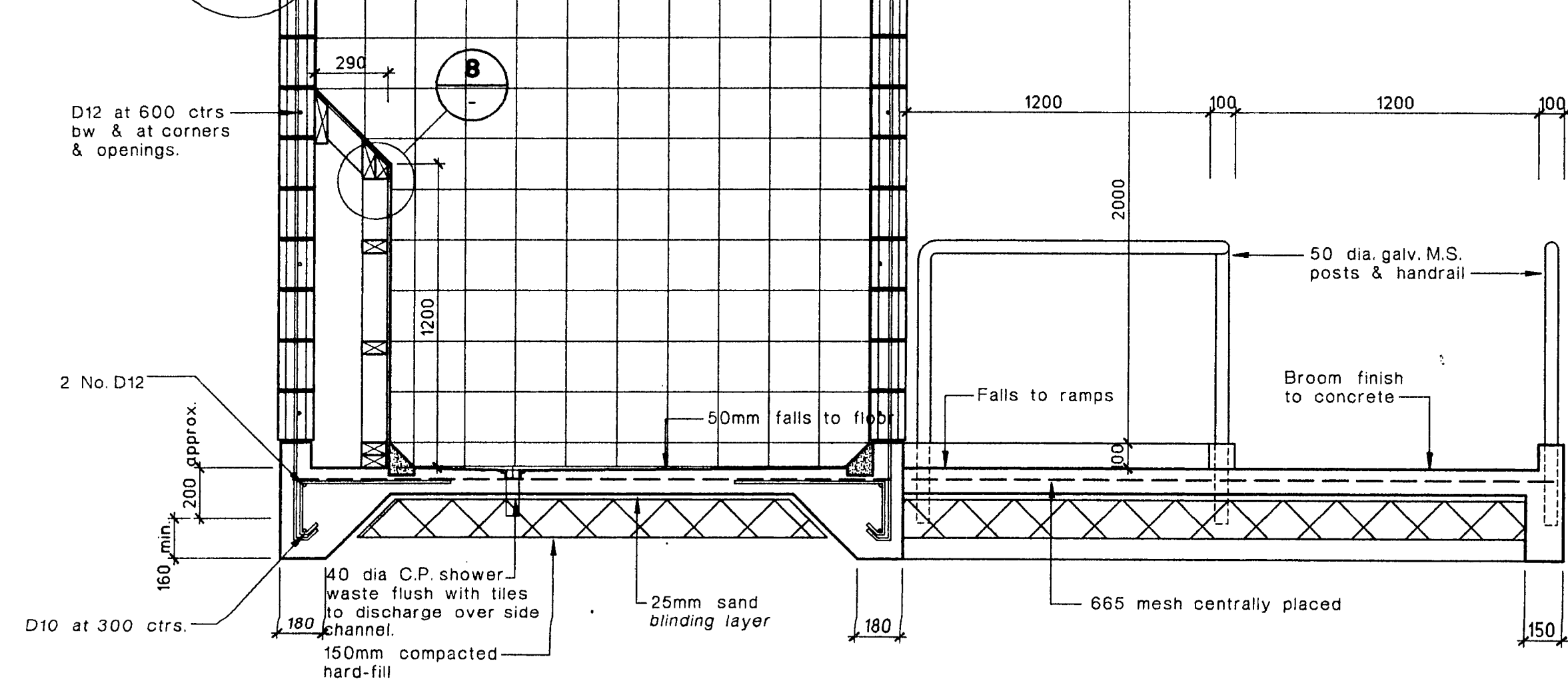
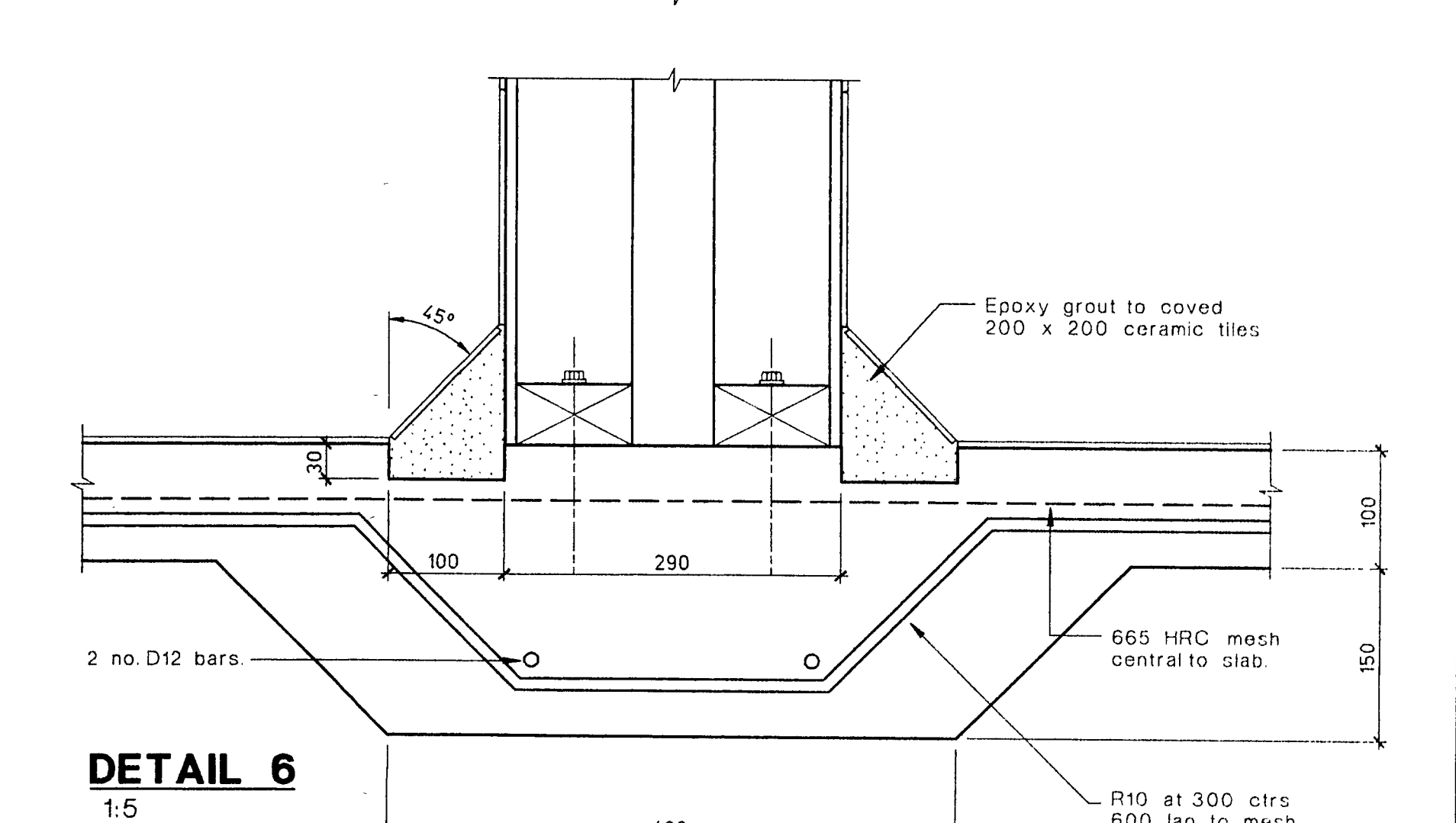
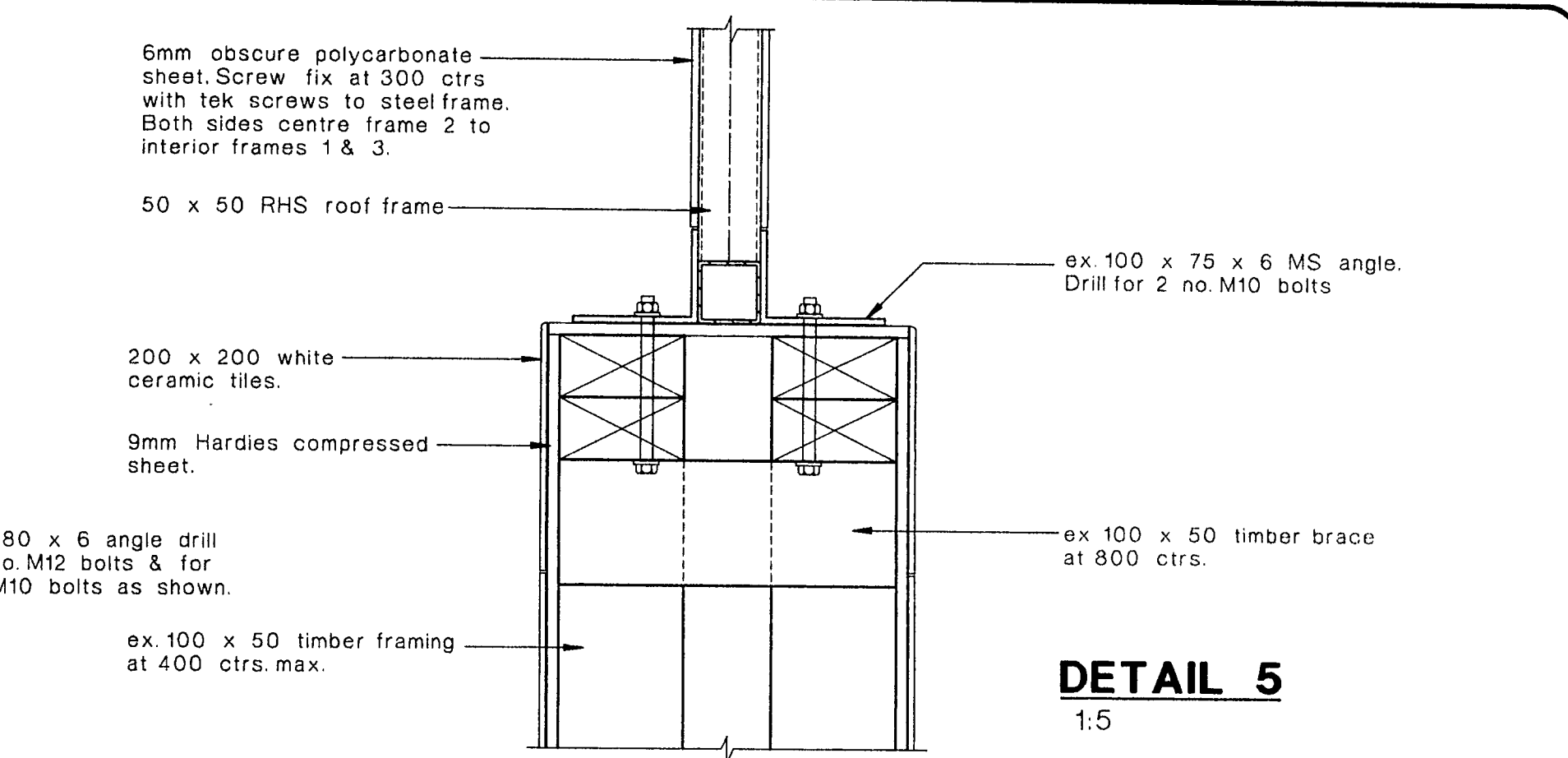
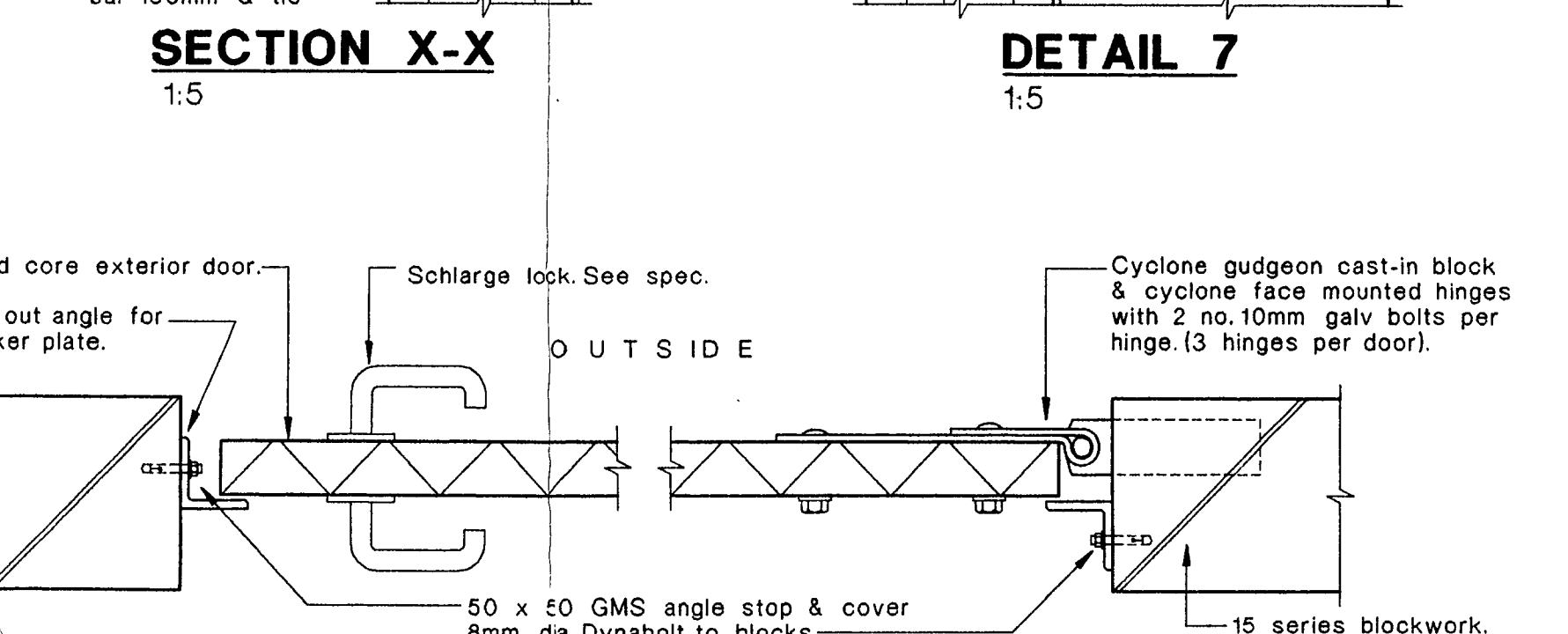
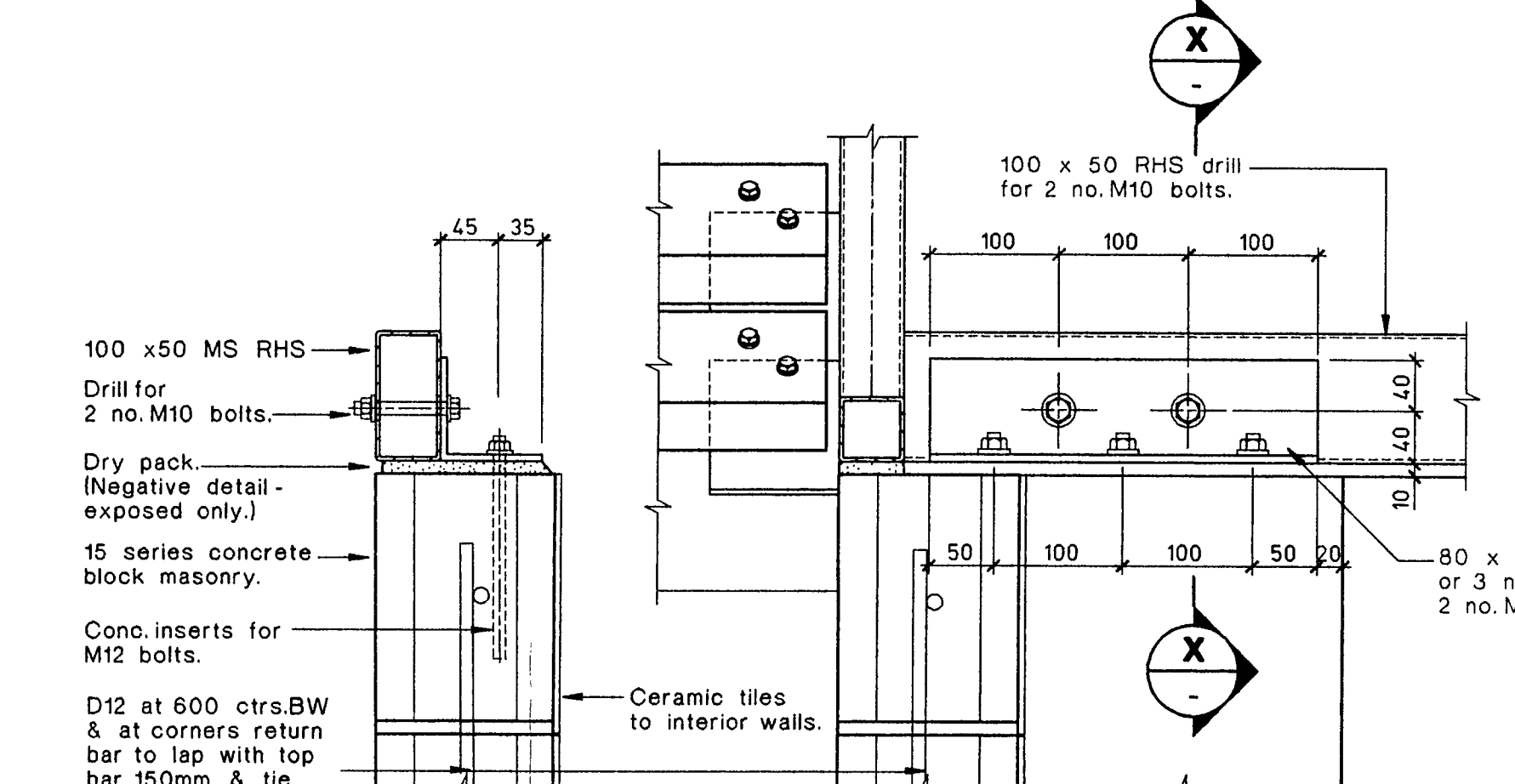
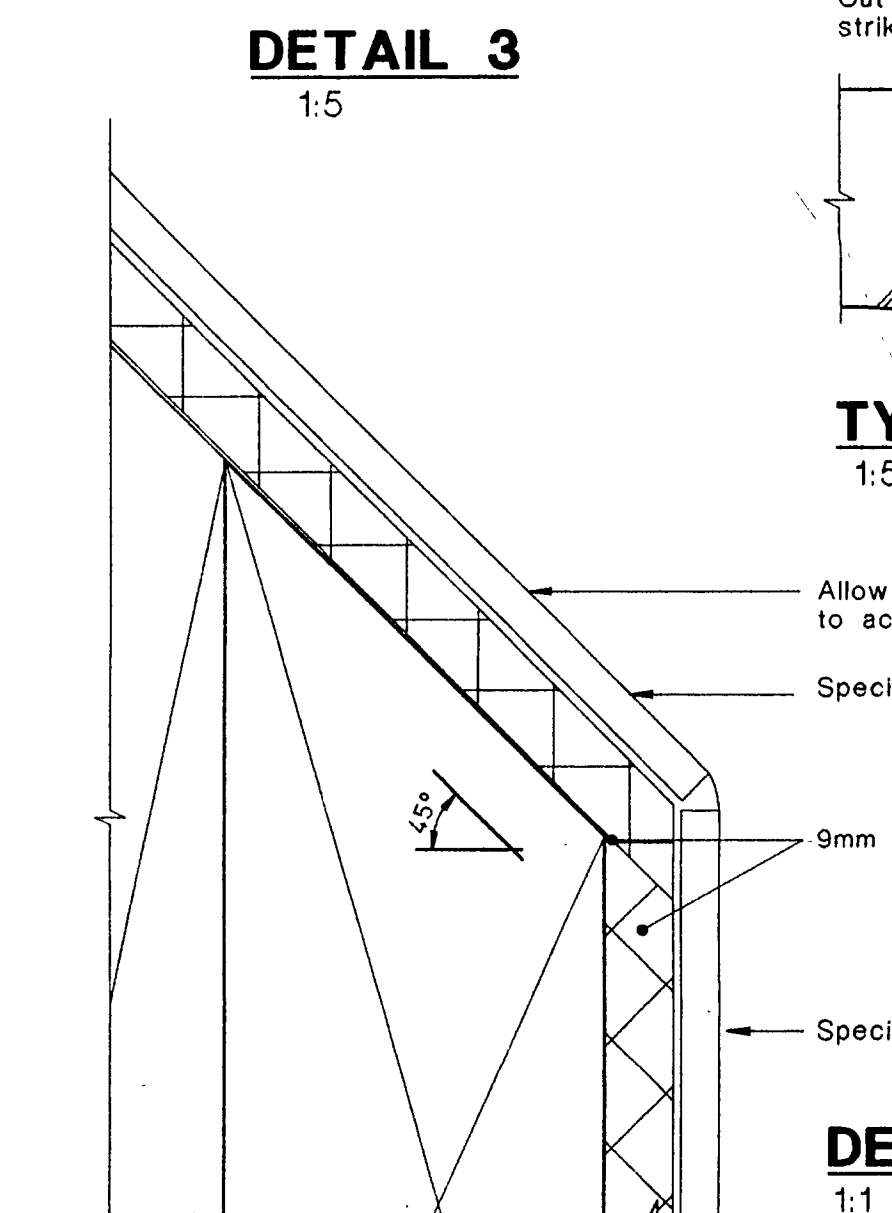
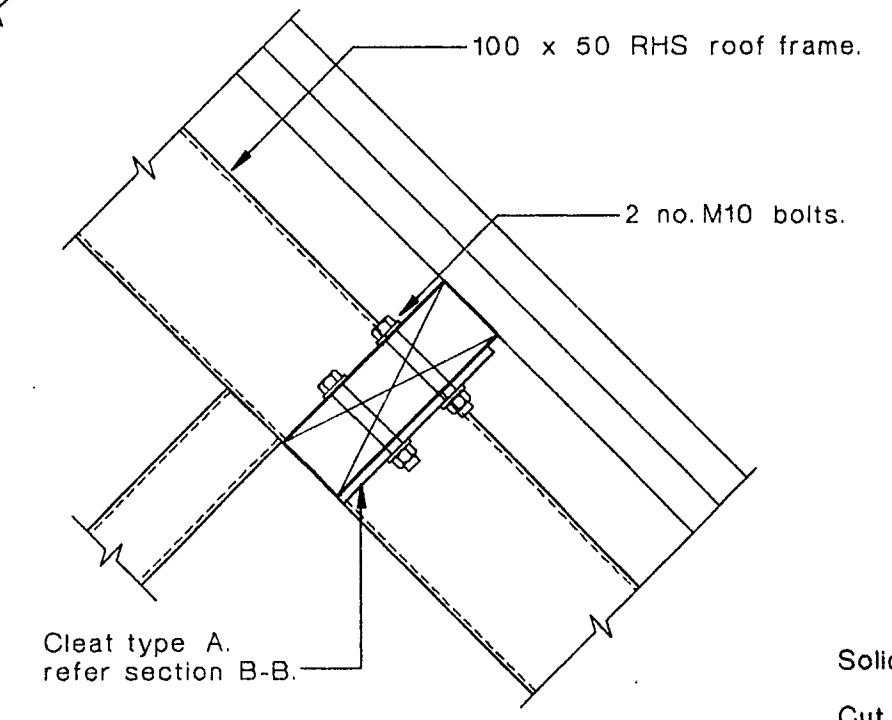
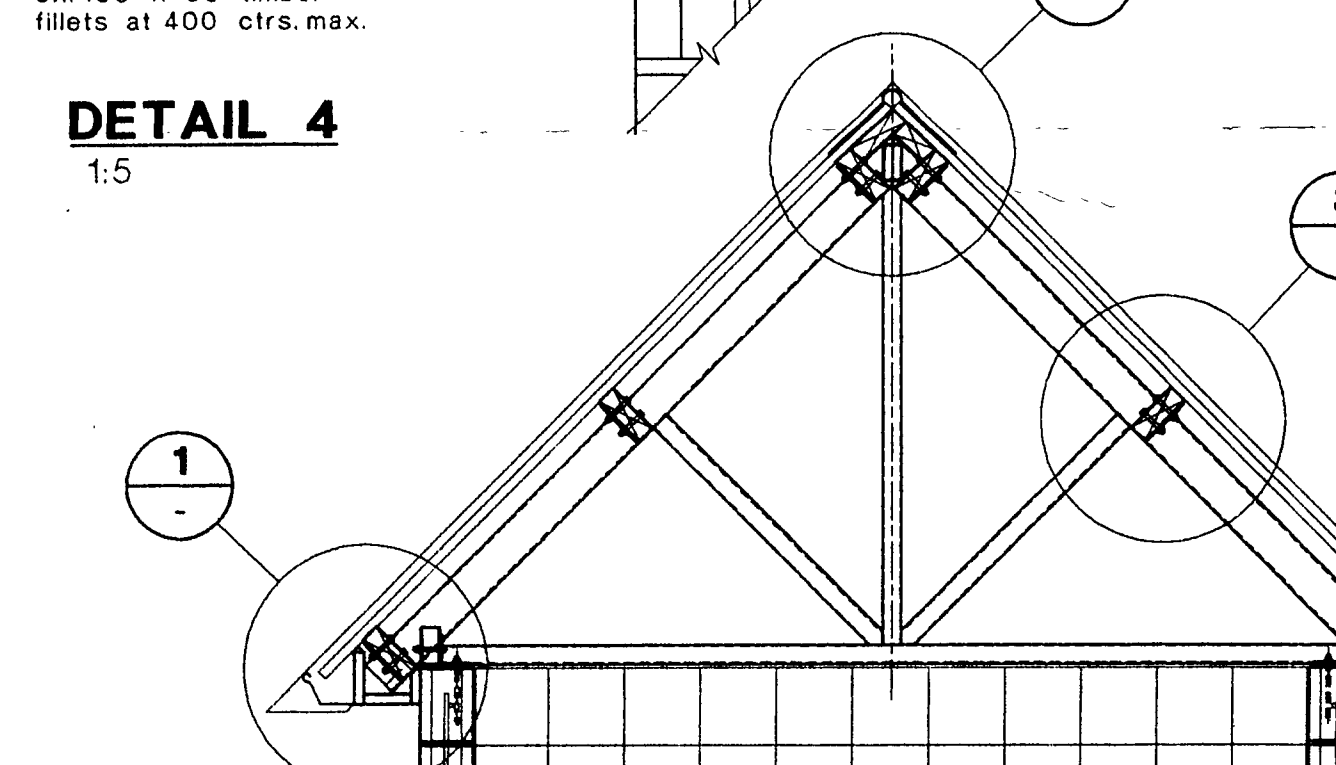
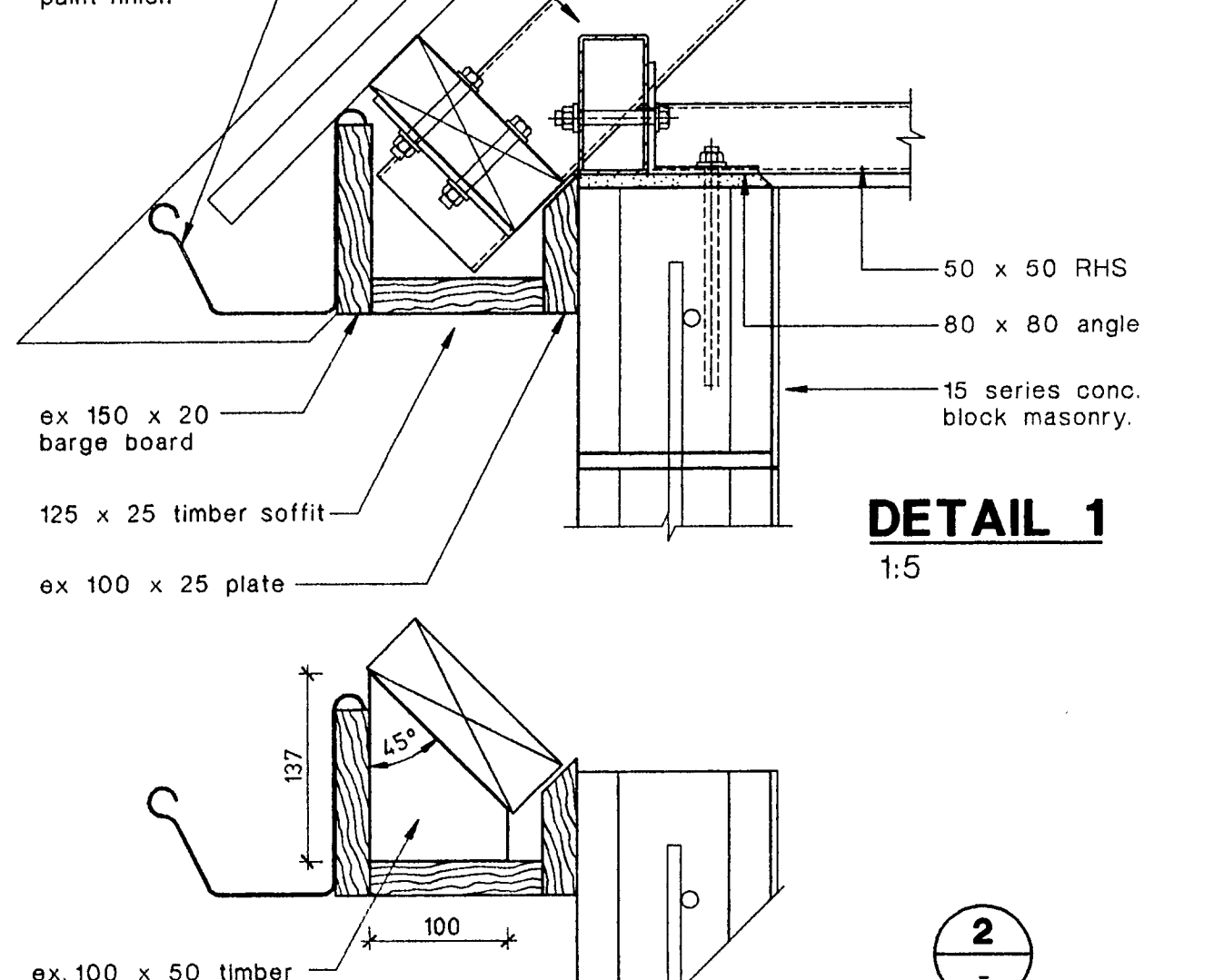
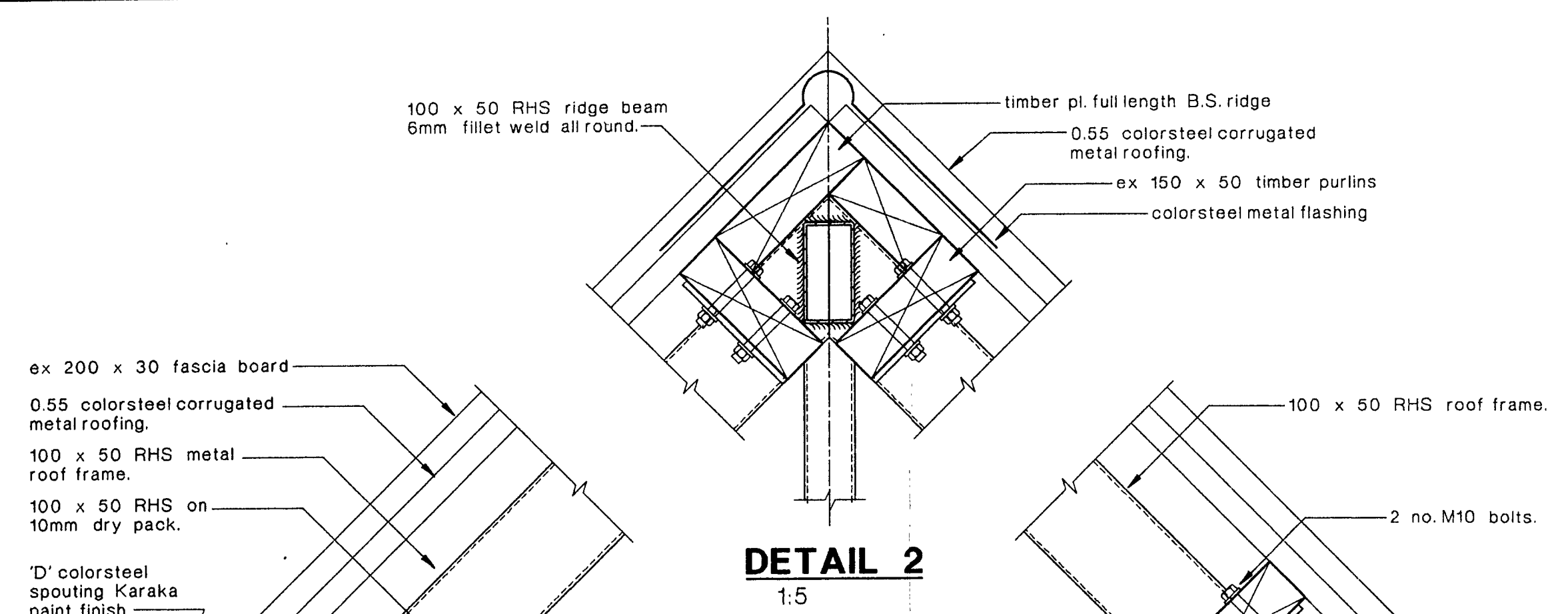
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Appendix C  
CERA Building Evaluation Form



Detailed Engineering Evaluation Summary Data

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<b>Location</b>		Building Name: <input type="text" value="Park Toilet"/>	Reviewer: <input type="text" value="Stephen Lee"/>
Building Address: <input type="text" value="Styx Mill Reserve"/>	Unit No: <input type="text" value="130"/>	Street: <input type="text" value="Hussey Road, Harewood"/>	CPEng No: <input type="text" value="1006840"/>
Legal Description: <input type="text" value="Lot 6 DP 29040"/>			Company: <input type="text" value="GHD"/>
		Company project number: <input type="text" value="513059672"/>	Company phone number: <input type="text" value="(03) 3780900"/>
GPS south: <input type="text"/>	Degrees	Min	Sec
GPS east: <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Building Unique Identifier (CCC): <input type="text" value="PRK_0340_BLDG_002_EQ2"/>		Date of submission: <input type="text" value="05/10/2012"/>	Inspection Date: <input type="text" value="17/04/2012"/>
		Revision: <input type="text"/>	Is there a full report with this summary? <input type="text" value="yes"/>

<b>Site</b>		Site slope: <input type="text" value="flat"/>	Max retaining height (m): <input type="text"/>
		Soil type: <input type="text" value="mixed"/>	Soil Profile (if available): <input type="text"/>
		Site Class (to NZS1170.5): <input type="text" value="E"/>	If Ground improvement on site, describe: <input type="text"/>
Proximity to waterway (m, if <100m): <input type="text"/>		Approx site elevation (m): <input type="text"/>	
Proximity to clifftop (m, if <100m): <input type="text"/>			
Proximity to cliff base (m, if <100m): <input type="text"/>			

<b>Building</b>		No. of storeys above ground: <input type="text" value="1"/>	single storey = 1	Ground floor elevation (Absolute) (m): <input type="text"/>
		Ground floor split?: <input type="text" value="no"/>		Ground floor elevation above ground (m): <input type="text"/>
		Stores below ground: <input type="text" value="0"/>		if Foundation type is other, describe: <input type="text"/>
		Foundation type: <input type="text" value="strip footings"/>	height from ground to level of uppermost seismic mass (for IEP only) (m): <input type="text"/>	Date of design: <input type="text" value="1992-2004"/>
		Building height (m): <input type="text" value="3.50"/>		
		Floor footprint area (approx): <input type="text" value="10"/>		
		Age of Building (years): <input type="text" value="16"/>		
Strengthening present?: <input type="text" value="no"/>		If so, when (year)? <input type="text"/>		
Use (ground floor): <input type="text" value="public"/>		And what load level (%g)? <input type="text"/>		
Use (upper floors): <input type="text"/>		Brief strengthening description: <input type="text"/>		
Use notes (if required): <input type="text" value="Park toilet"/>				
Importance level (to NZS1170.5): <input type="text" value="IL2"/>				

<b>Gravity Structure</b>		Gravity System: <input type="text" value="load bearing walls"/>	truss depth, purlin type and cladding: <input type="text" value="Timber purlins and steel cladding"/>
		Roof: <input type="text" value="steel truss"/>	slab thickness (mm): <input type="text" value="100"/>
		Floors: <input type="text" value="concrete flat slab"/>	overall depth x width (mm x mm): <input type="text" value="NA"/>
		Beams: <input type="text" value="Concrete masonry lintel cover doors"/>	typical dimensions (mm x mm): <input type="text" value="NA"/>
		Columns: <input type="text" value="none"/>	Walls: <input type="text" value="150 series concrete block masonry"/>
		Walls: <input type="text" value="Concrete masonry unit"/>	



**Building:** Current Placard Status:

Along Damage ratio:  Describe how damage ratio arrived at:

Describe (summary):

Across Damage ratio:   $Damage\_Ratio = \frac{(\%NBS(before) - \%NBS(after))}{\%NBS(before)}$

Describe (summary):

Diaphragms Damage?:  Describe:

CSWs: Damage?:  Describe:

Pounding: Damage?:  Describe:

Non-structural: Damage?:  Describe:

**Recommendations**

Level of repair/strengthening required:  Describe:

Building Consent required:  Describe:

Interim occupancy recommendations:  Describe:

Along Assessed %NBS before:  93% %NBS from IEP below If IEP not used, please detail assessment

Assessed %NBS after:  methodology:

Across Assessed %NBS before:  93% %NBS from IEP below

Assessed %NBS after:

**IEP** Use of this method is not mandatory - more detailed analysis may give a different answer, which would take precedence. Do not fill in fields if not using IEP.

Period of design of building (from above): 1992-2004  $h_n$  from above: m

Seismic Zone, if designed between 1965 and 1992:  not required for this age of building

Design Soil type from NZS4203:1992, cl 4.6.2.2:

	along	across
Period (from above):	0.4	0.4
(%NBS) <sub>nom</sub> from Fig 3.3:	22.3%	22.3%
Note:1 for specifically design public buildings, to the code of the day: pre-1965 = 1.25; 1965-1976, Zone A = 1.33; 1965-1976, Zone B = 1.2; all else 1.0	1.0	1.0
Note 2: for RC buildings designed between 1976-1984, use 1.2	1.0	1.0
Note 3: for buildings designed prior to 1935 use 0.8, except in Wellington (1.0)	1.0	1.0
<b>Final (%NBS)<sub>nom</sub>:</b>	<b>22.3%</b>	<b>22.3%</b>

**2.2 Near Fault Scaling Factor**

Near Fault scaling factor, from NZS1170.5, cl 3.1.6:

	along	across
Near Fault scaling factor (1/N(T,D), <b>Factor A:</b>	1	1

**2.3 Hazard Scaling Factor**

Hazard factor Z for site from AS1170.5, Table 3.3:	0.30
Z <sub>1992</sub> , from NZS4203:1992	0.8
Hazard scaling factor, <b>Factor B:</b>	2.67

**2.4 Return Period Scaling Factor**

Building Importance level (from above):	2
Return Period Scaling factor from Table 3.1, <b>Factor C:</b>	1.2

**2.5 Ductility Scaling Factor**

Assessed ductility (less than max in Table 3.2) Ductility scaling factor: =1 from 1976 onwards; or =k <sub>μ</sub> , if pre-1976, from Table 3.3:	along	across
	1.25	1.25
	1	1

Ductility Scaling Factor, <b>Factor D:</b>	1.00	1.00
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**2.6 Structural Performance Scaling Factor:**

Sp:	0.925	0.925
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Structural Performance Scaling Factor <b>Factor E:</b>	1.08	1.08
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**2.7 Baseline %NBS, (NBS%)<sub>b</sub> = (%NBS)<sub>nom</sub> x A x B x C x D x E**

%NBS <sub>b</sub> :	77%	77%
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Global Critical Structural Weaknesses: (refer to NZSEE IEP Table 3.4)

3.1. Plan Irregularity, factor A: insignificant 1

3.2. Vertical irregularity, Factor B: insignificant 1

3.3. Short columns, Factor C: insignificant 1

3.4. Pounding potential  
Pounding effect D1, from Table to right 1.0  
Height Difference effect D2, from Table to right 1.0

Therefore, Factor D: 1

3.5. Site Characteristics insignificant 1

Table for selection of D1	Severe	Significant	Insignificant/none
	Separation	0<sep<.005H	.005<sep<.01H
Alignment of floors within 20% of H	0.7	0.8	1
Alignment of floors not within 20% of H	0.4	0.7	0.8

Table for Selection of D2	Severe	Significant	Insignificant/none
	Separation	0<sep<.005H	.005<sep<.01H
Height difference > 4 storeys	0.4	0.7	1
Height difference 2 to 4 storeys	0.7	0.9	1
Height difference < 2 storeys	1	1	1

**3.6. Other factors, Factor F**

For ≤ 3 storeys, max value =2.5, otherwise max valule =1.5, no minimum

	Along	Across
	1.2	1.2
Rationale for choice of F factor, if not 1	Reasonably well-braced nature of the building	Reasonably well-braced nature of the building

Detail Critical Structural Weaknesses: (refer to DEE Procedure section 6)

List any: Refer also section 6.3.1 of DEE for discussion of F factor modification for other critical structural weaknesses

**3.7. Overall Performance Achievement ratio (PAR)**

	1.20	1.20
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**4.3 PAR x (%NBS)<sub>b</sub>:**

PAR x Baseline %NBS:	93%	93%
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**4.4 Percentage New Building Standard (%NBS), (before)**

	93%
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