

# Landsdowne Community Centre Detailed Engineering Evaluation BU 1771-001 EQ2 Quantitative Report

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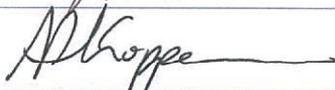
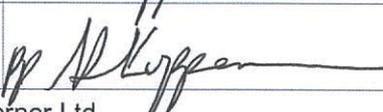
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## Landsdowne Community Centre BU1771-001 EQ2

### Detailed Engineering Evaluation Quantitative Report – SUMMARY

Version 1

#### Address

8 Landsdowne Terrace  
Cashmere  
Christchurch



## Background

This is a summary of the Quantitative Assessment report for the building structure, and is based on the document 'Guidance on Detailed Engineering Evaluation of Earthquake Affected Non-residential Buildings in Canterbury – Part 2 Evaluation Procedure' (draft) issued by the Engineering Advisory Group (EAG) on 19 July 2011.

A Qualitative Report was issued to CCC on 20 September 2012.

The Landsdowne Community Centre is located at 8 Landsdowne Terrace, Cashmere, Christchurch. The building is constructed from a combination of steel portal frames with reinforced concrete framing and masonry block infill. It was built in 1975, having an approximate internal plan area of 280m<sup>2</sup>. The building is currently being used as a childcare centre and general purpose community hall.

A set of architectural and structural drawings produced by the Heathcote County Council, County Engineer was obtained. Calculations have been undertaken as part of the Quantitative Assessment.

## Key Damage Observed

Visual inspections on 8 August 2012 indicate the building has suffered minor earthquake damage. The key damage observed includes:

- n Minor stepped cracking was observed in the mortar at various locations in the external block walls.
- n Minor cracking was observed to the concrete footpath at the rear of the main hall.

## Critical Structural Weaknesses (CSW)

No Critical Structural Weaknesses were identified as a result of our Quantitative Assessment.

## Indicative Building Strength (from Detailed Assessment)

The building has been assessed to have a seismic capacity of 66%NBS using the New Zealand Society for Earthquake Engineering (NZSEE) Detailed Assessment guideline 'Assessment and

Improvement of the Structural Performance of Buildings in Earthquakes' (AISPBE), 2006, is therefore considered potentially Earthquake Risk and classified as Seismic Grade C.

The structural damage observed is predominantly minor and the seismic capacity is not considered to have materially diminished from its pre-earthquake level.

Our assessment has identified the structural components that have governed/limited the building's seismic performance, and their potential failure mechanisms, are as follows:

- n Portal frames, 66%NBS, governed by the flexural capacity of the portal frame rafter.
- n Masonry infill walls, 68%NBS, governed by in plane capacity.

## Recommendations

In order that the owner can make an informed decision about the on-going use and occupancy of their building the following information is presented in line with the Department of Building and Housing document 'Guidance for engineers assessing the seismic performance of non-residential and multi-unit residential buildings in greater Christchurch', June 2012.

The building is considered to be potentially earthquake risk, having an assessed capacity of between 33% and 67%NBS. The risk of collapse of an earthquake risk building is considered to be 5 to 10 times greater than that of an equivalent new building.

No significant damage or hazards were identified to the seismic or gravity load resisting system that would reduce its ability to resist further loads and therefore no restrictions on use or occupancy are recommended.

It is recommended that:

- n A verticality and level survey could be carried out to determine the extent of the settlement of the building for insurance purposes.
- n According to the recent CCC Instructions to Engineers document (16 October 2012), Council's insurance provides for repairing damaged elements to a condition substantially as new. We suggest you consult further with your insurance advisor.

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## 1 Background

Beca Carter Hollings & Ferner Ltd (Beca) has been engaged by Christchurch City Council (CCC) to undertake a Quantitative Detailed Engineering Evaluation (DEE) of the Landsdowne Community Centre located at 8 Landsdowne Terrace, Cashmere, Christchurch.

This report is a Quantitative Assessment of the building structure, and is based on the document 'Guidance on Detailed Engineering Evaluation of Earthquake Affected Non-residential Buildings in Canterbury – Part 2 Evaluation Procedure' (draft) issued by the Engineering Advisory Group (EAG) on 19 July 2011.

A quantitative assessment involves analytical calculations of the building's strength and may involve material testing, geotechnical testing and intrusive investigation. The qualitative assessment previously carried out involved inspections of the building, a desktop review of existing structural and geotechnical information, including existing drawings and calculations, if available, and an assessment of the level of seismic capacity against current code using the Initial Evaluation Procedure (IEP).

The purpose of the assessment is to determine the likely building performance and damage patterns, to identify any potential Critical Structural Weaknesses (CSW) or collapse hazards, and to make an assessment of the likely building strength in terms of percentage of New Building Standard (%NBS).

A full set of original architectural and structural drawings was made available and has been used in our assessment of the building. The building description below is based on a review of the drawings and our visual inspections.

## 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 understood that CERA is adopting the Detailed Engineering Evaluation Procedure document (draft) issued by the Engineering Advisory Group on 19 July 2011, which sets out a methodology for both qualitative and quantitative assessments. We understand this report will be used in response to CERA Section 51.

The qualitative assessment includes a thorough visual inspection of the building coupled with a desktop review of available documentation such as drawings, specifications and IEP's. The quantitative assessment involves analytical calculation of the building's 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:

- n The importance level and occupancy of the building
- n The placard status that was assigned during the state of emergency following the 22 February 2011 earthquake
- n The age and structural type of the building
- n Consideration of any Critical Structural Weaknesses
- n 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.

### 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:

- n 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
- n 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
- n 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
- n There is a risk that that other property could collapse or otherwise cause injury or death; or
- n 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:

- n A process for identifying, categorising and prioritising Earthquake Prone Buildings, commencing on 1 July 2012;
- n A strengthening target level of 67% of a new building for buildings that are Earthquake Prone;
- n A timeframe of 15-30 years for Earthquake Prone Buildings to be strengthened; and,
- n 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.

It is understood 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:

- n The accessibility requirements of the Building Code.
- n 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.

On 19 May 2011, Compliance Document B1: Structure was amended to include increased seismic design requirements for Canterbury as follows:

- a. Hazard Factor increased from 0.22 to 0.3 (36% increase in the basic seismic design load)

- b. 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 Ultimate Limit State 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).

No consideration has been given at this stage to checking the level of compliance against the increased Serviceability Limit State requirements.

The likely ultimate 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 building's 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 Guidelines**

Table 3.1 below 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. on average 0.2% in any year). It is noted that the current seismic risk in Christchurch results in a 6% risk of exceedance in the next year.

**Table 3.1: %NBS Compared to Relative Risk of Failure**

Building Grade	Percentage of New Building Standard (%NBS)	Approx. Risk Relative to a New Building
A+	>100	<1
A	80-100	1-2 times
B	67-80	2-5 times
C	33-67	5-10 times
D	20-33	10-25 times
E	<20	>25 times

## 4 Building Description

### 4.1 General

Summary information about the building is given in the following table.

**Table 4.1: Building Summary Information**

Item	Details	Comment
Building name	Landsdowne Community Centre	
Street Address	8 Landsdowne Terrace Cashmere Christchurch	
Age	37 years (1975 design)	Toilet block added to the South of the building after the original construction (details unknown).
Description	The Landsdowne Community Centre is a single storey building. It is currently being used primarily as a childcare centre.	
Building Footprint / Floor Area	Approx. 11.6m x 19m and 9.1m x 6.2m. 280m <sup>2</sup> internally.	
No. of storeys / basements	1 storey / no basement	
Occupancy / use	Childcare centre, general use community centre.	Importance Level 2. Childcare capacity less than 150.
Construction	Steel portal frames and reinforced concrete frames with masonry infill walls. Internal partition walls are plasterboard lined, timber framed. The roofing consists of lightweight profiled metal sheeting supported by timber purlins on steel rafters. Purlins in the kitchen section of the building are supported by concrete beams spanning between the masonry walls.	Based on our limited visual observation the building appears to be generally constructed in accordance with the drawings obtained. Block infill is reinforced at 600mm centres horizontally and vertically. Only the reinforced cells are filled. Site scanning indicates that some masonry walls do not have starter bars connecting them to

Item	Details	Comment
		the foundations. Refer also Section 5.2.
Gravity load resisting system	Gravity loads from the roof are supported by timber purlins and transmitted to the steel rafters of the portal frames before being transmitted to the pad foundations by the steel portal columns.	
Seismic load resisting system	Lateral loads in the transverse direction are resisted by the steel portal frames. Loads in the longitudinal direction are resisted by the reinforced concrete frames with masonry block infill walls. Roof bracing transmits longitudinal lateral loads from the roof into the concreted frame masonry infill walls. The end walls are assumed to cantilever vertically under face loading.	Roof bracing was shown on drawings but not visible due to the presence of ceiling linings.
Foundation system	Shallow pad and strip foundations with 100mm thick slab on grade.	
Stair system	The building does not contain stairs.	
Other notable features		
External works	Car parking and playground facilities.	
Construction information	A set of 2 architectural and 3 structural drawings by R. J. Anderson, 1975.	See Appendix B.
Likely design standard	NZSS 1900, Chapter 8:1965	Inferred from age of building
Heritage status	Not heritage listed	
Other		

## 4.2 Structural 'Hot-spots'

Areas in which damage may be expected to occur from earthquake shaking are outlined below:

- n Connections between the portal frames and the walls.
- n Masonry block infill under out-of-plane loading (particularly walls not connected to supporting structure).

## 5 Site Investigations

### 5.1 Previous Assessments

The building had Level 2 rapid assessments undertaken following the February 2011 and June 2011 earthquake events (refer to Appendix D).

Visual inspections as part of the Level 4 damage assessment were undertaken on 8 August 2012. A Qualitative Report was issued to CCC on 20 September 2012.

### 5.2 Level 5 Intrusive Investigations

The following intrusive investigations were carried out as part of the Level 5 quantitative assessment:

- n Confirmation of the location of reinforcement in the masonry block walls and the location of starter bars through Ferroskan. The investigation indicated that for the north and south elevations there were no starter bars connecting the masonry infill to the concrete columns, roof bond beam or base slab/foundation. The drawings and schedule of reinforcing steel also did not indicate any starter bars.
- n An intrusive investigation showed that in the east and west walls the vertical wall reinforcement extends into the foundation beam.
- n Confirmation of the connection between the steel PFC header beam and the masonry block wall. The orientation of the PFC was also confirmed to be bending about its minor axis under wall face loading.

## 6 Damage Assessment

### 6.1 Damage Summary

The table below provides a summary of damage observed during our inspection. Refer to Appendix A for photographs.

**Table 6.1: Damage Summary**

Damage type					Comment
	Unknown	Minor	Moderate	Major	
settlement of foundations	ü				None observed during visual inspection. Level survey may be required to confirm.
tilt of building	ü				None observed during visual inspection. Verticality survey may be required to confirm.
liquefaction	ü				None observed during visual inspection.
settlement of external ground	ü				None observed during visual inspection.
lateral spread / ground cracks	ü				None observed during visual inspection.
frame					No damage observed during visual inspection.
masonry walls		ü			Minor cracking to the concrete masonry

Damage type					Comment
	Unknown	Minor	Moderate	Major	
					walls/mortar bed joints was observed (approximately up to 1mm wide)
cracking to concrete floors		ü			Cracking (up to 1mm wide) was observed in the external concrete ground slab.
bracing	ü				Roof bracing was unable to be viewed due to fixed ceiling.
cladding /envelope		ü			Cracking to block walls as above.
building services	ü				No inspection of services was carried out.

## 6.2 Surrounding Buildings

The Landsdowne Community Centre is located in a residential street. There are buildings in the general vicinity, but neighbouring buildings are sufficiently separated so that they will not impact upon the Community Centre during a seismic event.

## 6.3 Residual Displacements and General Observations

No evidence of permanent settlement or displacements was observed during our visual inspection; however a global settlement survey may reveal movement that could be described as damage under insurance entitlement.

## 6.4 Implication of Damage

Based on our visual inspection, the structure appears to have suffered minor damage only and therefore we believe the structural capacity has not materially diminished.

## 7 Generic Issues

The following generic issues referred to in Appendix A of the EAG guideline document have been identified as applicable to the Landsdowne Community Centre:

### Concrete Frame with Infill

- n Shear and flexural strength of masonry walls.
- n Connections between the masonry walls and the roof and floor.
- n Infills falling out of frames

However, only minor earthquake damage was observed.

## 8 Geotechnical Consideration

No Geotechnical information is currently available for this site.

During the inspection, any damage to the surrounding ground was noted and any effect to the structure was considered.

## 9 Survey

No level or verticality surveys were carried out as there was no evidence of settlement or displacement observed during the inspection. CCC may wish to undertake a level survey as part of insurance entitlement considerations.

## 10 Detailed Seismic Capacity Assessment

### 10.1 Assessment Methodology

The building has had its seismic capacity assessed using the Detailed Assessment Procedures in the NZSEE 2006 AISPBE guidelines, based on the drawings and intrusive investigations undertaken.

The structure has suffered minor damage. The post-damage capacity is considered to be the same as the original capacity.

### 10.2 Assumptions

The following assumptions were used in our quantitative assessment.

- n Structural steel yield strength  $f_y=250$  MPa.
- n Reinforcing steel yield strength  $f_y=275$ MPa.
- n Concrete compressive strength  $f'_c=20$ MPa as stated in the specification.
- n 200 series masonry block compressive strength  $f'_c=4$ MPa (observation type C). Blockwork grout compressive strength  $f'_c=17.2$  MPa (as stated in the specification).
- n East and West walls have 12mm diameter starter and vertical reinforcement at 600mm centres. Only the reinforced cells are grout filled.
- n Welds adopted were as noted on the drawings, assuming Category GP.
- n Timber compressive strength  $f_c= 20.9$  MPa (dry Radiata Pine).

### 10.3 Critical Structural Weaknesses

No Critical Structural Weaknesses have been identified during this assessment.

### 10.4 Seismic Parameters

The seismic design parameters based on current design requirements from NZS 1170.5:2004 and the NZBC clause B1 for this building are:

- n Site soil class: D – NZS 1170.5:2004, Clause 3.1.3, Soft Soil
- n Site hazard factor,  $Z = 0.3$  – NZBC, Clause B1 Structure, Amendment 11 effective from 19 May 2011
- n Return period factor  $R_u = 1$  – NZS 1170.5:2004, Table 3.5, Importance Level 2 structure with a 50 year design life.
- n Near fault factor  $N(T,D) = 1$  – NZS 1170.5:2004, Clause 3.1.6, Distance more than 20 km from fault line.

### 10.5 Results of Seismic Assessment

The results of our quantitative assessment indicate that the building has a seismic capacity of 66%NBS. This is higher than the IEP assessment of 41%NBS in the previous Qualitative Report.

Table 10.1 presents the evaluated seismic capacity in terms of %NBS of the individual structural systems in each building direction.

**Table 10.1: Summary of Seismic Assessment of Structural Systems**

Item	Loading Direction	Ductility, $\mu$	Seismic Performance	Notes
<b>Overall %NBS adopted from DEE</b>			<b>66%NBS</b>	<b>Steel portal frames under transverse loading</b>
Portal frames	Transverse	1.25	66%NBS	Governed by flexural capacity of the rafter.
Masonry infill walls (in-plane)	Longitudinal	1.25	68%NBS	Assessed as per Section 9 of NZSEE 2006 AISPBE guidelines
Masonry infill walls (out-of-plane)	Transverse	1.0	>100%NBS	Assessed as per Section 9 of NZSEE 2006 AISPBE guidelines
Masonry block end walls (out-of-plane)	Longitudinal	1.0	80%NBS	Assessed to NZS4230:2004 Design of Reinforced Concrete Masonry Structures. Assessed as a part and assuming 12mm diameter starter bars at 600mm centres.
Concrete bond beam	Both	1.25	>100%NBS	
PFC header beam in end frame	Longitudinal (face loading)	2.0	71%NBS	Assessed as a part. Governed by flexural capacity
Connection between the portal frame and the concrete bond beam	Longitudinal	1.25	>100%NBS	
Roof bracing	Longitudinal	1.25	>100%NBS	

Note: Ductility factors are in accordance with values recommended in the NZSEE 2006 AISPBE guidelines.

## 10.6 Discussion of results

The key findings of the assessment are as follows:

- n Portal frames, 66%NBS, governed by the flexural capacity of the portal frame rafter.
- n Masonry infill walls (North and South), 68%NBS, governed by in plane capacity.

Based on the results of our Quantitative Assessment, the Landsdowne Community Centre is considered potentially Earthquake Risk as the seismic capacity was assessed to be between 33%NBS and 67%NBS, and is classified as Seismic Grade C.

## 11 Recommendations

### 11.1 Occupancy

In order that the owner can make an informed decision about the on-going use and occupancy of their building the following information is presented in line with the Department of Building and Housing document 'Guidance for engineers assessing the seismic performance of non-residential and multi-unit residential buildings in greater Christchurch', June 2012.

The building is considered to be potentially earthquake risk, having an assessed capacity of between 33% and 67%NBS. The risk of collapse of an earthquake risk building is considered to be 5 to 10 times greater than that of an equivalent new building.

No significant damage or hazards were identified to the seismic or gravity load resisting system that would reduce its ability to resist further loads and therefore no restrictions on use or occupancy are recommended.

### 11.2 Further Investigations, Survey or Geotechnical Work

It is recommended that:

- n A verticality and level survey could be carried out to determine the extent of the settlement of the building for insurance purposes.

### 11.3 Damage Reinstatement

According to the recent CCC Instructions to Engineers document (16 October 2012), Council's insurance provides for repairing damaged elements to a condition substantially as new. We suggest you consult further with your insurance advisor.

## 12 Design Features Report

Repairs will be required to reinstate the existing structural system. A repair methodology has not been prepared at this stage. No new load paths are expected as a result of the repairs required.

## 13 Limitations

The following limitations apply to this engagement:

- n Beca and its employees and agents are not able to give any warranty or guarantee that all defects, damage, conditions or qualities have been identified.
- n Inspections are primarily limited to visible structural components. Appropriate locations for invasive inspection, if required, will be based on damage patterns observed in visible elements, and review of the construction drawings and structural system. As such, there will be concealed structural elements that will not be directly inspected.
- n The inspections are limited to building structural components only.
- n Inspection of building services, pipework, pavement, and fire safety systems is excluded from the scope of this report.
- n Inspection of the glazing system, linings, carpets, claddings, finishes, suspended ceilings, partitions, tenant fit-out, or the general water tightness envelope is excluded from the scope of this report.

- n The assessment of the lateral load capacity of the building is limited by the completeness and accuracy of the drawings provided. Assumptions have been made in respect of the geotechnical conditions at the site and any aspects or material properties not clear on the drawings. Where these assumptions are considered material to the outcome further investigations may be recommended. It is noted the assessment has not been exhaustive, our analysis and calculations have focused on representative areas only to determine the level of provision made. At this stage we have not undertaken any checks of the gravity system, wind load capacity, or foundations.
- n The information in this report provides a snapshot of building damage at the time the detailed inspection was carried out. Additional inspections required as a result of significant aftershocks are outside the scope of this work.

This report is of defined scope and is for reliance by CCC only, and only for this commission. Beca should be consulted where any question regarding the interpretation or completeness of our inspection or reporting arises.

Appendix A

# Photographs

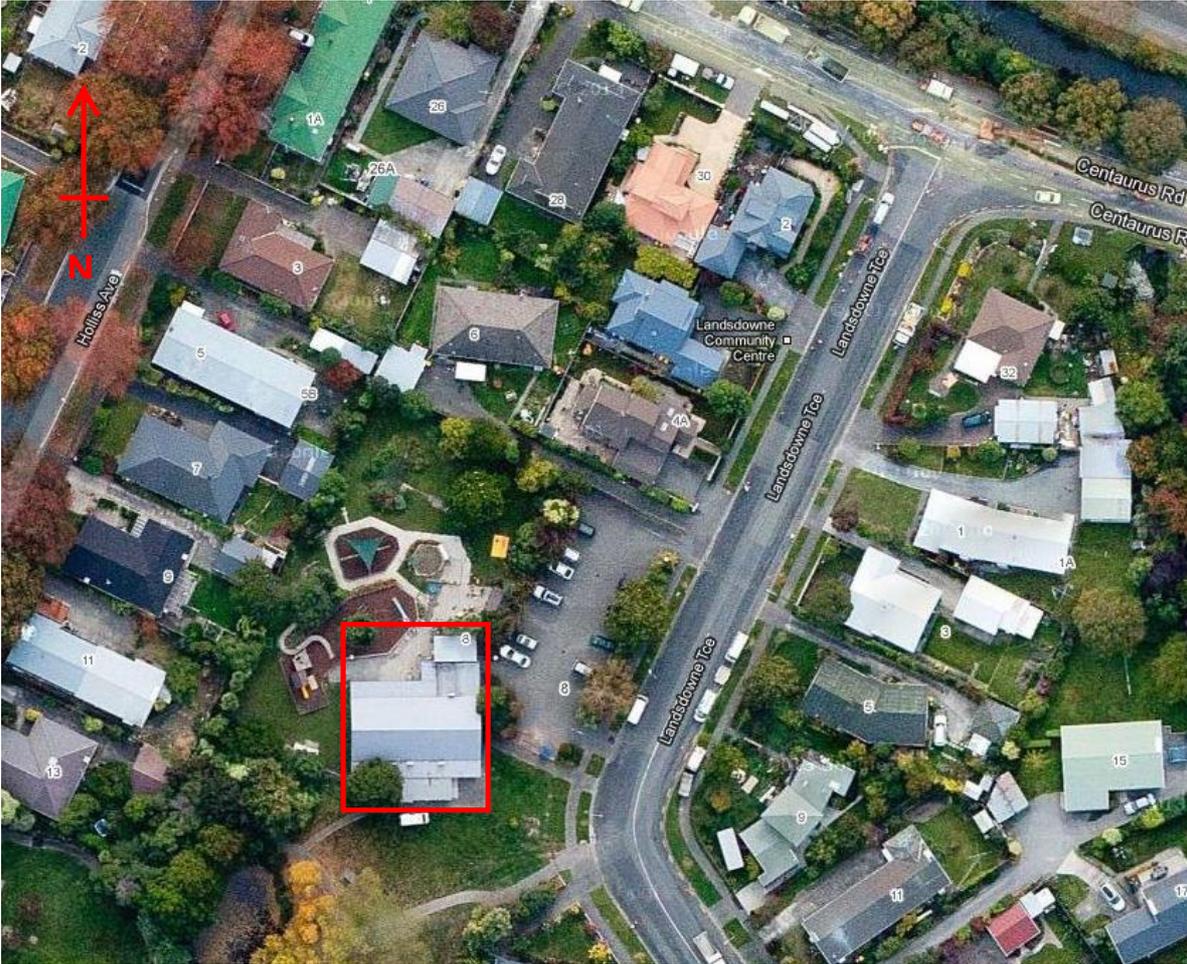


Figure 1: Site Layout



**Photo 1:** External view from the east.



**Photo 2:** External view from the north



**Photo 3:** External view from the north

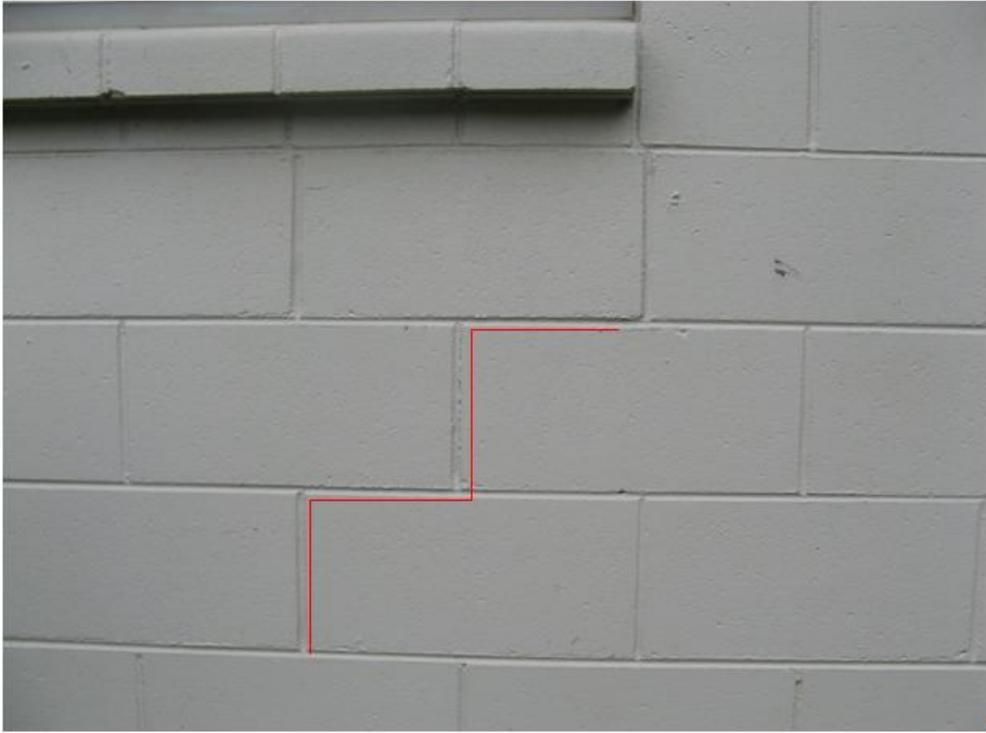


**Photo 4:** Internal view of building showing structural system



**Photo 5:** Cracking to concrete ground slab (west of building).

**Damage:** Cracking to external concrete slab



**Photo 6:** Cracking to masonry wall

**Damage:** Stepped cracking to masonry wall



**Photo 7:** Cracking to concrete masonry wall (close up)

**Damage:** Cracking to concrete masonry mortar

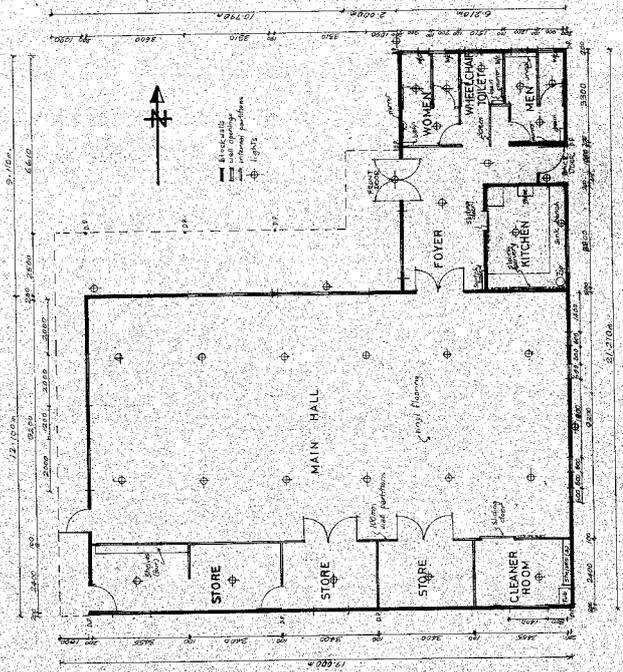


**Photo 8:** Joint between walls

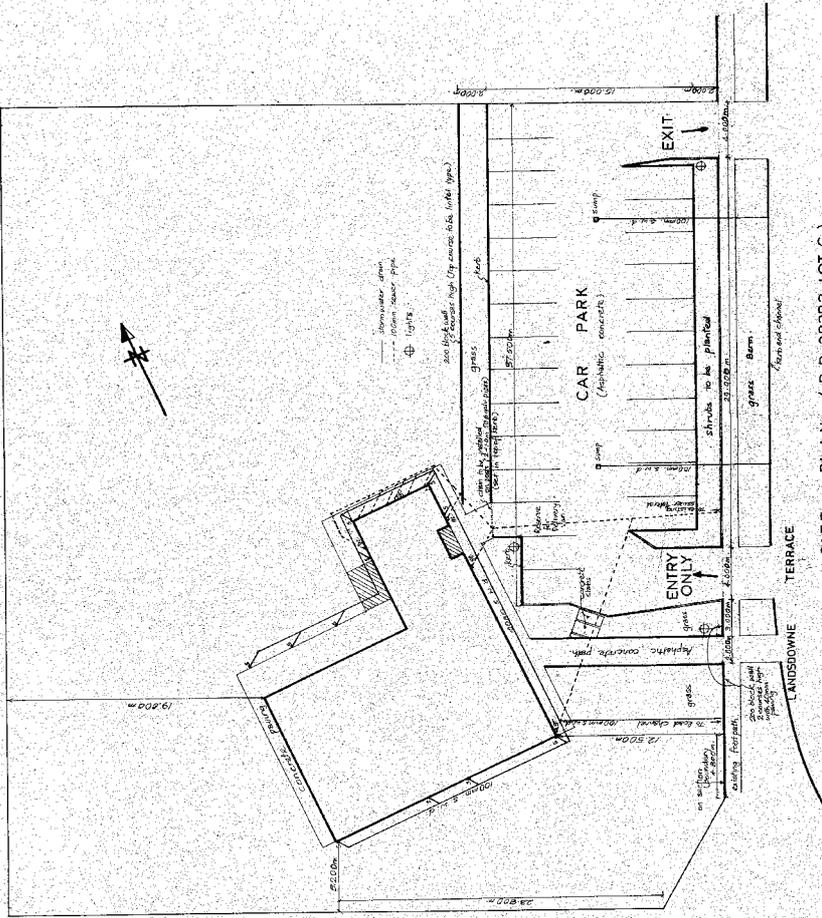
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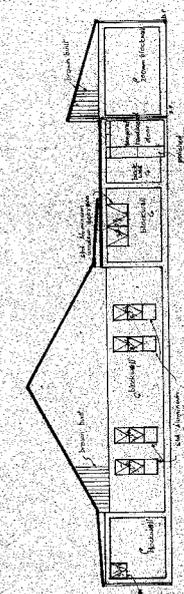
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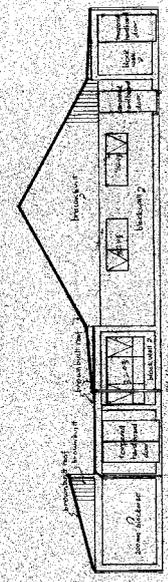
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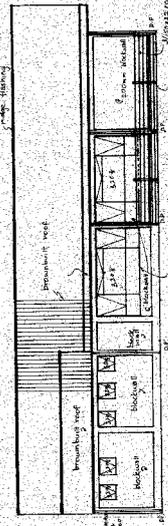
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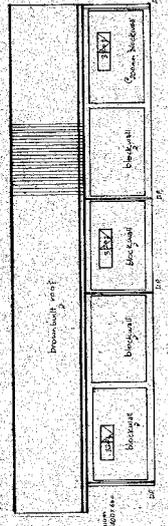
EAST ELEVATION



WEST ELEVATION



NORTH ELEVATION



SOUTH ELEVATION



NOTE: ROOFING IS OF BROWN/JULI 300 MARR III.  
EXTERIOR WALLS ARE OF 200 BLOCKWORK.  
ELECTRICAL AND PLUMBING TO BE INSTALLED  
BY OTHER CONTRACTORS. CONTRACTOR SHALL VERIFY ALL DIMENSIONS  
BEFORE STARTING WORK.

SCALES  
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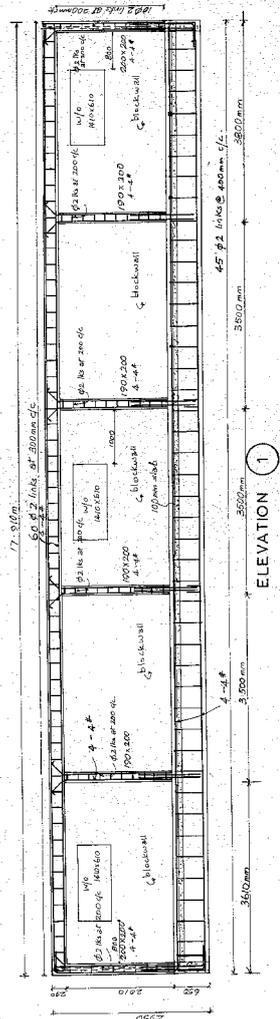
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LANDSDOWNE COMMUNITY CENTRE

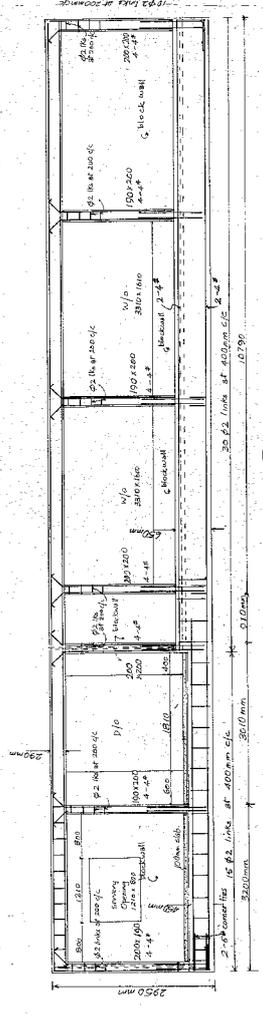
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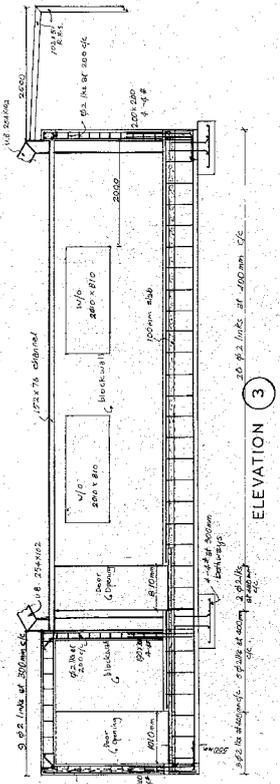




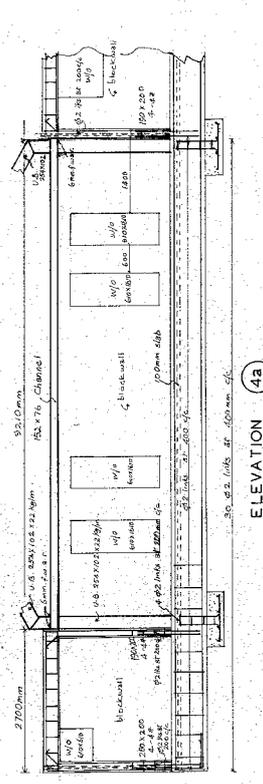
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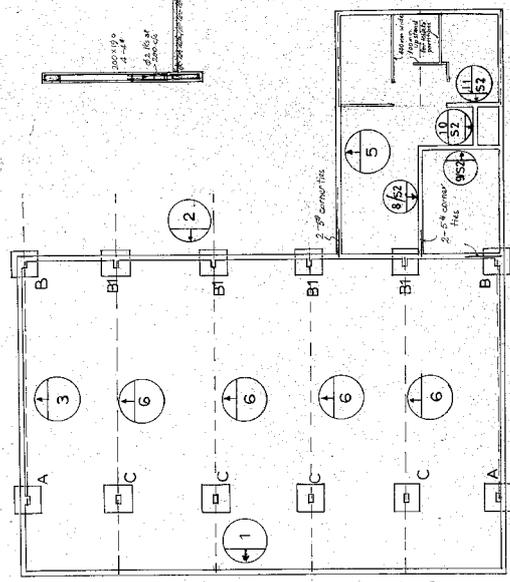
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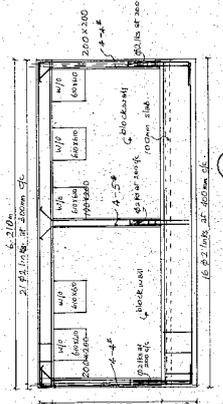
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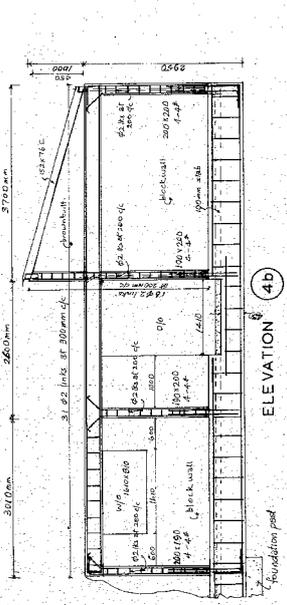
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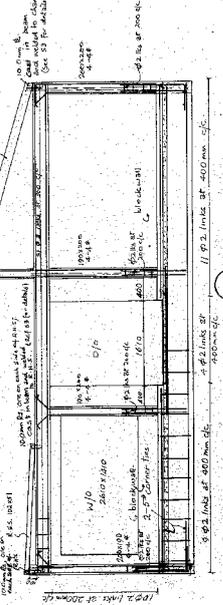
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ELEVATION 7



ELEVATION 4b

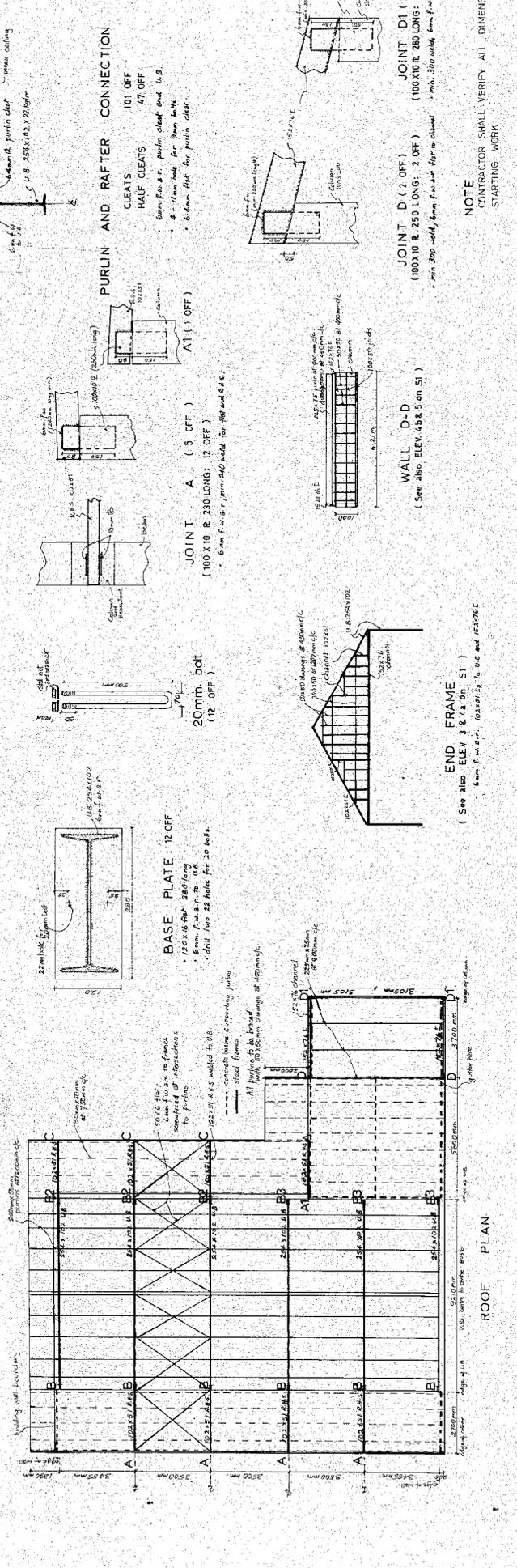
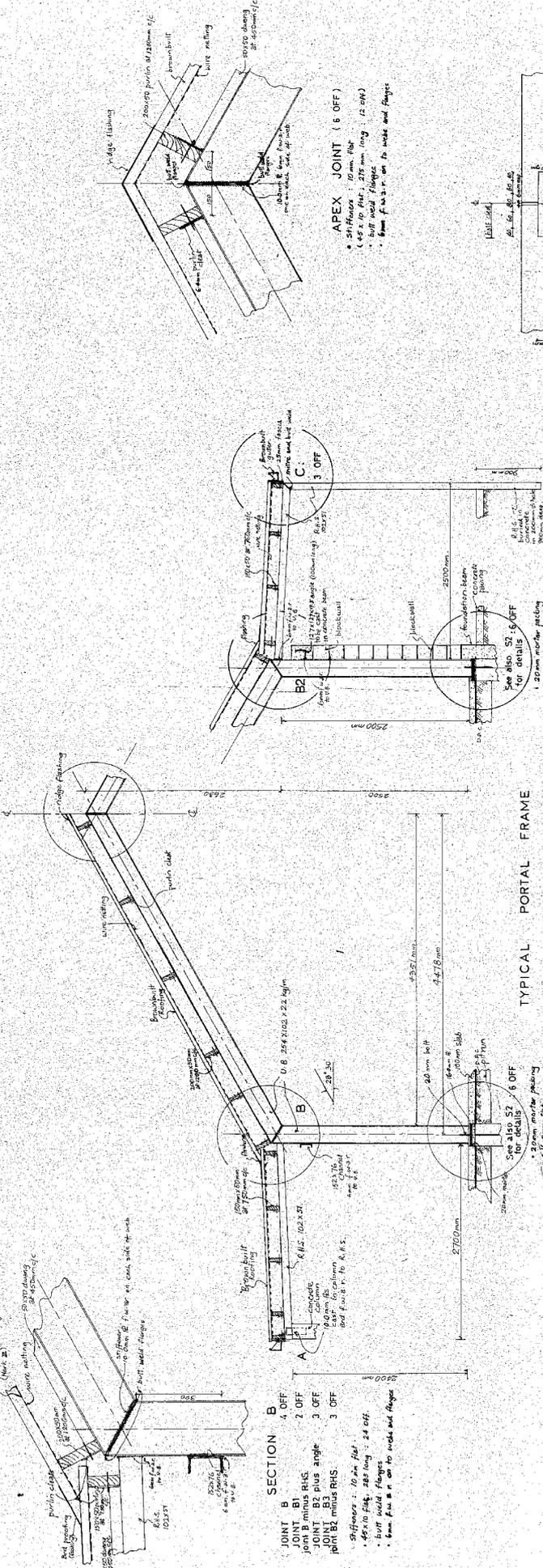


ELEVATION 5

DETAILS OF REINFORCEMENT  
 • ALL columns shall be 300 c/c  
 • ALL beams shall be 300 c/c  
 • ALL beams shall be 4-#4 with #2 links at 300 c/c  
 • ALL beams shall be 4-#4 with #2 links at 400 c/c  
 • ALL foundation beams shall be 4-#4 with #2 links at 400 c/c  
 • FLOOR & PAVING : 65 mesh

NOTE  
 BLOCKWORK REINFORCEMENTS ARE 12.5 mm BARS  
 AT 600mm CENTRES IN COLUMNS AND BEAMS  
 ALL REINFORCING IN COLUMNS AND BEAMS  
 ARE SIMILAR UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED.  
 CONTRACTOR SHALL VERIFY ALL DIMENSIONS  
 BEFORE STARTING WORK





NOTE  
 CONTRACTOR SHALL VERIFY ALL DIMENSIONS BEFORE  
 STARTING WORK

Appendix C

## CERA DEE Summary Data

Detailed Engineering Evaluation Summary Data

V1.11

<b>Location</b>		Building Name: Landsdowne Community Centre	Unit: No: Street	Reviewer: David Whittaker
Building Address: 8 Landsdowne Terrace, Cashmere		CPEng No: 123089		Company: Beca
Legal Description:		Company project number: 5323355		Company phone number: 03 3663521
GPS south: _____		Degrees Min Sec		Date of submission: 15/07/2013
GPS east: _____				Inspection Date: 8/08/2012
Building Unique Identifier (CCC): BU 1771-001				Revision: Final
				Is there a full report with this summary? yes

<b>Site</b>		Site slope: flat	Max retaining height (m): 0
Soil type: _____		Soil Profile (if available): _____	
Site Class (to NZS1170.5): D		If Ground improvement on site, describe: _____	
Proximity to waterway (m, if < 100m): _____		Approx site elevation (m): _____	
Proximity to cliff top (m, if < 100m): _____			
Proximity to cliff base (m, if < 100m): _____			

<b>Building</b>		No. of storeys above ground: 1	single storey = 1	Ground floor elevation (Absolute) (m): _____
Ground floor split? no		Ground floor elevation above ground (m): 0.00	If Foundation type is other, describe: Shallow foundations	
Storeys below ground: 0		height from ground to level of uppermost seismic mass (for IEP only) (m): 5.13		Date of design: 1965-1976
Foundation type: other (describe)				
Building height (m): 5.13				
Floor footprint area (approx): 280				
Age of Building (years): 37				
Strengthening present? no		If so, when (year)? _____		
Use (ground floor): other (specify) _____		And what load level (%g)? _____		
Use (upper floors): _____		Brief strengthening description: _____		
Use notes (if required): Child care centre				
Importance level (to NZS1170.5): IL2				

<b>Gravity Structure</b>		Gravity System: frame system	rafter type, purlin type and cladding: steel portal rafters, timber purlins and lightweight metal sheeting
Roof: steel framed		Floors: concrete flat slab	slab thickness (mm): 100
Beams: steel non-composite		beam and connector type: 254 x 102 x 22 UB, note concrete beams used in kitchen	typical dimensions (mm x mm) thickness (mm): 254 x 102 x 22 UB, note concrete columns used in walls
Columns: structural steel		Walls: partially filled concrete masonry	190

<b>Lateral load resisting structure</b>		Lateral system along: concrete frame with infill	Note: Define along and across in detailed report! from parameters in sheet	note total length of wall at ground (m): 38
Ductility assumed, $\mu$ : 1.25		Period along: 0.40		estimate or calculation? wall thickness (m): 0.2
Total deflection (ULS) (mm): _____		maximum interstorey deflection (ULS) (mm): _____		estimate or calculation? _____
Lateral system across: welded and bolted steel moment frame		Ductility assumed, $\mu$ : 1.25		estimate or calculation? note typical bay length (m): 9.2
Period across: 0.40		Total deflection (ULS) (mm): _____	estimate or calculation? _____	
maximum interstorey deflection (ULS) (mm): _____			estimate or calculation? _____	

<b>Separations:</b>		north (mm): _____	leave blank if not relevant
east (mm): _____			
south (mm): _____			
west (mm): _____			

<b>Non-structural elements</b>		Stairs: exposed structure	describe: none
Wall cladding: Metal		describe: Painted masonry walls	
Roof cladding: aluminium frames		describe: Lightweight metal sheeting	
Glazing: plaster, fixed			
Cellinas: Electrical, plumbing			

<b>Available documentation</b>		Architectural: full	original designer name/date: _____
Structural: full		Mechanical: none	original designer name/date: County Engineer RJ Anderson/1975
Electrical: none		original designer name/date: _____	
Geotech report: none		original designer name/date: _____	

<b>Damage</b>		Site performance: Good	Describe damage: No damage observed
Settlement: none observed		Differential settlement: none observed	notes (if applicable): _____
Liquefaction: none apparent		Lateral Spread: none apparent	notes (if applicable): _____
Differential lateral spread: none apparent		Ground cracks: none apparent	notes (if applicable): _____
Damage to area: none apparent			notes (if applicable): _____

<b>Building:</b>		Current Placard Status: green	
Along		Damage ratio: 0%	Describe how damage ratio arrived at: minor step cracks in masonry blocks
Describe (summary): _____			
Across		Damage ratio: 0%	$Damage\_Ratio = \frac{(\% NBS (before) - \% NBS (after))}{\% NBS (before)}$
Describe (summary): _____			
Diaphragms		Damage?: no	Describe: _____
CSWs:		Damage?: no	Describe: _____
Pounding:		Damage?: no	Describe: _____
Non-structural:		Damage?: no	Describe: _____

<b>Recommendations</b>		Level of repair/strengthening required: minor structural	Describe: minor step cracks in masonry blocks
Building Consent required: no		Interim occupancy recommendations: full occupancy	Describe: _____
Along		Assessed %NBS before: 68%	If IEP not used, please detail assessment methodology: Force Based Quantitative Assessment
Assessed %NBS after: 68%		#### %NBS from IEP below	
Across		Assessed %NBS before: 66%	#### %NBS from IEP below
Assessed %NBS after: 66%			

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): 1965-1976 h<sub>n</sub> from above: 5.13m  
 Seismic Zone, if designed between 1965 and 1992:  not required for this age of building  
not required for this age of building

along across  
 Period (from above): 0.4 0.4  
 (%NBS)<sub>nom</sub> from Fig 3.3:

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  
 Note 2: for RC buildings designed between 1976-1984, use 1.2  
 Note 3: for buildings designed prior to 1935 use 0.8, except in Wellington (1.0)

along across  
 Final (%NBS)<sub>nom</sub>: 0% 0%

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), Factor A: #DIV/0! #DIV/0!

2.3 Hazard Scaling Factor Hazard factor Z for site from AS1170.5, Table 3.3:   
 Z<sub>res</sub>, from NZS4203:1992   
 Hazard scaling factor, Factor B: #DIV/0!

2.4 Return Period Scaling Factor Building Importance level (from above):   
 Return Period Scaling factor from Table 3.1, Factor C:

2.5 Ductility Scaling Factor Assessed ductility (less than max in Table 3.2)   
 Ductility scaling factor: = 1 from 1976 onwards; or =k<sub>u</sub>, if pre-1976, from Table 3.3:   
 along across  
 Ductility Scaling Factor, Factor D: 0.00 0.00

2.6 Structural Performance Scaling Factor: Sp:   
 Structural Performance Scaling Factor Factor E: #DIV/0! #DIV/0!

2.7 Baseline %NBS, (NBS)<sub>lb</sub> = (%NBS)<sub>nom</sub> x A x B x C x D x E %NBS: #DIV/0! #DIV/0!

Global Critical Structural Weaknesses: (refer to NZSEE IEP Table 3.4)

- 3.1. Plan Irregularity, factor A:  1
- 3.2. Vertical irregularity, Factor B:  1
- 3.3. Short columns, Factor C:  1
- 3.4. Pounding potential Pounding effect D1, from Table to right:   
 Height Difference effect D2, from Table to right:   
 Therefore, Factor D:  0
- 3.5. Site Characteristics  1

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

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

3.6. Other factors, Factor F For ≤ 3 storeys, max value =2.5, otherwise max valule =1.5, no minimum  
 Rationale for choice of F factor, if not 1:

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) 0.00 0.00

4.3 PAR x (%NBS)<sub>b</sub>: PAR x Baseline %NBS: #DIV/0! #DIV/0!

4.4 Percentage New Building Standard (%NBS), (before) #DIV/0!

Official Use only:  
 Accepted By:   
 Date:

Appendix D

## Previous Reports and Assessments

Tared Sullivan 021-190009

**Christchurch Eq. RAPID Assessment Form - LEVEL 1**

Inspector Initials  
Territorial Authority

TS  
Christchurch City

Date of Inspection  
Time

18/6/2011

Exterior Only  
Exterior and Interior

Building Name

Landsdown Community Ctr.

Short Name

BU 1771-001

Type of Construction

Address

8 Landsdown Tce.

Timber frame

Concrete shear wall

Steel frame

Unreinforced masonry

Tilt-up concrete

Reinforced masonry

GPS Co-ordinates

S°          E°         

Concrete frame

Confined masonry

Contact Name

RC frame with masonry infill

Other:

Contact Phone

Storeys at and above ground level

1 Below ground level 0

Primary Occupancy

Dwelling

Commercial/ Offices

Total gross floor area (m<sup>2</sup>)

500.620 Year built 1976

Other residential

Industrial

No of residential Units

N/A

Public assembly

Government

School

Heritage Listed

Religious

Other

Photo Taken

Yes  No

Investigate the building for the conditions listed below:

Overall Hazards / Damage	Minor/None	Moderate	Severe	Comments
Collapse, partial collapse, off foundation	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<u>No damage observed.</u>
Building or storey leaning	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Wall or other structural damage	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Overhead falling hazard	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Ground movement, settlement, slips	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Neighbouring building hazard	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Other	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

Choose a posting based on the evaluation and team judgement. Severe conditions affecting the whole building are grounds for an UNSAFE posting. Localised Severe and overall Moderate conditions may require a RESTRICTED USE. Place INSPECTED placard at main entrance. Post all other placards at every significant entrance.

INSPECTED  
GREEN

RESTRICTED USE  
YELLOW

UNSAFE  
RED

Record any restriction on use or entry:

Further Action Recommended:

Tick the boxes below only if further actions are recommended

- Barricades are needed (state location):
- Level 2 or detailed engineering evaluation recommended
  - Structural
  - Geotechnical
  - Other:
- Other recommendations:

Estimated Overall Building Damage (Exclude Contents)

- None
- 0-1 %  31-60 %
- 2-10 %  61-99 %
- 11-30 %  100 %

Sign here on completion

[Signature]

Date & Time 18/6/2011

ID 209474

CHM

Inspection ID \_\_\_\_\_ (Office Use Only)

# Christchurch Eq RAPID Assessment Form - LEVEL 2

Inspector Initials	<input type="text"/>	Date	<input type="text"/>	Final Posting	<input type="text"/>
Territorial Authority	Christchurch City	Time	<input type="text"/>	(e.g. UNSAFE)	

Building Name		Type of Construction	
Short Name	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Timber frame	<input type="checkbox"/> Concrete shear wall
Address	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Steel frame	<input type="checkbox"/> Unreinforced masonry
GPS Co-ordinates	S° <input type="text"/> E° <input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Tilt-up concrete	<input type="checkbox"/> Reinforced masonry
Contact Name	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Concrete frame	<input type="checkbox"/> Confined masonry
Contact Phone	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> RC frame with masonry Infill	<input type="checkbox"/> Other:
Stores at and above ground level	Below ground level <input type="text"/>	Primary Occupancy	
Total gross floor area (m <sup>2</sup> )	Year built <input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Dwelling	<input type="checkbox"/> Commercial/ Offices
No of residential Units	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Other residential	<input type="checkbox"/> Industrial
Photo Taken	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Public assembly	<input type="checkbox"/> Government
		<input type="checkbox"/> School	<input type="checkbox"/> Heritage Listed
		<input type="checkbox"/> Religious	<input type="checkbox"/> Other

Investigate the building for the conditions listed on page 1 and 2, and check the appropriate column. A sketch may be added on page 3

Overall Hazards / Damage	Minor/None	Moderate	Severe	Comments
Collapse, partial collapse, off foundation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
Building or storey leaning	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
Wall or other structural damage	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
Overhead falling hazard	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
Ground movement, settlement, slips	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
Neighbouring building hazard	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
Electrical, gas, sewerage, water, hazmats	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>

Record any existing placard on this building:

Existing Placard Type (e.g. UNSAFE)

Choose a new posting based on the new evaluation and team judgement. Severe conditions affecting the whole building are grounds for an UNSAFE posting. Localised Severe and overall Moderate conditions may require a RESTRICTED USE. Place INSPECTED placard at main entrance. Post all other placards at every significant entrance. Transfer the chosen posting to the top of this page.

INSPECTED  
GREEN  G1  G2

RESTRICTED USE  
YELLOW  Y1  Y2

UNSAFE  
RED  R1  R2  R3

Record any restriction on use or entry:

Further Action Recommended:

*Tick the boxes below only if further actions are recommended*

- Barricades are needed (state location):
- Detailed engineering evaluation recommended
- Structural                       Geotechnical                       Other:
- Other recommendations:

P 5 1 0

Estimated Overall Building Damage (Exclude Contents)

- |         |                          |         |                          |
|---------|--------------------------|---------|--------------------------|
| None    | <input type="checkbox"/> |         | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 0-1 %   | <input type="checkbox"/> | 31-60 % | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2-10 %  | <input type="checkbox"/> | 61-99 % | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 11-30 % | <input type="checkbox"/> | 100 %   | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Sign here on completion

Date & Time  
ID

Inspection ID: \_\_\_\_\_ (Office Use Only)

PROP 1:

Structural Hazards/ Damage	Minor/None	Moderate	Severe	Comments
Foundations	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Roofs, floors (vertical load)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Columns, pilasters, corbels	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Diaphragms, horizontal bracing	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Pre-cast connections	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Beam	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Non-structural Hazards / Damage</b>				
Parapets, ornamentation	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Cladding, glazing	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Ceilings, light fixtures	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Interior walls, partitions	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Elevators	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Stairs/ Exits	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Utilities (eg. gas, electricity, water)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Other	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Geotechnical Hazards / Damage</b>				
Slope failure, debris	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Ground movement, fissures	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Soil bulging, liquefaction	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

General Comment \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ *no damage observed* \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ *Minor crack at joint between toilet* \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ *block + main building* \_\_\_\_\_

Usability Category

Damage Intensity	Posting	Usability Category	Remarks
Light damage	Inspected (Green)	G1. Occupiable, no immediate further investigation required	
Low risk		G2. Occupiable, repairs required	
Medium damage	Restricted Use (Yellow)	Y1. Short term entry	
Medium risk		Y2. No entry to parts until repaired or demolished	
Heavy damage	Unsafe (Red)	R1. Significant damage: repairs, strengthening possible	
High risk		R2. Severe damage: demolition likely	
		R3. At risk from adjacent premises or from ground failure	



Appendix E

## Site Investigations

# Calculation Sheet

Job Name: Landsdowne Community Centre

Job No: 532 3355

Subject: Level 5 DEE

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By: A J S (256)

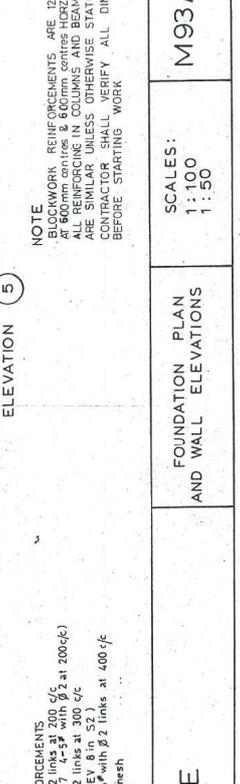
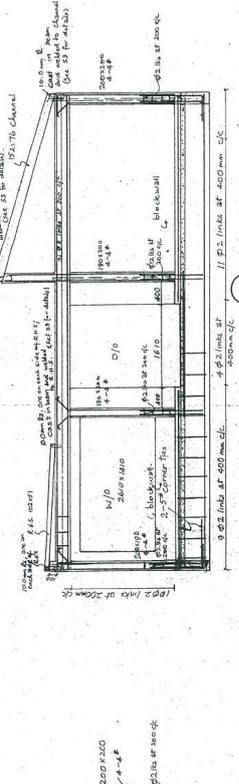
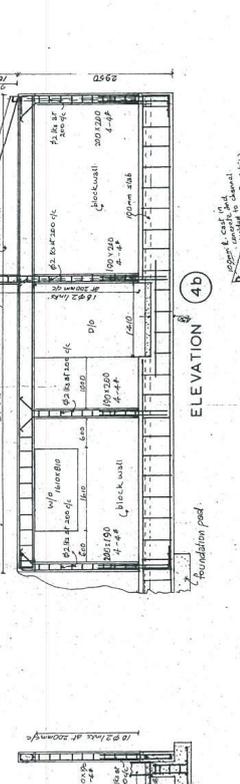
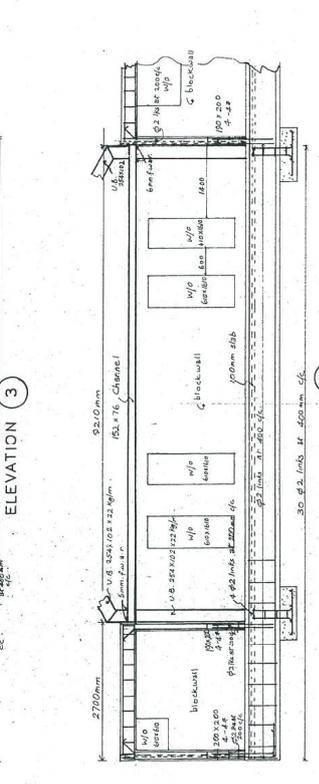
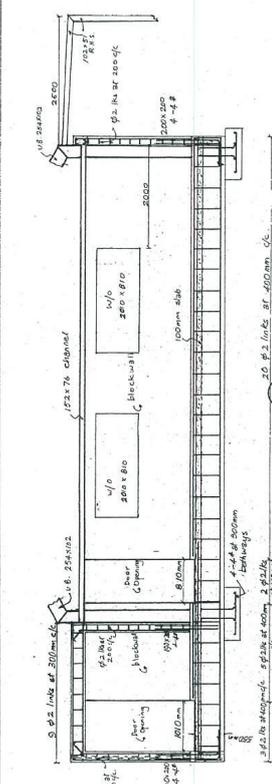
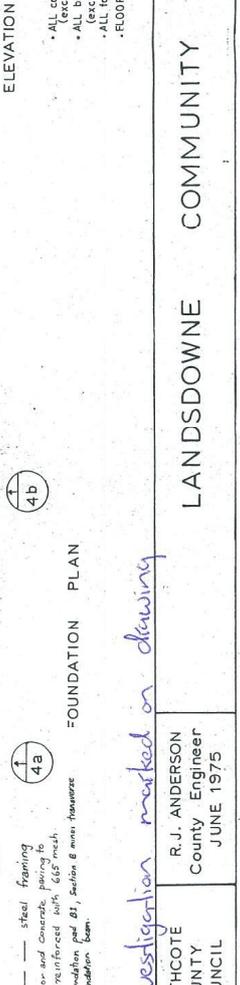
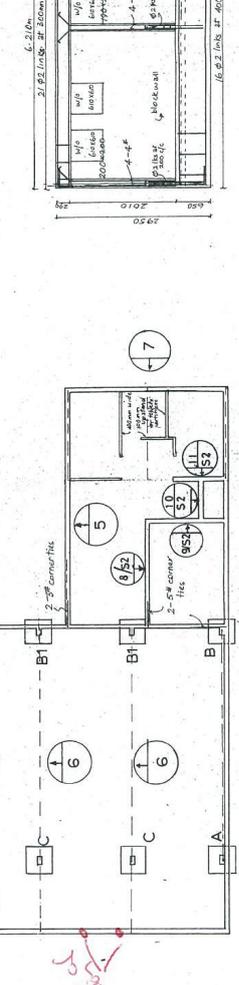
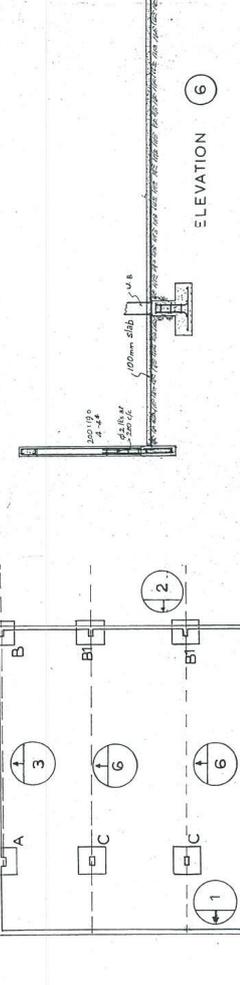
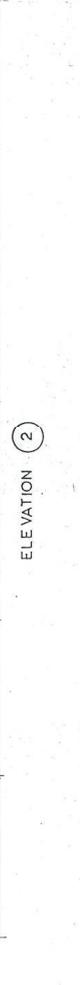
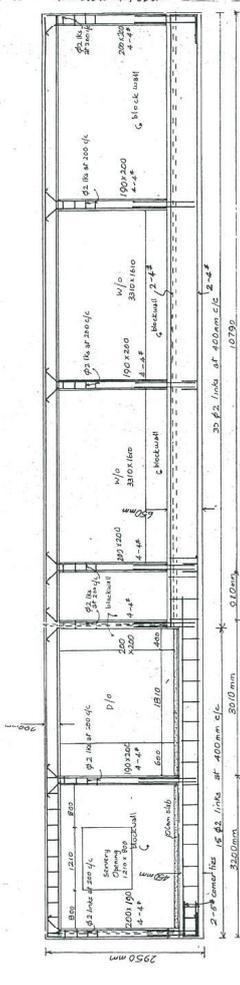
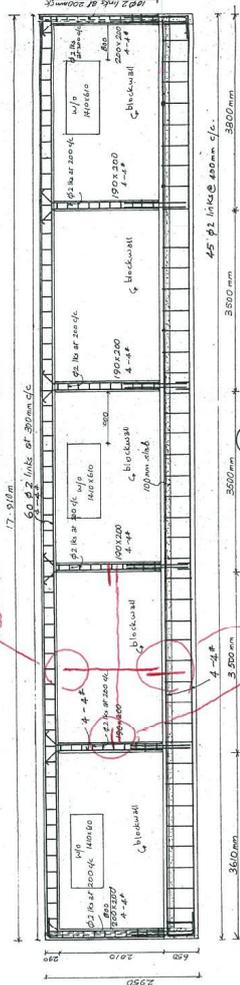
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## Notes for investigation

1. Locate investigation site (along elevation 1). Location will occur near the entrance to the ladies toilets, (not shown on drawings)
2. Use a cover meter to locate the reinforcement in the wall before commencing the investigative scan. Main wall reinforcement is  $\phi 12$  bars at 500mm c/c.
3. Align the investigative scan area centrally to the main wall reinforcing bar.
4. Record and report the results of the x-ray scan. Show location of all reinforcement within the scanned area.

*Confirm reinforcement*

*confirm reinforcement*



**DETAILS OF REINFORCEMENTS**

- ALL columns: 4-#4 with 2 links at 200mm c/c
- ALL beams: 4-#4 with 2 links at 200mm c/c (except beam shown in ELEV. 8 in S2)
- ALL foundation beams: 4-#4 with 2 links at 400mm c/c
- FLOOR & PAVING: 665 mesh

**FOUNDATION PLAN**

- Steel framing
- Floor and concrete paving to be reinforced with 665 mesh
- Foundation part B1, section B min. thickness Foundation beam

*Location of investigation*

**NOTE**

BLOCKWORK REINFORCEMENTS ARE 125mm BARS ALL REINFORCING IN COLUMNS AND BEAMS ARE SIMILAR UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED. CONTRACTOR SHALL VERIFY ALL DIMENSIONS BEFORE STARTING WORK



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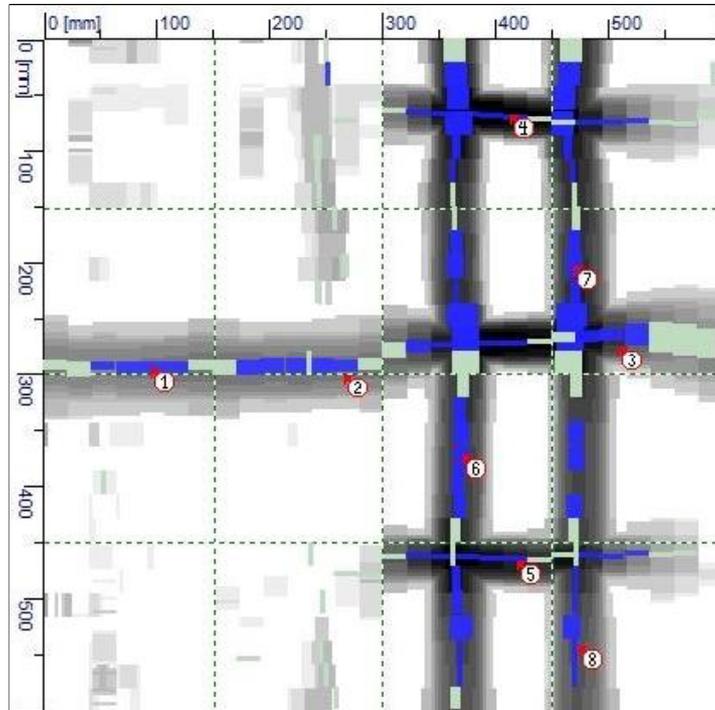
- \* Investigation & key scan areas shown. (approximate location)
- \* Confirm reinforcing bar location before completing scan.

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Location: 4 Lansdowne Terrace, Cashmere

Operator: Frank Kang

Comment:

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2	266	300	Concrete cover = 56mm, Estimated bar size = 12mm
3	510	275	Concrete cover = 40mm, Estimated bar size = 12mm
4	414	67	Concrete cover = 25mm, Estimated bar size = 6mm
5	421	467	Concrete cover = 30mm, Estimated bar size = 6mm
6	373	374	Concrete cover = 42mm, Estimated bar size = 14mm
7	470	203	Concrete cover = 39mm, Estimated bar size = 12mm
8	475	542	Concrete cover = 47mm, Estimated bar size = 16mm

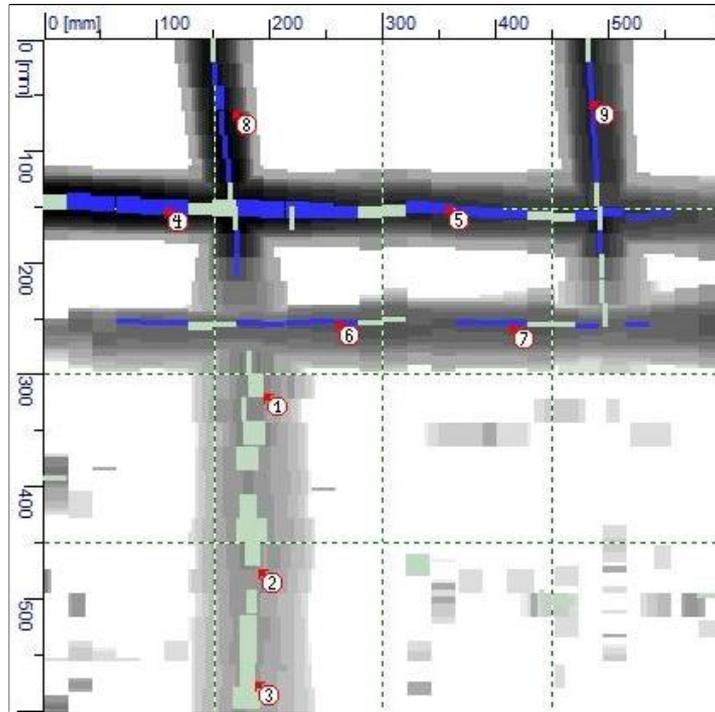
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Operator: Frank Kang

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2	190	475	Concrete cover = 87mm, Estimated bar size = 14mm
3	188	575	Concrete cover = 92mm, Estimated bar size = 14mm
4	107	151	Concrete cover = 45mm, Estimated bar size = 14mm
5	356	149	Concrete cover = 50mm, Estimated bar size = 12mm
6	259	252	Concrete cover = 51mm, Estimated bar size = 6mm
7	415	255	Concrete cover = 52mm, Estimated bar size = 6mm
8	167	64	Concrete cover = 43mm, Estimated bar size = 8mm
9	486	55	Concrete cover = 45mm, Estimated bar size = 6mm

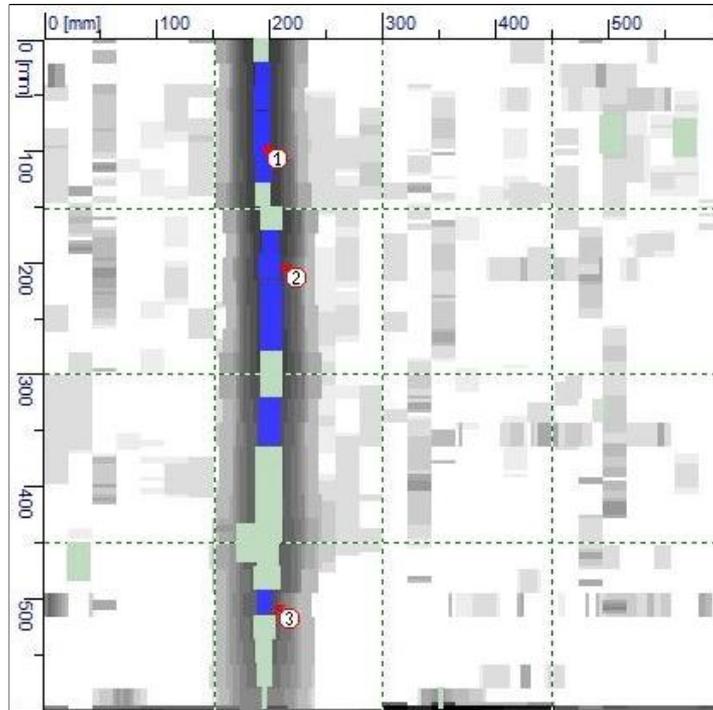
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Location: 4 Lansdowne Terrace, Cashmere

Operator: Frank Kang

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2	211	200	Concrete cover = 51mm, Estimated bar size = 16mm
3	205	507	Concrete cover = 59mm, Estimated bar size = 14mm

Project: Landsdowne Community Centre

# Calculation Sheet

Job Name: Landsdowne Community Centre

Job No: 5 3 2 3 3 5 5

Subject: Further Investigations

Page No: 1 of 9

By: A J S ( 2 5 6 )

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## Aim:

To confirm the connection between the 152 x 76 PFC in the end bay frame and the wall as well as the orientation of the PFC

## Investigation Required

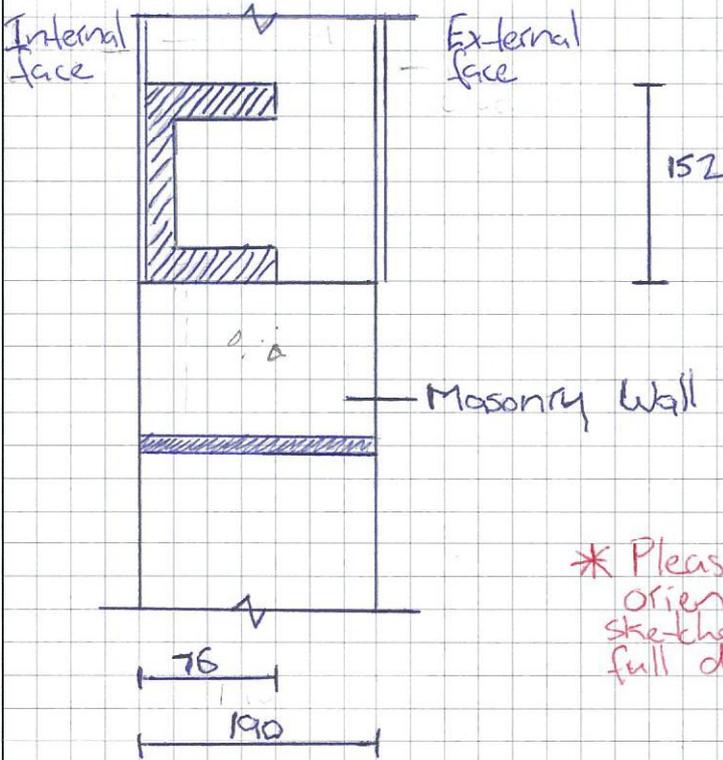
- 1 Removed external cladding to reveal the PFC (if this provides inadequate access open internal face as well).
- 2 It is suggested that the investigation occurs in the corner, near the portal frame knee (see photo)
- 3 Perform investigation at both ends of the building. Open external face of wall first.
- 4 Confirm the orientation of the beam. Mark up on page 2 and show additional details if present
- 5 Confirm the connection detail. Mark up on page 3 and show additional details if present.  
If the connection detail is different to those assumed on page 3 then sketch up connection and photograph the connection.
- 7 Photograph the investigation

# Calculation Sheet

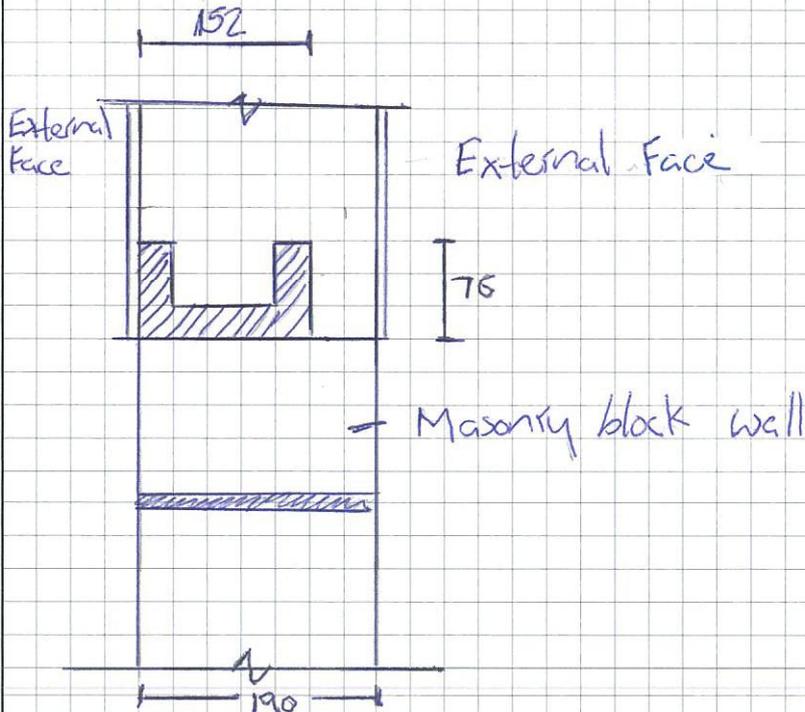
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## 1. Orientation of the 152x76 PFC Section



\* Please confirm orientation of PFC. sketches do not show full details.

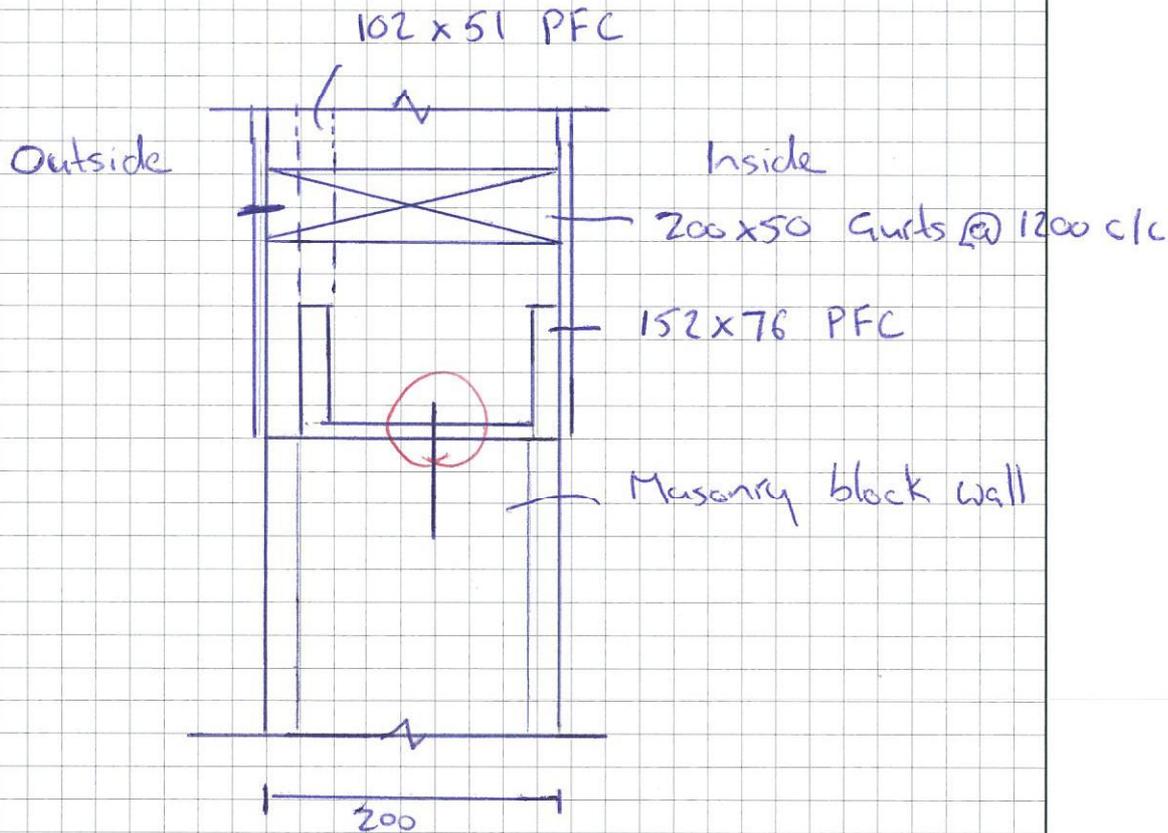


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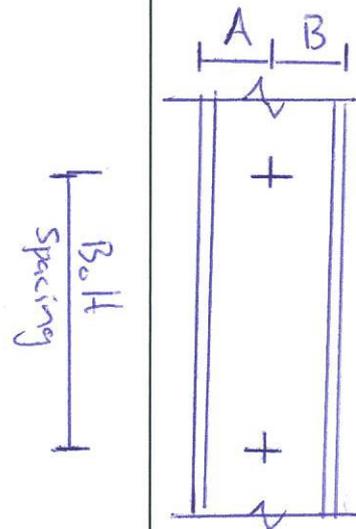
Connection between 152 x 76 PFC Section and Wall.



○ show: investigation location.

## Investigation

Bolt diameter =                      mm  
 Bolt spacing =                      mm  
 Edge Distance A =                      mm  
 Edge Distance B =                      mm

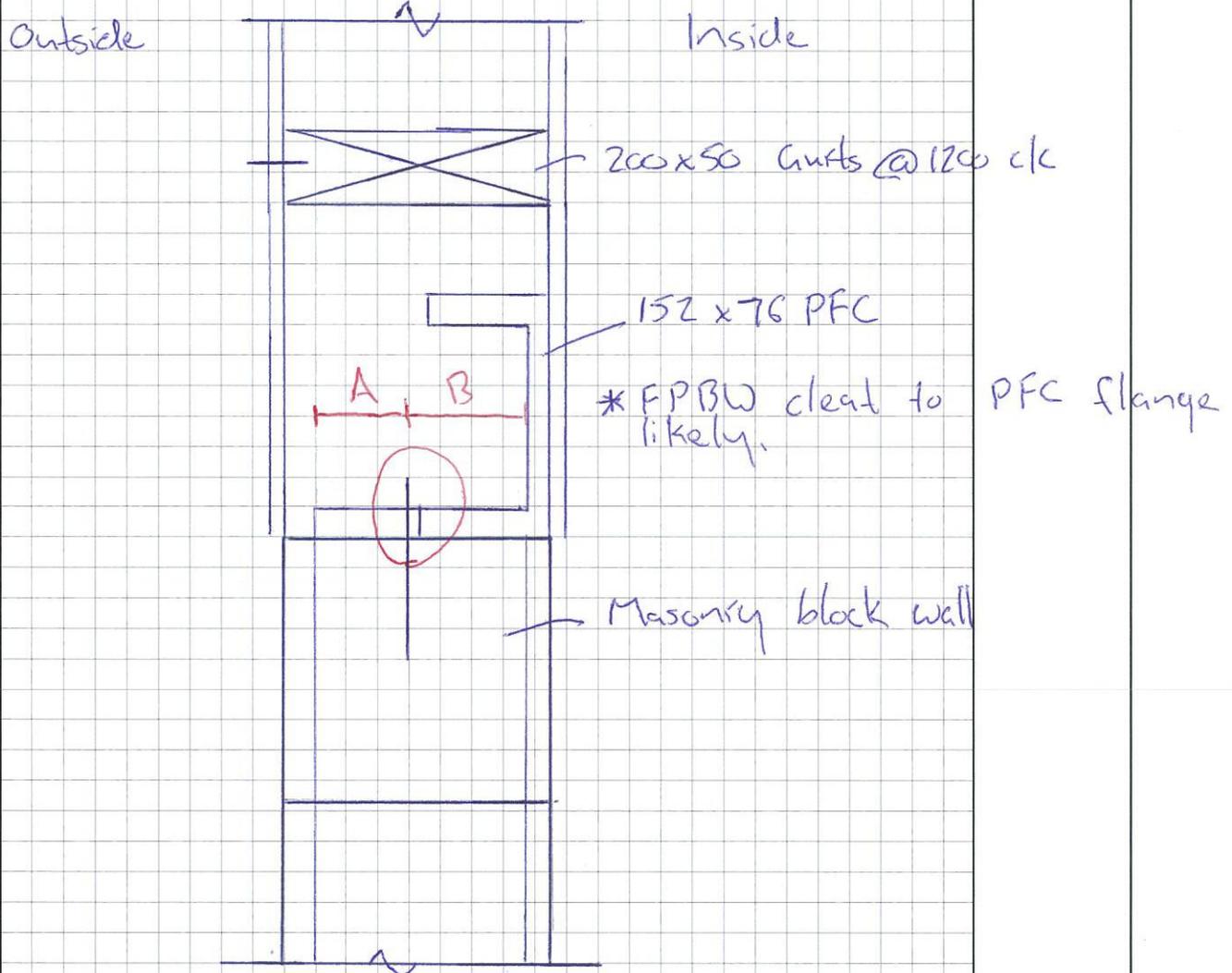


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Connection between 152 x 76 PFC Section and Wall.



Investigation

Bolt diameter =                      mm  
 Bolt Spacing =                      mm      → See diagram on page  
 Edge Distance A =                      mm  
 Edge Distance B =                      mm



Location of investigation area (typical) shown in red.

Notes:

1. Open up external face first, if this is inadequate for investigation then open up internal face as well.
2. Perform investigation for both ends of the building as shown on the drawings.



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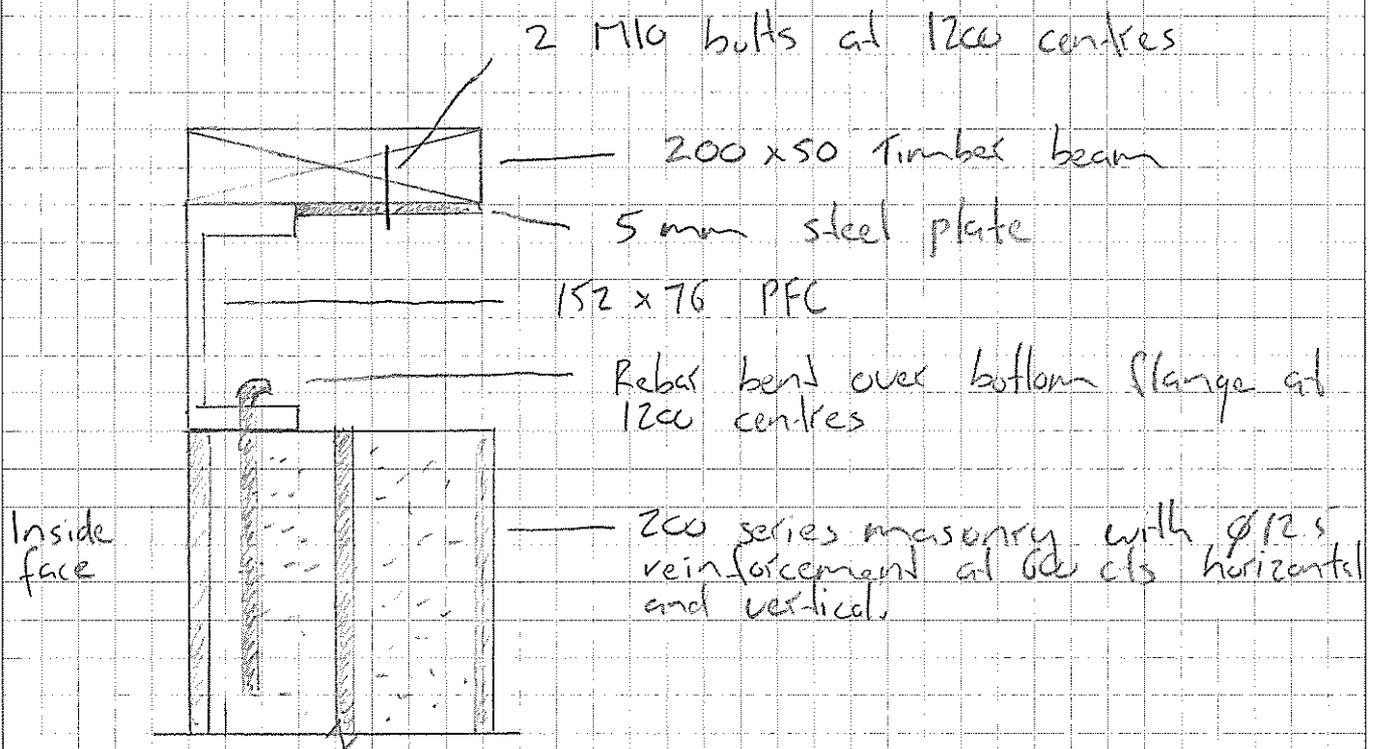
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### Intrusive Investigation 2 Results - End wall PFC

- Investigation performed by L. CHEN on 12/11/2012.
- See Page 2 of 2

### Section through Wall 4 and 3 (typ)



See photos on next page.

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152 x 76 PFC Beam  
along end wall grids

Photo 1: View from outside onto end wall



Reinforcing bar bent over bottom  
flange of PFC to connect PFC and  
wall. Connections at 1200 centres.

Photo 2: View along end wall



2 M10 bolts into 5mm plate welded  
to top flange of PFC to connect to  
200 x 50 timber beam above.  
Connections at 1200 centres.

Photo 3: View of top plate connection



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Intrusive investigations performed on 05/07/2013 to confirm the presence of starter bars in the end walls.

It was found that the vertical wall reinforcement continued into the foundation beams. The wall is reinforced vertically with 12.5mm bars at 600mm centres. The reinforced cores were typically filled at the location of reinforcing.

Note: At hole location 1 on the west wall the wall reinforcement was bent to avoid contacting the joint in the masonry. At hole location 2 on the wall wall the masonry core was not filled due to the location of electrical socket.



Photo 1: West wall hole 1



Photo 2: West wall hole 2



Photo 3: East wall hole 1



Photo 4: East wall hole 2

Photos 3 and 4 are representative of typical situation expected.