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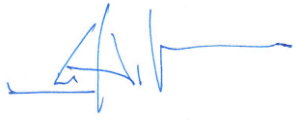
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# Executive Summary

This is a summary of the Qualitative Engineering Evaluation for the Ouruhia Domain Toilets building and is based on the Detailed Engineering Evaluation Procedure document issued by the Engineering Advisory Group on 19 July 2011, visual inspections, available structural documentation and summary calculations as appropriate.

<b>Building Details</b>	<b>Name</b>	Ouruhia Domain Toilets			
<b>Building Location ID</b>	PRK 0391 BLDG 001 EQ2			<b>Multiple Building Site</b>	N
<b>Building Address</b>	735 Marshland Road (access off Chenery Ave)			<b>No. of residential units</b>	0
<b>Soil Technical Category</b>	NA	<b>Importance Level</b>	2	<b>Approximate Year Built</b>	1989
<b>Foot Print (m<sup>2</sup>)</b>	23	<b>Storeys above ground</b>	1	<b>Storeys below ground</b>	0
<b>Type of Construction</b>	Light weight roof, timber purlins and rafters, concrete masonry walls, strip footings beneath the concrete masonry walls and slab on grade foundations.				
<b>Qualitative L4 Report Results Summary</b>					
<b>Building Occupied</b>	Y	The Ouruhia Domain Toilets is currently in service.			
<b>Suitable for Continued Occupancy</b>	Y	The Ouruhia Domain Toilets is suitable for continued use.			
<b>Key Damage Summary</b>	Y	Refer to summary of building damage Section 3.1 report body.			
<b>Critical Structural Weaknesses (CSW)</b>	N	No critical structural weaknesses were identified.			
<b>Levels Survey Results</b>	N	Given the low levels of damage noted in the damage assessment, a levels survey is considered unnecessary.			
<b>Building %NBS From Analysis</b>	>100%	Based on an analysis of bracing capacity and demand.			
<b>Qualitative L4 Report Recommendations</b>					
<b>Geotechnical Survey Required</b>	N	Geotechnical survey not required due to lack of observed ground damage on site.			
<b>Proceed to L5 Quantitative DEE</b>	N	A quantitative DEE is not required for this structure.			
<b>Approval</b>					
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# 1 Introduction

## 1.1 General

On 25 May 2012 Aurecon engineers visited the Ouruhia Domain Toilets to undertake a qualitative building damage assessment on behalf of Christchurch City Council. Detailed visual inspections were carried out to assess the damage caused by the earthquakes on 4 September 2010, 22 February 2011, 13 June 2011, 23 December 2011 and related aftershocks.

The scope of work included:

- Assessment of the nature and extent of the building damage.
- Visual assessment of the building strength particularly with respect to safety of occupants if the building is currently occupied.
- Assessment of requirements for detailed engineering evaluation including geotechnical investigation, level survey and any areas where linings and floor coverings need removal to expose structural damage.

This report outlines the results of our Qualitative Assessment of damage to the Ouruhia Domain Toilets and is based on the Detailed Engineering Evaluation Procedure document issued by the Structural Advisory Group on 19 July 2011, visual inspections, available structural documentation and summary calculations as appropriate.

# 2 Description of the Building

## 2.1 Building Age and Configuration

The Ouruhia Domain Toilets is single storey toilet block constructed in 1989. The building is of concrete masonry wall construction. The building has a light weight timber roof, clad in colour steel, a concrete floor and concrete strip footings below the concrete masonry walls.

The building has an approximate floor area of 23 square metres. It is considered as an importance level 1 structure in accordance with AS/NZS 1170 Part 0:2002.

## 2.2 Building Structural Systems Vertical and Horizontal

The Ouruhia Domain Toilets are of concrete masonry construction. The gravity loads from the timber framed roof are transferred into the ground via the concrete masonry walls and strip footings. The loads from the ground floor are resisted by the concrete floor slab which is founded on a layer of rounded shingle hard fill.

The lateral load resisting system is identical to the gravity system in which the lateral loads in both principal directions are resisted by the concrete masonry walls.

## 2.3 Reference Building Type

The Ouruhia Domain Toilets are of concrete masonry construction typical of the 1980s and 1990s. Although there were no notes in the structural drawings indicating whether the walls are either fully or partially filled, it is assumed that given the lack of horizontal reinforcing bars in the wall drawings that the walls are partially filled.

A general overview of the reference building type, construction era and likely earthquake risk is presented in the figure below. The Ouruhia Domain Toilets is a lightly reinforced partially filled concrete masonry building constructed in the 1989 and according to the figure below is “possibly earthquake prone”.

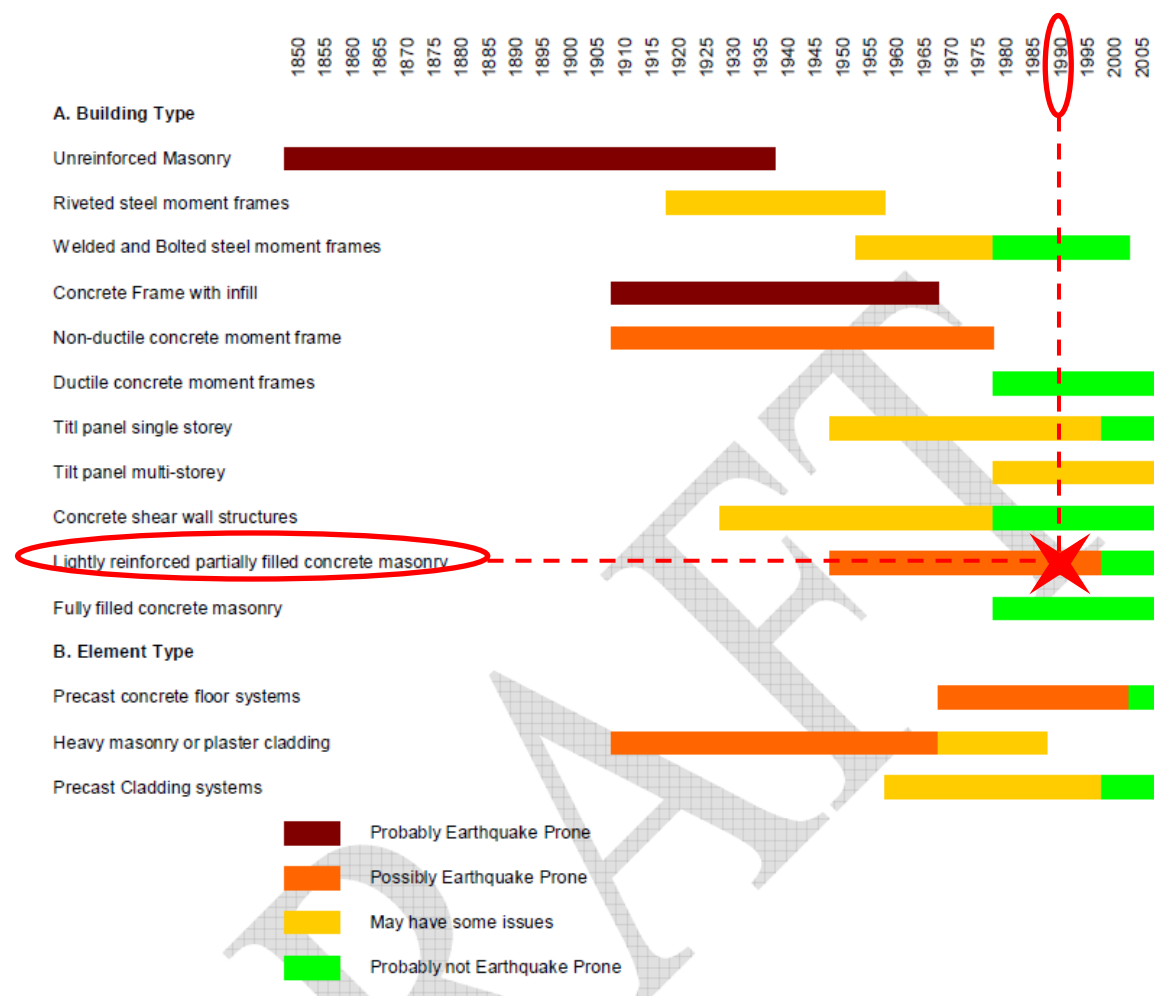


Figure 1: Timeline showing the building types, approximate time of construction and likely earthquake risk.  
(From the Draft Guidance on DEEs of non-residential buildings by the Engineering Advisory Group)

Given the stiff nature of concrete masonry walls, buildings of this nature are particularly prone to plan irregularities. Plan irregularities introduce localised areas of high seismic demand and torsional instabilities, causing local and global failure of the structure. However, as toilet blocks typically lack significant door, window or service openings, the Ouruhia Domain Toilets is precluded from the aforementioned issues.





## 2.4 Building Foundation System and Soil Conditions

The Ouruhia domain is used for non-residential recreational purposes, the Department of Building and Housing (DBH) do not currently have a technical classification for the land in the immediate vicinity of the Ouruhia Domain Toilets. It is of note however, that the closest suburb of Belfast 1 kilometre to the south west consists primarily of Technical Category 2 (TC 2) land. According to CERA, TC2 land is considered to “incur minor to moderate land damage from liquefaction”.

## 2.5 Available Structural Documentation and Inspection Priorities

The only drawings available for the Ouruhia Domain Toilets were the structural drawing set prepared by Works Consultancy Services dated October 1989 for the Waimairi District Council.

The inspection priorities for the building are the review of damage to the mortar joints which are inherently weaker than the concrete masonry blocks. Additionally, the damage assessment focused on the building geometry and other forms of potential damage such as cracking in the concrete masonry block and concrete floor.

## 2.6 Available Survey Information

Given the lack of damage noted to the structure and no signs of ponding, it is considered that the floors were within acceptable limits. As such a levels survey was not undertaken on the concrete floor of the building.

# 3 Structural Investigation

## 3.1 Summary of Building Damage

There was no damage noted in the damage assessment.

## 3.2 Record of Intrusive Investigation

There was no noted damage to the building and therefore, an intrusive investigation was neither warranted nor undertaken for Ouruhia Domain Toilets.

## 3.3 Damage Discussion

No seismic related damage was noted in the damage assessment. This is not surprising given that the building has several long spans of well-distributed walls in both principal directions; thus distributing the seismic shear forces over a large cross-sectional area.

## 4 Building Review Summary

### 4.1 Building Review Statement

As noted above no intrusive investigations were carried out for the Ouruhia Domain Toilets. Because of the generic nature of the building a significant amount of information can be inferred from an external and internal inspection.

### 4.2 Critical Structural Weaknesses

No specific critical structural weaknesses were identified as part of the building qualitative assessment.

## 5 Building Strength (Refer to Appendix C for background information)

### 5.1 General

The Ouruhia Domain Toilets is of lightly reinforced partially filled concrete masonry construction. With well distributed walls and good detailing, the building has performed well in the Canterbury earthquake sequence as evidenced by the lack of noted damage in section 3 above.

### 5.2 Initial %NBS Assessment


The Ouruhia Domain Toilets has not been subject to specific engineering design and the initial evaluation procedure or IEP is not an appropriate method of assessment for this building. Nevertheless an estimate of lateral load capacity can be made by adopting assumed values for strengths of existing materials and calculating the capacity of existing walls.

Selected assessment seismic parameters are tabulated in the tables below.

Table 1: Parameters used in the Seismic Assessment

Seismic Parameter	Quantity	Comment/Reference
Site Soil Class	D	NZS 1170.5:2004, Clause 3.1.3, Deep or Soft Soil
Site Hazard Factor, Z	0.30	DBH Info Sheet on Seismicity Changes (Effective 19 May 2011)
Return period Factor, $R_u$	0.50	NZS 1170.5:2004, Table 3.5, Importance Level 1 Structure with a Design Life of 50 years
Ductility Factor in the Along Direction, $\mu$	1.25	Lightly reinforced, partially filled concrete masonry walls
Ductility Factor in the Across Direction, $\mu$	1.25	Lightly reinforced, partially filled concrete masonry walls





The seismic demand for the Ouruhia Domain Toilets has been calculated based on the current code requirements of NZS 4229:1999 (Concrete Masonry Buildings Not Requiring Specific Engineering Design). The capacity of the existing walls in the building was calculated from assumed strengths of existing materials and the number and length of walls present for both the along and across directions. The seismic demand was then compared with the building capacity in these directions. The building was found to have a sufficient number and length of walls in both the along and across directions to achieve a capacity in excess of 100% NBS.

### 5.3 Results Discussion

The bracing check is in agreement with the observations of the damage assessment. This is not surprising given that the building has an even distribution of long walls that allow the seismic shear forces to be spread over a large wall area; giving the building good seismic performance and torsional stability.

## 6 Conclusions and Recommendations

Given the good performance of the Ouruhia Domain Toilets in the Canterbury earthquake sequence, the lack of foundation damage and the floor levels considered to be within acceptable limits, **a geotechnical investigation is currently not considered necessary.**

Additionally, the building has suffered no loss of functionality and in our opinion the Ouruhia Domain Toilets **is considered suitable for continued occupation.**

## 7 Explanatory Statement

The inspections of the building discussed in this report have been undertaken to assess structural earthquake damage. No analysis has been undertaken to assess the strength of the building or to determine whether or not it complies with the relevant building codes, except to the extent that Aurecon expressly indicates otherwise in the report. Aurecon has not made any assessment of structural stability or building safety in connection with future aftershocks or earthquakes – which have the potential to damage the building and to jeopardise the safety of those either inside or adjacent to the building, except to the extent that Aurecon expressly indicates otherwise in the report.

This report is necessarily limited by the restricted ability to carry out inspections due to potential structural instabilities/safety considerations, and the time available to carry out such inspections. The report does not address defects that are not reasonably discoverable on visual inspection, including defects in inaccessible places and latent defects. Where site inspections were made, they were restricted to external inspections and, where practicable, limited internal visual inspections.

To carry out the structural review, existing building drawings were obtained from the Christchurch City Council records. We have assumed that the building has been constructed in accordance with the drawings.

While this report may assist the client in assessing whether the building should be repaired, strengthened, or replaced that decision is the sole responsibility of the client.

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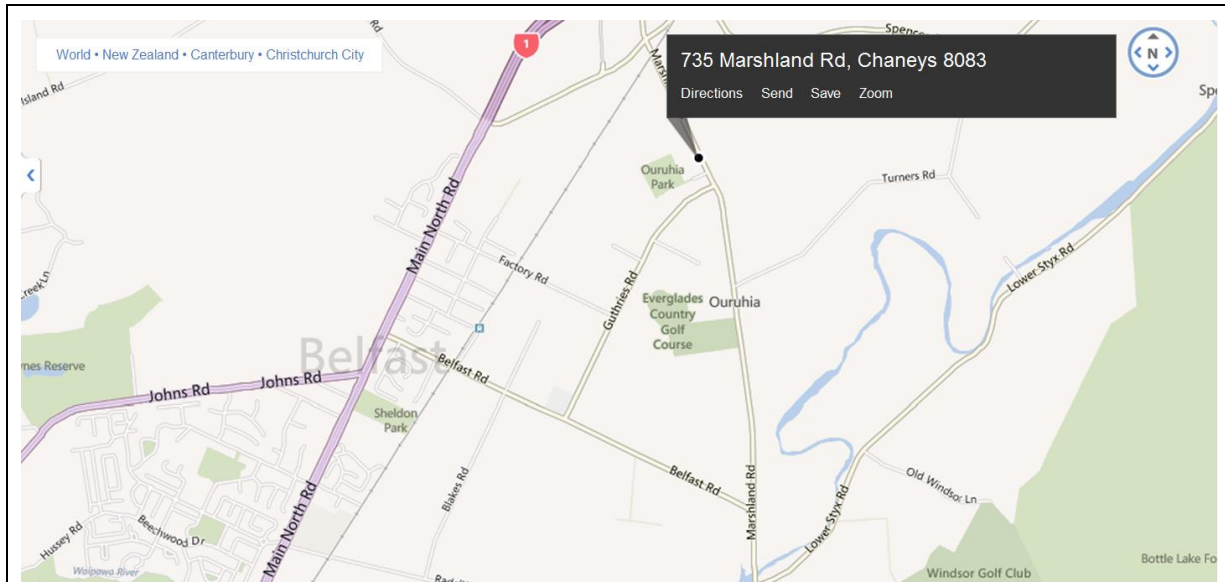
# Appendices



# Appendix A

## Site Map and Photos

25 May 2012 – Ouruhia Domain Toilets Site Photographs



End elevation of the Ouruhia Domain Toilets.



Rear elevation of the Ouruhia Domain Toilets.



Oblique view of the Ouruhia Domain Toilets.



Internal view of the timber framed roof consisting of a ridge beam and rafters.



Interior view of the Ouruhia Domain Toilets.



# Appendix B

## References

1. Department of Building and Housing (DBH), “Revised Guidance on Repairing and Rebuilding Houses Affected by the Canterbury Earthquake Sequence”, November 2011
2. New Zealand Society for Earthquake Engineering (NZSEE), “Assessment and Improvement of the Structural Performance of Buildings in Earthquakes”, April 2012
3. Standards New Zealand, “AS/NZS 1170 Part 0, Structural Design Actions: General Principles”, 2002
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8. Standards New Zealand, “NZS 3606, Timber Structures Standard”, 1993
9. Standards New Zealand, “NZS 3604, Timber Framed Structures”, 2011
10. Standards New Zealand, “NZS 4229, Concrete Masonry Buildings Not Requiring Specific Engineering Design”, 1999
11. Standards New Zealand, “NZS 4230, Design of Reinforced Concrete Masonry Structures”, 2004



# Appendix C

## Strength Assessment Explanation

### New building standard (NBS)

New building standard (NBS) is the term used with reference to the earthquake standard that would apply to a new building of similar type and use if the building was designed to meet the latest design Codes of Practice. If the strength of a building is less than this level, then its strength is expressed as a percentage of NBS.

### Earthquake Prone Buildings

A building can be considered to be earthquake prone if its strength is less than one third of the strength to which an equivalent new building would be designed, that is, less than 33%NBS (as defined by the New Zealand Building Act). If the building strength exceeds 33%NBS but is less than 67%NBS the building is considered at risk.

### Christchurch City Council Earthquake Prone Building Policy 2010

The Christchurch City Council (CCC) already had in place an Earthquake Prone Building Policy (EPB Policy) requiring all earthquake-prone buildings to be strengthened within a timeframe varying from 15 to 30 years. The level to which the buildings were required to be strengthened was 33%NBS.

As a result of the 4 September 2010 Canterbury earthquake the CCC raised the level that a building was required to be strengthened to from 33% to 67% NBS but qualified this as a target level and noted that the actual strengthening level for each building will be determined in conjunction with the owners on a building-by-building basis. Factors that will be taken into account by the Council in determining the strengthening level include the cost of strengthening, the use to which the building is put, the level of danger posed by the building, and the extent of damage and repair involved.

Irrespective of strengthening level, the threshold level that triggers a requirement to strengthen is 33%NBS.

As part of any building consent application fire and disabled access provisions will need to be assessed.

### Christchurch Seismicity

The level of seismicity within the current New Zealand loading code (AS/NZS 1170) is related to the seismic zone factor. The zone factor varies depending on the location of the building within NZ. Prior to the 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2011 earthquake the zone factor for Christchurch was 0.22. Following the earthquake the seismic zone factor (level of seismicity) in the Christchurch and surrounding areas has been increased to 0.3. This is a 36% increase.

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 C1 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 C1: NZSEE Risk Classifications Extracted from table 2.2 of the NZSEE 2006 AISPBE Guidelines

Table C1 below compares the percentage NBS to the relative risk of the building failing in a seismic event with a 10% probability 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% probability of exceedance in the next year.

Table C1: Relative Risk of Building Failure In A

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

# Appendix D

## Background and Legal Framework

### Background

Aurecon has been engaged by the Christchurch City Council (CCC) to undertake a detailed engineering evaluation of the building

This report is a Qualitative Assessment of the building structure, and is based 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. Construction drawings were made available, and these have been considered in our evaluation of the building. The building description below is based on a review of the drawings and our visual inspections.

### 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.

### 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

## 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:

- 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.

## **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.

## **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.

# Appendix E

## Standard Reporting Spread Sheet



## Detailed Engineering Evaluation Summary Data

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## Location

Building Name: Ouruhia Domain Toilets  
 Building Address: Unit No: Street  
 735 Marshland Road  
 Legal Description: Res 4387

GPS south: Degrees Min Sec  
 43 26 24.95  
 GPS east: 172 39 3.21

Building Unique Identifier (CCC) PRK 0391 BLDG 001 EQ2

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## Site

Site slope: flat  
 Soil type: mixed  
 Site Class (to NZS1170.5): D  
 Proximity to waterway (m, if <100m):  
 Proximity to clifftop (m, if < 100m):  
 Proximity to cliff base (m,if <100m):

Max retaining height (m): 0  
 Soil Profile (if available):  
 If Ground improvement on site, describe:  
 Approx site elevation (m): 5.00

## Building

No. of storeys above ground: 1  
 Ground floor split? no  
 Storeys below ground: 0  
 Foundation type: raft slab  
 Building height (m): 3.00  
 Floor footprint area (approx): 23  
 Age of Building (years): 23

Strengthening present? no

Use (ground floor): public  
 Use (upper floors):  
 Use notes (if required): toilets  
 Importance level (to NZS1170.5): IL2

single storey = 1

Ground floor elevation (Absolute) (m): 5.10  
 Ground floor elevation above ground (m): 0.10

if Foundation type is other, describe  
 height from ground to level of uppermost seismic mass (for IEP only) (m): 3

Date of design: 1976-1992

If so, when (year)?  
 And what load level (%g)?  
 Brief strengthening description:

Gravity Structure

Gravity System: load bearing walls

Roof: timber framed  
 Floors: concrete flat slab  
 Beams:  
 Columns:  
 Walls: partially filled concrete masonry

rafter type, purlin type and cladding: timber purlins and rafters, colour steel roof  
 slab thickness (mm): 100  
 thickness (mm): 190

Lateral load resisting structure

Lateral system along: partially filled CMU  
 Ductility assumed,  $\mu$ : 1.25  
 Period along: 0.40  
 Total deflection (ULS) (mm):  
 maximum interstorey deflection (ULS) (mm):

Lateral system across: partially filled CMU  
 Ductility assumed,  $\mu$ : 1.25

Note: Define along and across in  
 detailed report!

##### enter height above at H31

note total length of wall at ground (m):  
 estimate or calculation? estimated  
 estimate or calculation?  
 estimate or calculation?

note total length of wall at ground (m):

Period across: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text" value="0.40"/> Total deflection (ULS) (mm): <input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/> maximum interstorey deflection (ULS) (mm): <input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>	##### enter height above at H31 estimate or calculation? <input style="width: 100%;" type="text" value="estimated"/> estimate or calculation? <input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/> estimate or calculation? <input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>	
<b>Separations:</b> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 40%;">           north (mm): <input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>            east (mm): <input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>            south (mm): <input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>            west (mm): <input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/> </div> <div style="width: 60%;">           leave blank if not relevant         </div> </div>		
<b>Non-structural elements</b> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 40%;">           Stairs: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>            Wall cladding: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>            Roof Cladding: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text" value="Metal"/>            Glazing: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>            Ceilings: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>            Services(list): <input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/> </div> <div style="width: 60%;">           describe <input style="width: 100%;" type="text" value="0.4mm dimond colour steel"/> </div> </div>		
<b>Available documentation</b> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 40%;">           Architectural: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text" value="none"/>            Structural: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text" value="partial"/>            Mechanical: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text" value="none"/>            Electrical: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text" value="none"/>            Geotech report: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text" value="none"/> </div> <div style="width: 60%;">           original designer name/date: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>            original designer name/date: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>            original designer name/date: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>            original designer name/date: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>            original designer name/date: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/> </div> </div>		
<b>Damage</b> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 40%;"> <b>Site:</b>            (refer DEE Table 4-2)            Site performance: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text" value="good"/>            Settlement: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text" value="none observed"/>            Differential settlement: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text" value="none observed"/>            Liquefaction: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text" value="none apparent"/>            Lateral Spread: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text" value="none apparent"/>            Differential lateral spread: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text" value="none apparent"/>            Ground cracks: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text" value="none apparent"/>            Damage to area: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text" value="none apparent"/> </div> <div style="width: 60%;">           Describe damage: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text" value="none noted"/>            notes (if applicable): <input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>            notes (if applicable): <input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>            notes (if applicable): <input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>            notes (if applicable): <input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>            notes (if applicable): <input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>            notes (if applicable): <input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>            notes (if applicable): <input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/> </div> </div>		
<b>Building:</b> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 40%;">           Current Placard Status: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text" value="green"/>            Along            Damage ratio: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text" value="0%"/>            Describe (summary): <input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>            Across            Damage ratio: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text" value="0%"/>            Describe (summary): <input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>            Diaphragms            Damage?: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text" value="no"/>            CSWs:            Damage?: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text" value="no"/>            Pounding:            Damage?: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text" value="no"/>            Non-structural:            Damage?: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text" value="no"/> </div> <div style="width: 60%;">           Describe how damage ratio arrived at: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>  <math display="block">Damage\_Ratio = \frac{(\% NBS (before) - \% NBS (after))}{\% NBS (before)}</math> </div> </div>		
<b>Recommendations</b> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 40%;">           Level of repair/strengthening required: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text" value="none"/>            Building Consent required: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text" value="no"/>            Interim occupancy recommendations: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text" value="full occupancy"/> </div> <div style="width: 60%;">           Describe: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>            Describe: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>            Describe: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/> </div> </div>		

Along	Assessed %NBS before e'quakes:	100%	0% %NBS from IEP below	If IEP not used, please detail assessment methodology:	Bracing check to NZS 4229:1999
	Assessed %NBS after e'quakes:	100%			
Across	Assessed %NBS before e'quakes:	100%	0% %NBS from IEP below		
	Assessed %NBS after e'quakes:	100%			

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): 1976-1992

h<sub>n</sub> from above: 3m

Seismic Zone, if designed between 1965 and 1992

B

not required for this age of building

not required for this age of building

along

Period (from above): 0.4

(%NBS)<sub>nom</sub> from Fig 3.3: 0.0%

across

0.4

0.0%

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 buildngs designed prior to 1935 use 0.8, except in Wellington (1.0)

1.00

1.0

1.0

along

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

across

0%

2.2 Near Fault Scaling Factor

Near Fault scaling factor, from NZS1170.5, cl 3.1.6: 1.00

along

Near Fault scaling factor (1/N(T,D), **Factor A**: 1

across

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

Hazard scaling factor, **Factor B**: 3.33333333

2.4 Return Period Scaling Factor

Building Importance level (from above): 2

Return Period Scaling factor from Table 3.1, **Factor C**: 1.00

2.5 Ductility Scaling Factor

Assessed ductility (less than max in Table 3.2): 1.25

Ductility scaling factor: =1 from 1976 onwards; or =k<sub>u</sub>, if pre-1976, fromTable 3.3: 1.14

1.25

1.14

Ductiity Scaling Factor, **Factor D**: 1.00

1.00

2.6 Structural Performance Scaling Factor:

Sp: 0.925

0.925

Structural Performance Scaling Factor **Factor E**: 1.081081081

1.081081081

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

%NBS<sub>0</sub>: 0%

0%

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

Table for selection of D1

Severe

Significant

Insignificant/none

**3.4. Pounding potential**

Pounding effect D1, from Table to right   
Height Difference effect D2, from Table to right

Therefore, Factor D:

**3.5. Site Characteristics****3.6. Other factors, Factor F**

For  $\leq 3$  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)****4.3 PAR x (%NBS)b:**

PAR x Baseline %NBS:

**4.4 Percentage New Building Standard (%NBS), (before)**

Separation	0<sep<.005H	.005<sep<.01H	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	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

Along

Across



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