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Fibreboard Method Statement (Bitumen impregnated boards)

Section A: General Comments

Equipment

It is suggested that the following list of equipment is adopted as a minimum requirement:

Personal protection : Protective overalls

Gloves and goggles

Equipment : Nails

: Hammer : Cutter blade

Section B : Application

1.0 Surface Preparation

- 1.1 The concrete substrate should be fully cured, dry, clean and free from laitance or any other contaminations and projections.
- 1.2 Cut the Fiberboard to the required dimension.

2.0 Application for Expansion joints

- 2.1 Align the Fiberboard against the shuttering to the concrete side.
- 2.2 Nail the Fiberboard in place to avoid displacement during pouring of the concrete or in suspended slabs. Special adhesive can also be used instead of nails.
- 2.3 Cut the top side of the board before pouring of the concrete to provide the required joint depth, in accordance with the design and movement requirements.

Section C : Approval and variations

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