
SERIES NG 400
ROAD RESTRAINT SYSTEMS (VEHICLE
AND PEDESTRIAN)

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VEHICLE RESTRAINT SYSTEMS

General Requirements

NG 401 General

1 (11/06) Safety barrier, vehicle parapet (excluding concrete vehicle parapet), terminal, transition and crash cushion systems should conform to TD 19 (DMRB 2.2.8), the various parts of BS EN 1317 and DD ENV 1317-4:2002. The introduction of these Standards ensures a consistent performance based standard is used in the testing and supply of Road Restraint Systems throughout the European Economic Area and will thereby remove any 'barriers to trade'.

2 (11/06) BS EN 1317 is a performance based standard which requires Design Organisations to specify the performance requirements of any safety barrier, vehicle parapet, terminal, transition or crash cushions for a particular location. Unless otherwise directed by the Overseeing Organisation, Design Organisations should not specify the use of any specific safety barrier or vehicle parapet etc. but instead requirements should be expressed in terms of the Performance Class Requirements, the maximum height that allows the required visibility, and the Length of Need. In determining the performance criteria, the Design Organisations/Designers will have to refer to TD 19, the various parts of BS EN 1317 and DD ENV 1317-4:2002.

3 (11/06) Appendix 4/1 should contain a schedule of Performance Class Requirements, the maximum height that allows the required visibility, the Length of Need and other requirements, as appropriate for the safety barriers, vehicle parapets, terminals, transitions and crash cushions [redirective or non-redirective], required in the Contract.

4 (11/06) Contractors will be allowed to formally propose, in accordance with the contract, any safety barrier, vehicle parapet or crash cushion that complies with the relevant parts of BS EN 1317 and for terminals and transitions DD ENV 1317-4:2002 and the Performance Class Requirements, the maximum height that allows the required visibility, the Length of Need and other requirements specified in Appendix 4/1.

5 (11/06) The Contractor will be able to choose from a list of approved road restraint systems by contacting the following website address:

<http://www.highways.gov.uk/business/8720.aspx>

6 (11/06) Those vehicle restraint systems proposed by the Contractor should be submitted to the Overseeing Organisation for acceptance with the supporting information stated in Clause 401 demonstrating compliance with the applicable part of BS EN 1317 and DD ENV 1317-4:2002.

NG 402 Components for Vehicle Restraint Systems

1 (11/06) The Contractor should provide Drawings, Specifications and testing requirements for the proposed safety barriers, vehicle parapets, terminals and transitions and crash cushion systems to the Overseeing Organisation for acceptance. Where systems with posts are proposed, the Drawings should show the type(s) of post foundation which have been selected on the basis of assumed, or wherever possible, tested ground conditions.

2 (11/06) BS EN 206-1 and BS 8500 are standards for concrete which are quoted in Series 1700 and Series 2600. These include new terms, new systems of classification and new concepts. Series NG 1700 and BSI publication "Standards for fresh concrete - BS EN 206-1 and BS 8500" provide further guidance and a composite of the requirements for concrete in the familiar sequence of events, from specification, through production to delivery.

3 (11/07) It is expected that the serviceable life requirements for steel vehicle parapets and steel components of combined concrete and metal vehicle parapets will be obtained from galvanising alone and no additional corrosion protection system, e.g. paint, will be required. The parapet manufacturer's product specification must reflect this requirement. Where parapets are to be installed in very aggressive environments where galvanising alone will not provide the required serviceable life, or there are overriding aesthetic considerations, additional corrosion protection systems may be required. Where such requirements exist they should be detailed in Appendix 4/1.

The parapet manufacturer and the Overseeing Organisation must be consulted before additional corrosion protection is specified for a very aggressive

environment. The Overseeing Organisation's approval must be obtained before painting for aesthetic reasons is specified or maintenance, other than that required due to accidental damage, is to be allowed within the serviceable life of the parapet.

Where additional protective treatments are required, the minimum periods 'No maintenance up to 12 years,' 'Minor maintenance from 12 years' and 'Major maintenance after 20 years' will normally be appropriate.

Where access is especially difficult, or access for maintenance would be very disruptive to the highway network, consideration should be given to specifying only major maintenance after 20 or even 25 years with no maintenance before that time.

Welding

4 (11/07) Prior to the anticipated start of delivery of vehicle restraint components, the Contractor should obtain copies of the most recent certified destructive test reports covering those component types to be supplied under the Contract.

5 (11/07) Sample components and/or joints for destructive testing should be selected by a Welding Inspector certified by the Certification Scheme for Weldment Inspection Personnel (CSWIP) or equivalent. Selection should be made taking into account the manufacturer's inspection reports, previous destructive test reports and observations of current production practice on similar component types. Where practicable, samples should be selected on the basis that they represent the lower end of quality in the production batch. Particular attention should be given to any features which could adversely affect the true throat size or the mechanical properties of the materials.

6 (11/07) Sample components and/or joints selected for destructive testing should be indelibly marked and dispatched to a testing laboratory appropriately accredited in accordance with sub-Clauses 105.3 and 105.4 for such tests.

7 (11/07) The following points should be considered when ascertaining the acceptability of components subject to destructive testing:

- (i) (11/05) When conducting destructive testing, each length of weld between weld ends or changes of direction should be sectioned at intervals not exceeding 100 mm. One side of each section should be ground, filed, finished or machined to a finish equivalent to that produced by a 120 grit paper complying with BS 871, so that the actual throat and leg dimensions can be measured and any discontinuities exposed. One fracture test in

accordance with BS EN 1320 on a length of weld of not less than 50 mm should be made for each joint type on each component. Additional sections and fracture tests may be required in cases of borderline acceptance. Non-compliance with the imperfection acceptance levels of BS EN ISO 15614-1 should be recorded. Non-compliance with the requirements of sub-Clause 402.6 should be cause for rejection, except that in sub-Clause 402.6(iv) (a) the throat and leg dimensions should be the true rather than the apparent dimensions.

- (ii) One representative section from each joint type for each type of component should be prepared for macro-examination. A hardness survey should be done where any of the parent material thickness exceeds 20 mm. An additional macro-examination should be made of each non-conforming weld.

8 (11/07) The results of the destructive tests including macrographs should be reported and a certified copy sent to the manufacturer. In the event of non-conformances being found, the Contractor and manufacturer should be notified as soon as possible. The test specimens, uniquely identified by hard stamped marks should be returned to the manufacturer's works.

Safety Barriers, Terminals, Transitions and Crash Cushions

NG 403 Installation of Safety Barriers, Terminals, Transitions and Crash Cushions - Overall Requirements

1 Installation of safety barriers, terminals, transitions and crash cushion systems should be in accordance with the Drawings and Specifications supplied by the Contractor and also the Quality Assurance requirements of Clause 104 and the associated quality management schemes detailed in Appendix A.

2 Adjustments to line and level of safety barriers, terminals and transitions at connections to vehicle parapets may be necessary to achieve an even flowing alignment.

(11/06) Anchorages and Attachment Systems for Surface Mounted Posts

3 Examples of the evidence required by sub-Clause 403.15 include (a) the results of testing to BS 5080 by a testing laboratory appropriately

accredited in accordance with sub-Clauses 105.3 and 105.4 for such test or (b) a Certificate from any UEAtc (Union européenne pour l'agrément technique dans la construction - European union for technical approval in the construction) member together with the results of testing to the European Union of Agrément Directive for Assessment of Anchor Bolts MOAT No. 42 (adapted to include only anchorage types permitted by the Specification). If the 4 week time period required by sub-Clause 403.15 is unrealistic then the appropriate time period should be stated in Appendix 4/1.

4 Anchorages for securing surface mounted posts which utilise drilled holes have been known to fail due to either the lack of cleanliness of the hole or the excessive tolerance in the size of the hole. The manufacturer of the anchorages should provide details of the maximum tolerances permitted and the evidence submitted in accordance with sub-Clause 403.15 should show that these are satisfactory when installed in holes having these tolerances.

5 Where anchorages and attachment systems are used, the bolts or nuts should be tightened adequately, in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions, to ensure that effective shear transfer will occur between the post baseplate and the base. In addition, it is important to ensure an adequate length of thread engagement. The surrounding concrete should be appropriately reinforced to prevent shear cone failure, particularly where an anchorage is close to the edge of the concrete.

6 Where safety barriers, terminals and transition posts are to be installed on bridge decks an anchorage and attachment system should be used. Care should be taken to avoid damaging bridge deck waterproofing systems when installing anchorages in drilled holes. Normally, an anchorage and attachment system, which avoids this problem, should be used. In exceptional circumstances, where damage to the waterproofing is unavoidable a compatible sealing system agreed with the Overseeing Organisation to prevent ingress of water and avoid corrosion should be provided.

7 Where safety barriers, terminals and transition posts are installed in cast in post sockets, an easily removable sealing system should be applied to prevent the ingress of detritus.

NG 404 Site Testing

(11/06) Anchorages in Drilled Holes for Safety Barriers, Terminals, Transitions and Crash Cushions

1 (11/06) The anchorage test results should be included with the 'as-built' records (Health and Safety

file, see sub-Clause NG 000.11 and SD 11 (MCHW 6.1.2)). SD 11 sets out the requirements for the preparation of the health and safety file as required by the Construction (Design and Management) Regulations.

2 (11/06) The Contractor is responsible for carrying out the site tests at the frequency given in Appendix 1/5. Any particular requirements should be included in Appendix 4/1. The rate of testing will need to be determined for each location where anchorages in drilled holes are to be used. As a guide where the anchorages are to be installed on bridges or other structures, the rate of testing should normally be not less than 1 No. anchorage per post anchorage group for safety barrier, terminal and transition for each of the first 5 No. anchorage groups installed and 1 No. anchorage per 5 No. anchorage groups installed thereafter. For crash cushions, the rate of testing will need to be determined on an individual basis and in accordance with the design of the crash cushion to be installed. If failures are recorded the rate of testing should be increased until the suitability of the anchorages can be established. Any anchorage which fails the testing should be replaced and retested. The testing programme should consider variations in the locations of the anchorages

Post Foundations

3 (11/06) Testing should be carried out at the location where the posts are to be installed, in the direction of anticipated deflection, and at a time when the ground is likely to have least resistance.

4 (11/06) Appendix 4/1 should identify whether the Overseeing Organisation or the Contractor will provide the test equipment and carry out the tests and details of the test posts and foundations should be shown on the Drawings where appropriate. The Contractor should put forward a testing schedule to check compliance with the safety barrier, terminal, transition and crash cushion system manufacturer's specification. The Contractor should arrange to undertake the tests put forward and report the results to the Overseeing Organisation.

Vehicle Parapets

NG 406 General

1 (11/06) A schedule of vehicle parapets is to be placed in Appendix 4/1. The schedule should list the Performance Class Requirements for the proposed vehicle parapets.

Aesthetic Requirements

2 (11/06) The vehicle parapet systems should comply with the aesthetic requirements in Appendix 4/1.

3 The Overseeing Organisation's Architect Planner should be consulted on the aesthetic requirements to be included in Appendix 4/1 and on the systems put forward by the Contractor.

NG 407 Anchorages and Attachment Systems for Vehicle Parapets

1 Failures of anchorages in drilled holes are known to occur due to either the lack of cleanliness of the hole or excessive tolerance in the size of the hole. Manufacturers of the anchorages should give details of the maximum tolerance permitted and test evidence that they are satisfactory when installed in holes having these tolerances.

2 Where attachment systems are used, bolts or nuts should be tightened in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations to ensure that effective shear transfer will occur between the post baseplate and the base. In addition, it is important to ensure an adequate length of thread engagement.

NG 408 Amendments and Additions to BS 6779

1 BS 6779-1: 1998 (Amd. No. 14290, 21 March 2003)

- (i) Sealing of voids in anchorages, attachment systems and base plates with a non-setting or setting passive filler is important to prevent ingress of water and to avoid corrosion.
- (ii) Prior to the anticipated start of manufacture of vehicle parapet components copies of the most recent certified destructive test reports covering those component types to be supplied under the Contract should be examined. Provision for supply of copies of reports should be included in Appendix 4/1.
- (iii) Arrangements should be made for sample components and/or joints for destructive testing to be selected at the works and on site by a Welding Inspector certified by CSWIP or equivalent. Selection should be made taking into account the manufacturer's inspection reports, previous destructive test reports and observations of current production practice on similar component types. Samples should be selected on the basis that they represent the lower end of quality in the production batch. Particular

attention should be given to any features which could adversely affect the true throat size or the mechanical properties of the materials.

- (iv) For the purposes of defining component types in sub-clause 9.4.3.2.2 of BS 6779-1: 1998 (Amd. No. 14290, 21 March 2003), differences in either member cross-sectional shape, joint configuration or weld type, constitute a change in component type. Variations in cross-section size or member length need not constitute a change in component type. Variations in parent metal thickness or weld throat dimension from the specified sizes on the sample selected for destructive test may be included within the same type up to a limit of $\pm 40\%$.
- (v) Sample components and/or joints selected for destructive testing in accordance with sub-clause 9.4.3.2.2 of BS 6779-1: 1998 (Amd. No. 14290, 21 March 2003) should be indelibly marked and dispatched to a testing laboratory appropriately accredited in accordance with sub-Clauses 105.3 and 105.4 for weld testing and in the case of aluminium alloy posts, for static load testing in accordance with Annex E of BS 6779-1: 1998 (Amd. No. 14290, 21 March 2003).
- (vi) The following points should be considered when ascertaining the acceptability of components subject to destructive testing:
 - (a) Aluminium alloy posts should be static load tested in accordance with BS 6779-1: 1998 (Amd. No. 14290, 21 March 2003) clause E.1 and E.2 prior to destructive examination.
 - (b) (11/05) When conducting destructive examination each length of weld between weld ends or changes of direction should be sectioned at intervals not exceeding 100 mm. One side of each section should be ground, filed, finished or machined to a finish equivalent to that produced by a 120 grit paper complying with BS 871, so that the actual throat and leg dimensions can be measured and any discontinuities exposed. One fracture test in accordance with BS EN 1320 on a length of weld of not less than 50 mm should be made for each joint type on each component. Additional sections and fracture tests may be required in cases of borderline acceptance. Non-compliances with the

imperfection acceptance levels of BS EN ISO 15614-1 and BS EN 15614-2, as appropriate, should be recorded.

- (c) One representative section from each joint type for each type of component should be prepared for macro-examination. A hardness survey should be done where any of the parent material is 20 mm thick or greater. An additional macro-examination should be made of each non-conforming weld.
- (vii) The results of the destructive tests including macrographs and load deflection history where relevant, should be reported and a certified copy sent to the manufacturer. In the event of non-conformances being found the Contractor and the manufacturer should be notified as soon as possible. The test specimens, uniquely identified by hard stamped marks should be returned to the manufacturer's works.

NG 409 Inspection and Testing of Vehicle Parapet Posts

1 Provided that the test certificate and the time limit relating to a test previously carried out are satisfactory, these may be used in relation to current work.

NG 410 Site Tests on Anchorages in Drilled Holes for Vehicle Parapets (11/06)

1 (11/06) The Contractor is responsible for designing the anchorages and carrying out site tests at the frequency given in Appendix 1/5. Any particular requirements should be included in Appendix 4/1. The rate of testing will need to be determined for each location where anchorages in drilled holes are to be used. As a guide the rate of testing should normally be not less than 1 No. anchorage per vehicle parapet post anchorage group for each of the first 5 No. vehicle parapet post anchorage groups installed and 1 No. anchorage per 5 No. vehicle parapet post anchorage groups installed thereafter. If failures are recorded the rate of testing should be increased until the suitability of the anchorages can be established. Any anchorage which fails the testing should be replaced and retested. The testing programme should consider variations in the locations of the anchorages.

2 (11/06) The vehicle parapet post anchorage test results should be included with the 'as-built' records (Health and Safety file, see sub-Clause NG 000.11 and SD 11 (MCHW 6.1.2)). SD 11 sets out the requirements

for the preparation of the health and safety file as required by the Construction (Design and Management) Regulations.

PEDESTRIAN RESTRAINT SYSTEMS

NG 411 Pedestrian Parapets and Pedestrian Guardrails

1 The type, class and the location of pedestrian parapets and pedestrian guardrails should be described in Appendix 4/1.

2 (11/07) It is expected that the serviceable life requirements for steel pedestrian parapets and pedestrian guardrails and steel components of combined concrete and metal pedestrian parapets and pedestrian guardrails will be obtained from galvanising alone and no additional corrosion protection system, e.g. paint, will be required. The parapet or guardrail manufacturer's product specification must reflect this requirement.

Where parapets or guardrails are to be installed in very aggressive environments where galvanising alone will not provide the required serviceable life, or there are overriding aesthetic considerations, additional corrosion protection systems may be required. Where such requirements exist they should be detailed in Appendix 4/1.

The parapet or guardrail manufacturer and the Overseeing Organisation must be consulted before additional corrosion protection is specified for a very aggressive environment. The Overseeing Organisation's approval must be obtained before painting for aesthetic reasons is specified or maintenance, other than that required due to accidental damage, is to be allowed within the serviceable life of the parapet.

Where additional protective treatments are required, the minimum periods 'No maintenance up to 12 years,' 'Minor maintenance from 12 years' and 'Major maintenance after 20 years' will normally be appropriate.

Where access is especially difficult, or access for maintenance would be very disruptive to the highway network, consideration should be given to specifying only major maintenance after 20 or even 25 years with no maintenance before that time.

ANTI-GLARE SCREENS

NG 412 Anti-glare Screens

1 (11/06) The requirements of anti-glare screen systems should be described in Appendix 4/1.

Further recommendations and advice for the design and maintenance of anti-glare screens are given in Chapter 11 of TD 19 (DMRB 2.2.8). It should be noted that BS EN 12676-1 does not apply to:

- (i) Types of anti-glare screens other than those attached to safety barriers and transitions;
- (ii) Regulatory characteristics which might be required to ensure that anti-glare systems are compatible with road signs; and
- (iii) Specific requirements resulting from extreme environmental conditions.

NG SAMPLE APPENDIX 4/1: ROAD RESTRAINT SYSTEMS (VEHICLE AND PEDESTRIAN)

[Note to compiler: Include here:]

1 Location:

1.1 Vehicle Restraint Systems

- (i) (11/06) The location, Containment Level, Impact Severity Level (ISL), Working Width Class, maximum height that allows the required visibility, and the Length of Need requirements for safety barriers and transitions are shown on Drawing Nos. [Generally the 1:500 or 1:1000 Site Plans].
- (ii) (11/06) The location, Containment Level, Impact Severity Level (ISL), and Working Width Class requirements for vehicle parapets are shown on Drawing Nos..... [Generally the 1:500 or 1:1000 Site Plans].
- (iii) (11/06) The location, Performance Class, Impact Severity Level (ISL), Permanent Lateral Displacement Zone (PLDZ) Characteristic, Exit Box Class (D), and maximum height that allows the required visibility requirements for terminals are shown on Drawing Nos. [Generally the 1:500 or 1:1000 Site Plans].
- (iv) (11/06) The location, Performance Level, [this should indicate whether a redirective (R) or non-redirective (NR) type of crash cushion], Impact Severity Level (ISL), Redirection Zone Class (Z), Permanent Lateral Displacement Zone Class (D), and maximum height that allows the required visibility requirements for crash cushions are shown on Drawing Nos..... [Generally the 1:500 or 1:1000 Site Plans].

1.2 Pedestrian Restraint Systems

- (i) The location for pedestrian parapets and pedestrian guardrails are shown on Drawing Nos..... [Generally the 1:500 or 1:1000 Site Plans].

1.3 Anti-glare Screens

- (i) The location for anti-glare screens are shown on Drawing Nos..... [Generally the 1:500 or 1:1000 Site Plans].

2 Other Details:

Safety Barriers, Terminals, Transitions and Crash Cushions

2.1 Requirements for safety barriers, terminals and transitions if different from the requirements of Clauses 401, 402 and 403.

2.2 Requirements for crash cushions if different from the requirements of Clauses 401 and 403. [Compiler to specify whether redirective(R) or non-redirective (NR)]

2.3 Any other details [to be included as required]:

- (i) Any special requirements [e.g. environmental considerations, lengths of removeable safety barrier, ground conditions and loading requirements for structures];
- (ii) Specific connection requirements to existing safety barriers, vehicle parapets or other structures.

Vehicle Parapets Including Anchorages and Attachment Systems

2.4 Requirements for vehicle parapets if different from the requirements of Clauses 401 and 406.

2.5 (11/07) Any special requirements for maintenance to the corrosion protection system, other than that required due to accidental damage, permissible within the serviceable life of a metal vehicle parapet or the metal components of a combined metal and concrete vehicle parapet [Clause 401].

2.6 (11/07) Any additional corrosion protection system required [Clause 402].

2.7 (11/07) Aesthetic requirements for vehicle parapets [Clause 406].

2.8 (11/07) Requirements for anchorages and attachment systems if different from the requirements of Clause 407.

Pedestrian Restraint Systems

2.9 (11/07) Requirements for pedestrian parapets and pedestrian guardrails - see also Table C.1 of BS 7818 [Clause 411].

2.10 (11/07) Any special requirements for maintenance to the corrosion protection system, other than that required due to accidental damage, permissible within the serviceable life of a metal vehicle parapet or the metal components of a combined metal and concrete vehicle parapet [Clause 411].

2.11 (11/07) Any additional corrosion protection system required [Clause 411].

Anti-glare Screens

2.12 (11/07) Requirements for anti-glare screens [Clause 412].

3 Testing [Cross - reference with Appendix 1/5 as appropriate]

Destructive Testing

3.1 Requirements for provision of copies of certified reports of destructive tests and for supply of test components [Clauses 402.6(v) and 408].

Site Testing on Post Foundations

3.2 (11/06) Requirements for site load tests on safety barrier, terminal, transition and crash cushion post foundations [Clause 404].

Inspection and Testing of Vehicle Parapet Posts

3.3 Requirements for inspection if different from the requirements of Clause 409.

3.4 Requirements for static testing of posts if different from the requirements of Clause 409.

Site Testing on Anchorages in Drilled Holes

3.5 Details of testing requirements for anchorage and attachment systems [Clauses 404 and 410].

4 Temporary Safety Barriers

[Note to compiler: State here:]

(i) Who is to provide temporary safety barriers [Clause 405].

(ii) (11/06) Containment Level [Clause 401].

(iii) (11/06) Impact Severity Level [Clause 401].

(iv) (11/06) Working Width Class [Clause 401].

(v) (11/06) Locations to be provided [Clause 405].

(vi) (11/06) Location(s) for removal of temporary safety barrier on completion of the Works [Clause 405].

(vii) (11/06) Location(s) from which temporary safety barrier is to be collected and returned by the Contractor if provided by the Overseeing Organisation [Clause 405].

5 (11/06) Schedule of Road Restraint Systems (Vehicle and Pedestrian)

[Note to Compiler: Complete the schedule below and include in Appendix 4/1. Incorporate in the schedule all the Road Restraint Systems (i.e. safety barriers, terminals, transitions, vehicle parapets, crash cushions, pedestrian parapets and pedestrian guardrails) and any associated anti-glare screens required. Cross-reference should be made to the Drawings where appropriate. The Road Restraint Systems should be listed in order of occurrence, irrespective of type, and the respective start and end chainages of the proposed systems listed.

All the Performance Class Requirements appropriate for the Road Restraint System and other details such as parapet height should be included. The difference between the Finish and Start Chainages should be at least the Length of Need of the Road Restraint System as defined in TD 19.]

Location & Start Chainage * (m)	Finish Chainage (m)	Position on Cross-Section +	Type of Road Restraint System ** (Safety barriers, vehicle parapets, transitions, terminals, crash cushions, pedestrian parapets, pedestrian guardrails)	Set-back (m)	Containment Level ** (Safety barriers, vehicle parapets, transitions) Performance Class (P) ** (Terminals)	Impact Severity Level (ISL) ** (Safety barriers, vehicle parapets, transitions, terminals, crash cushions)	Working Width Class ** (Safety barriers, vehicle parapets, transitions)	Performance Level and whether Redirective (R) or Non-redirective (NR) (Crash Cushions)	Permanent Lateral Displacement Zone (PLDZ) Characteristic ** (Terminals) Permanent Lateral Displacement Zone Class (D) (Crash Cushions)	Exit Box Class ** (Terminals) Redirection Zone Class (Z) (Crash Cushions)	Other Requirements/Comments ** ++ +++

NOTE: * e.g. Road name, verge, central reserve, slip road etc.
 ** Enter temporary safety barrier where required.
 + e.g. LH verge; central reserve, RH hand verge etc.
 ++ Height requirements etc.
 +++ Anti-glare Screens

NG SAMPLE APPENDIX 4/2: INFORMATION REQUIRED TO DEMONSTRATE COMPLIANCE OF ROAD RESTRAINT SYSTEMS TO BS EN 1317-1, BS EN 1317-2, BS EN 1317-3 AND DD ENV 1317-4:2002

[Note to Compiler: Include the following proformas which the Contractor is to complete and submit to the Overseeing Organisation with supporting information to demonstrate compliance of the proposed road restraint system with BS EN 1317-1, BS EN 1317-2, BS EN 1317-3 and DD ENV 1317-4:2002].

The Contractor shall submit the following supporting information demonstrating compliance with BS EN 1317-1, BS EN 1317-2, BS EN 1317-3 and DD ENV 1317-4:2002 to the Overseeing Organisation for acceptance:

EUROPEAN COMMITTEE FOR STANDARDIZATION (CEN) COMPLIANCE ¹

Initial submission documents to be supplied for consideration of initial type test are as follows:

1. Test report in accordance with BS EN1317-1, clause 9 (and including any additional test data required under BS EN 1317-3, clauses 7.3 and 7.4 and DD ENV 1317-4:2002, clauses 7.3 and 7.4).
2. Video/high speed film of test annotated showing date, test number and performance class.
3. Still photographs of complete installation including anchorage points.
4. Still photographs of vehicle before and after impact.
5. Full drawings of tested items.
6. Certification from the manufacturer that the item tested complies with drawings supplied.
7. Certificate from test house accredited in accordance with the requirements of Series 400 (MCHW 1.400).

Additional information, which will be required on acceptance of initial type test prior to installation.

8. Manufacturer's specification.
9. Installation drawings.
10. Manufacturer's installation instructions including foundation requirements and test methods to verify their performance.
11. Manufacturer's repair and maintenance manual.
12. Certificate of compliance with the Quality Management Scheme 1 for the Manufacture of Fencing Components.²
13. Compliance with the Quality Management Sector Scheme 2 - Supply and Installation of Fences:
(i) Sector Scheme 2B for Vehicle Restraint Systems.²
14. Certificate of compliance for the Quality Management Sector Scheme 5 for the Manufacture and Installation of Bridge Parapets and Cradle Anchorages.³: (11/06)
(i) Sector Scheme 5A for the Manufacture of Parapets for Road Restraint Systems; and (11/06)
(ii) Sector Scheme 5B for the Installation of Parapets for Road Restraint Systems. (11/06)
15. Nominal loads (direct forces, moments and co-existent shears) to be transferred from the parapet to the structure or foundation.^{2 & 3}

Notes:

1. All documents, which are not in English, will have to be translated. If they are in a language other than French or German the promoter will be required to supply a full translation.
2. Items 12 and 13 are required for safety barrier systems and transitions
3. Items 14 and, 15 are required for vehicle parapets. See also Note 1 under Sector Scheme B in Appendix A of the Specification for Highway Works. (11/06)

SUBMISSION FOR COMPLIANCE WITH BS EN 1317-1, BS EN 1317-2, BS EN 1317-3 and DD ENV 1317-4:2002			
TYPE OF VEHICLE RESTRAINT SYSTEM:			
CONTAINMENT PERFORMANCE CLASS/PERFORMANCE LEVEL/PERFORMANCE CLASS (*):			
TEST REPORT NUMBER:		(Test of)	
Test Type: (Primary/Complementary Test) (*)			
TEST NUMBER:		TEST DATE: (*) delete as appropriate	
COMPANY NAME: CONTACT: ADDRESS: Tel: / Fax:/ E-mail: PRODUCT NAME:			
Initial submission documents to be supplied for consideration of Initial Type Test (ITT).			
Item	Comment	Item Received (Y or N)	Date requested
1	Test report		
2	Video/high speed film		
3	Still photographs		
4	Still photographs		
5	Drawings		
6	Certification from the manufacturer		
7	Confirmation from test house		
Additional information, which will be required on acceptance of initial type test prior to installation.			
8	System specification		
9	Installation details		
10	Installation procedures		
11	Maintenance Manual		
12	Certificate of compliance		
13	Certificate of compliance		
14	Certificate of compliance		
15	Support loads		
Notes:			
1. All documents, which are not in English, will have to be translated. If they are in a language other than French or German the promoter will be required to supply a full translation.			
2. Items 12 and 13 are required for safety barrier systems and transitions.			
3. Items 14 and 15 are required for vehicle parapets. See also Note 1 under Sector Scheme B in Appendix A of the Specification for Highway Works. (11/06)			
Signature:		Name:	
Date:			

SUBMISSION FOR COMPLIANCE WITH BS EN 1317-1, BS EN 1317-2 and DD ENV 1317-4:2002
TYPE OF VEHICLE RESTRAINT SYSTEM: Safety Barrier, Vehicle Parapet or Transition (*)
CONTAINMENT PERFORMANCE CLASS/LEVEL(*)
TEST REPORT NUMBER: (Test of)
Test Type: (Primary/Complementary Test) (*)
TEST NUMBER: **TEST DATE:** (*) delete as appropriate

COMPANY NAME:
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		Specified	Actual	Satisfactory (Yes or No)	Compliance
BS EN 1317-1, Table 1	Vehicle Details	Impact Conditions			
		Total vehicle mass (kg) (± ...)		
		Speed (kmh)	..... (0, +7%)		
		Angle (degrees)	..... (-1, + 1.5)		
		Centre of Gravity			
		Vertical height (m)	..... (± 10%)		
		Longitudinal (m)	..... (± 10%)		
		Lateral (m)	±		
	Model				N/A
BS EN 1317-2, clause 4.2	Vehicle Restraint System (VRS) Behaviour	1) The VRS shall contain and redirect the vehicle without breakage of principal longitudinal elements of the system. 2) No major part of the VRS shall become totally detached or present an undue hazard to other traffic, pedestrians or personnel in a work zone. 3) Elements of the VRS shall not penetrate the passenger compartment of the vehicle. Deformations of, or intrusions into the passenger compartment that can cause serious injuries are not permitted. 4) Ground anchorages and fixings shall perform according to the design of the VRS.			
BS EN 1317-2, clause 4.3	Vehicle Behaviour	1) The centre of gravity (CG) of the vehicle shall not cross the centreline of the deformed system. 2) The vehicle shall remain upright during and after impact, although moderate rolling, pitching and yawing are acceptable. 3) The vehicle shall leave the VRS after impact, so that the wheel track does not cross a line parallel to the initial traffic face of the VRS, at a distance A (2.2 m) plus vehicle width + 16% of the length of the vehicle within a distance B (10 m) from the final intersection (break) of wheel track with the initial traffic face of the VRS.			
BS EN 1317-2, clause 5.3.2	Installation	1) The length of the VRS shall be sufficient to demonstrate the full performance characteristics of the system. 2) If the VRS has to develop tension, end anchorages shall be provided in accordance with the VRS specification. Post foundation shall meet the design specification.			
BS EN 1317-2, clause 4.4	Severity Indices	SPECIFIED	ACTUAL		
		THIV Limit 33 km/h	THIV km/h		
		PHD Limit 20 g	PHD g		
		ASI Limit 1.4	ASI		
BS EN 1317-2, clause 5.7, Figure 3	Photo-graphic coverage	1) Photographic coverage shall be sufficient to clearly describe behaviour and vehicle motion during and after impact. 2) High speed cameras shall be operated at a minimum of 200 frames per second and stills. 3) As recommended in clause 5.7 and Figure 3.			
	Drawings	Drawings included			

N/A = Not Applicable

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TYPE OF VEHICLE RESTRAINT SYSTEM:		Crash cushion (Redirective [R] or Non-redirective [NR])(*)			
TEST REPORT NUMBER:		TEST TYPE: (Primary/Complementary Test) (*)			
PERFORMANCE LEVEL:		VELOCITY CLASS:		(Test of)	
TEST NUMBER:		TEST DATE:		(*) delete as appropriate	
COMPANY NAME: CONTACT: ADDRESS: Tel: / Fax:/ E-mail: PRODUCT NAME:					
		Specified	Actual	Satisfactory (Yes or No)	Compliance
BS EN 1317-1	Vehicle Details	Impact Conditions			
		Total vehicle mass (kg) (± ...)		
		Speed (kmh)	..... (0, +7%)		
		Angle (degrees)	..... (-1, + 1.5)		
		Centre of Gravity			
		Vertical height (m)	..... (± 10%)		
		Longitudinal (m)	..... (± 10%)		
		Lateral (m)	±		
	Model				N/A
BS EN 1317-3, clause 6.2	Crash Cushion Behaviour	<p>1) Elements of the crash cushion shall not penetrate the passenger compartment of the vehicle. Deformations of, or intrusions into, the passenger compartment that could cause serious injuries are not permitted.</p> <p>2) No major element of the crash cushion, having a solid mass greater than or equal to 2.0kg, shall become totally detached, unless this is required by the working of the crash cushion. No major element of the crash cushion shall impede the path of adjacent traffic. The final position of the detached element shall be considered to determine the displacement classification.</p>			
BS EN 1317-3, clause 6.3	Vehicle Behaviour	<p>1) The vehicle shall remain upright during and after the collision although yawing and moderate rolling and pitching are acceptable. The post-impact trajectory of the test vehicle shall be controlled by means of the exit box shown in Figure 2 and specified as detailed in Tables 11 and 12.</p>			
BS EN 1317-3, clause 7.3.2	Installation	<p>1) The installation of the crash cushion for the test shall comply with the structural design details and the on-road system details as given in the design specification.</p>			
BS EN 1317-3, clause 5.4 and Table 4	Impact Severity Levels	<p>SPECIFIED</p> <p>Level A: THIV ≤ 44km/h (Tests 1, 2 & 3) THIV ≤ 33km/h (Tests 4 and 5) ASI ≤ 1.0</p> <p>Level B: THIV ≤ 44km/h (Tests 1, 2 & 3) HIV ≤ 33km/h (Tests 4 and 5) ASI ≤ 1.4</p> <p>Levels A & B: PHD ≤ 20 g</p>	ACTUAL		
BS EN 1317-3, clause 7.7, Figure 4	Photo-graphic coverage	<p>1) High speed cameras and/or high speed video cameras shall be operated at minimum of 200 frames per second.</p> <p>2) Stills</p> <p>3) As recommended in clause 7.7 and Figure 4.</p>			
	Drawings	Drawings included			
				N/A = Not Applicable	
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SUBMISSION FOR COMPLIANCE WITH BS EN 1317-1 and DD ENV 1317-4:2002					
TYPE OF VEHICLE RESTRAINT SYSTEM:		Terminal			
PERFORMANCE CLASS:		(Test of)			
Test Type: (Primary/Complementary Test) (*)					
TEST TYPE NUMBER:		TEST DATE: (*) delete as appropriate			
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COMPANY NAME: CONTACT: ADDRESS: Tel: / Fax:/ E-mail: PRODUCT NAME:					
		Specified	Actual	Satisfactory (Yes or No)	Compliance
BS EN 1317-1, Table 1, DD ENV 1317-4: 2002, clauses 7.4 and 7.5	Vehicle Details	Impact Conditions			
		Total vehicle mass (kg) (± ...)		
		Speed (kmh)	..... (0, +7%)		
		Angle (degrees)	..... (-1, + 1.5)		
		Centre of Gravity			
		Vertical height (m)	..... (± 10%)		
		Longitudinal (m)	..... (± 10%)		
		Lateral (m)	±		
		Model			N/A
DD ENV 1317-4: 2002, clauses 5.4 and 5.5.2	Terminal Behaviour	1) Elements of the terminal shall not penetrate the passenger compartment of the vehicle. Deformations of, or intrusions into, the passenger compartment that could cause serious injuries are not permitted. 2) No major part of the terminal shall become totally detached and come to rest outside the permanent lateral displacement zones defined in clause 5.4. 3) Anchorages and fixings shall perform to the terminal design specifications and other specified requirements as listed in the test report.			
DD ENV 1317-4: 2002, clause 5.5.3	Vehicle Behaviour	1) The vehicle shall not overturn, although rolling, yawing and moderate pitching may be accepted. For the Performance Class P1 rolling onto a side may be accepted. (11/06) 2) The exit box values for the specified test are as defined in Figures 5.6 and 7 (as appropriate).			
DD ENV 1317-4: 2002, clause 7.3.2	Installation	1) The terminal shall conform to the structural design details and with the system installation details as given in the design specification of the manufacturer.			
DD ENV 1317-4: 2002, clause 5.5.4 and Table 5	Impact Severity Classes	SPECIFIED	ACTUAL		
		Level A: THIV ≤ 44km/h (Tests 1, 2 & 3) THIV ≤ 33km/h (Tests 4 and 5) ASI ≤ 1.0			
		Level B: THIV ≤ 44km/h (Tests 1, 2 & 3) HIV ≤ 33km/h (Tests 4 and 5) ASI ≤ 1.4			
		Levels A & B: PHD ≤ 20 g			
DD ENV 1317-4: 2002, clause 7.7 and Figure 7	Photo- graphic coverage	1) Photographic coverage shall be sufficient to describe clearly terminal and vehicle motion during and after impact. 2) High speed cameras and/or high speed video cameras at a minimum of 200 framer per second. 3) Stills.			
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