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16<sup>th</sup> June 2005

OPERATING MANUAL FOR:

# ARCHERFIELD ROAD TRUNK MAIN AUGMENTATION

## CATHODIC PROTECTION SYSTEM

CLIENT:

BRISBANE WATER  
WATER SYSTEM SERVICES

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486/6/25-AA1C0021E	Standard Rectifier Wiring Diagram
(No Number)	Bimonthly Maintenance Program

## (1.0) **INTRODUCTION**

Steel when immersed or covered in water has a tendency to corrode (or rust) as the oxidized form is more stable than the metal.

Because of this, precaution must be taken to stop or minimize the corrosion reaction to an acceptable level consistent with the design life of the structure. This is normally achieved by the use of protective coatings which control the corrosion reaction by isolating the steel from its surrounding environment.

However, it is not practical to achieve a perfect coating and coating damage will always occur with time. Because of this, corrosion may occur at imperfections in the paint coating, causing further deterioration in the coating as well as loss of metal.

As a result of this, the coating defects must be rectified by periodic maintenance or an additional method of protection used to prevent this deterioration and corrosion occurring. This additional protection is achieved by the cathodic protection system.

## (2.0) **CORROSION AND CATHODIC PROTECTION**

Corrosion is an electrochemical process in that it is accompanied by a flow of electrical current.

Corrosion occurs on the surface of metals at active areas known as anodes, which are electrically continuous with less active or passive areas known as cathodes. The electric current flows from the anode through the electrolyte to the cathode, with the circuit being completed by the electrical continuity between the cathode and anode. In practice anodes and cathodes are generally part of the same metallic surface and individual anodic areas may be small.

In applying cathodic protection an external current is applied to the surface so that the entire surface to be protected acts as a cathode. This involves the use of an auxiliary anode and when the current flow from this anode is sufficient, no part of the structure acts as an anode.

An external source of direct current such as a transformer rectifier is used in conjunction with an anode consisting of material with a very slow corrosion rate.

While it is the flow of current which achieves the cathodic protection of the surface it is impractical to measure these currents over individual anodic areas to determine when cathodic protection has been achieved. However, with the flow of cathodic protection current, the structure becomes more negative with respect to the surrounding electrolyte. Because of this, it is possible to state values of metal/electrolyte potential at which corrosion does not occur. This metal/electrolyte potential is generally measured against a standard reference electrode which allows a reproducible potential at which corrosion does not occur to be quoted.

(3.0)

**MAINS DETAILS**

Size: 660 mm dia mild steel cement lined.

Coating: Medium Density Polyethylene.

Length: Appox 1.2 km.

Location: From Valve 1147 cnr Archerfield Rd. and Littleton Rd. Richlands,  
to Valve 753 Inala Reservoir.

Construction

Drawings:

486/1/22-C0024E Cathodic Protection Standard Switchboard Cabinet

486/1/22-AAT0001E Cathodic Protection Test Points

**Note:** S55 Trunk Main 600mm is also on this system. This main goes from V1146 Archerfield Rd. and Littleton Rd. to Inala Reservoir.

**(4.0) CATHODIC PROTECTION DETAILS****(4.1) Type of Cathodic Protection: Impressed Current.****(4.2) Rectifier:** Standard 20 Volt, 20 amp direct current output enclosed in a stainless steel switchboard. This system has 1 rectifier installed. The rectifier is McEwan Park, bounded by Azalea St. and Archerfield Rd, and has a 240V supply from PRV 008 switchboard.**(4.3) Cathode:** The cathode point is located on the 660 mm dia mains, adjacent to the scour valve, at Archerfield Rd. and Azalea St. corner. A second cathode point is on the S55 main at the same location. The cathode point is where the cabling from the rectifier is attached to the structure under cathodic protection.**(4.4) Anodes:** Four 1500 x 75mm silicone iron anodes were installed approximately 30 metres from the trunk mains, in a vertical bed 5 metres deep, in McEwan Park adjacent to the rectifier. One anode is for the new 660 main and three for the S55 600 main. The anodes are backfilled with cokebreeze thereby improving anode - ground resistance. The anodes are identified by a marker post and label. See layout drawing.**(4.5) Test Points:** Test points are installed on cathodically protected structures to enable testing to ensure full protection of the mains. On these mains three test points have been installed on the trunk main which can be identified from the layout drawing.**(4.6) Associated Drawings:**  
Cathodic Protection Test Point Details - 486/1/22-AAT0001E  
Standard Rectifier Wiring Diagram - 486/6/25-AA1C0021  
Cathodic Protection Test Point & Anode  
Bed Locations Trunk Main.**(4.7) Associated Standards:**  
AS/NZS 3000 2000 Electrical Installations  
AS/NZS 2832.1 1998 Cathodic Protection of Metals-Pipes and Cables.**(4.8) Government Regulations:**  
Queensland Electricity Safety Rules and Regulations. 2002

(5.0)

**PERFORMED TESTING**

- (1) Natural Potential Survey.
- (2) Testing of Insulated Flanges, Joints.
- (3) Soil Resistance Testing.
- (4) Current Drain Survey.
- (5) Pipe Coating Anomaly Survey.
- (6) Rectifier Loop Resistance.
- (7) Foreign Structure Interference Survey and Mitigation.
- (8) Final Potential Survey and Commissioning.

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**CONCLUSION**

Full Cathodic protection has been achieved on this section of trunk mains. The cathodic protection system is registered with the Electrical Safety Office, Department of Industrial Relations, and has approval to operate.

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**MAINTENANCE**

The cathodic protection system is maintained on a bimonthly basis after commissioning. These checks involve testing rectifier operation and recording of pipe to soil potentials.

## CPS Bimonthly Maintenance Details.

### Required:

- 1/ Notify plant operator and/or sign entry logs where necessary.
- 2/ Have appropriate keying.

### Labour:

One tradesperson, one vehicle. 20 minutes per site.

### Procedure:

- 1/ Identify installation.
- 2/ Check system for operation.
- 3/ Record voltmeter.
- 4/ Record ammeter.
- 5/ Comments.
- 6/ Log entry.

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## Cathodic Protection Unit

### CPS 6 Monthly Maintenance Details.

#### Required:

- 1/ Notify plant operator and/or sign entry logs where necessary.
- 2/ Have appropriate keying.
- 3/ Set of tools. (Electricians)
- 4/ Multimeter.
- 5/ DC clampmeter.
- 6/ Copper sulphate reference cell and leads.
- 7/ Cleaning equipment.
- 8/ Gatic cover lifters.

#### Labour:

One tradesperson electrical, one laborer, one vehicle.  
Two hours per site.

#### Procedure:

- 1/ Identify system.
- 2/ Check system for operation.
- 3/ Record voltmeter.
- 4/ Record ammeter.
- 5/ Record "on" potentials for all test points.
- 6/ Record "instant off" potentials for all test points.
- 7/ Record "off" potentials for all test points.
- 8/ Perform loop resistance and record.
- 9/ Check and record anode string currents.
- 10/ Comments.
- 11/ Log entry.



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## Cathodic Protection Unit

### CPS 60 Monthly Maintenance Details.

#### Required:

- 1/ Notify plant operator and/or sign entry logs where necessary.
- 2/ Have appropriate keying.
- 3/ Set of tools. (Electricians)
- 4/ Multimeter.
- 5/ DC clampmeter.
- 6/ Copper sulphate reference cell and leads.
- 7/ Cleaning equipment.
- 8/ Gatic cover lifters.
- 9/ Rectifier load bank.
- 10/ PCS2000 Detection Equipment.

#### Labour:

One tradesperson electrical, one laborer, one vehicle.  
Eight hours per site.

#### Procedure:

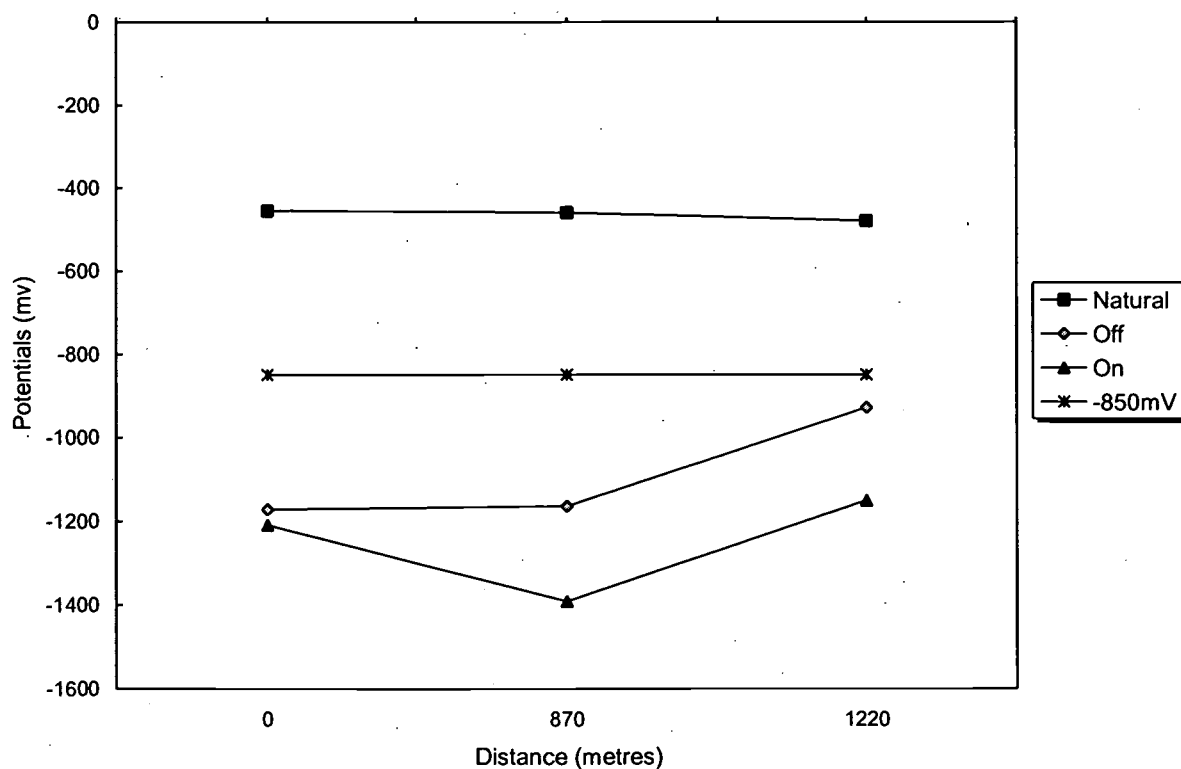
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- 7/ Record "off" potentials for all test points.
- 8/ Perform loop resistance and record.
- 9/ Check and record anode string currents.
- 10/ Load test rectifier for 10 minutes.
- 11/ Check all switchboard and testpoint terminals for tightness.
- 12/ Check all switchboard and testpoints are labelled and I.D. tags attached.
- 13/ Check plans are correctly drawn and modify if necessary.
- 14/ Remove and inspect anodes.
- 15/ Recheck all interference (CPS) bleeds.
- 16/ Pipecamp structure if applicable.
- 17/ Apply to reregister system if applicable

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CP Form No. 23

**Electrical Engineering Unit****Cathodic Protection System Potential Recording Form****Project** Archerfield Road Trunk Main Augmentation**Date** 21st June 2005

Test Point number	Distances to T.P. (metres)	Potentials to CuSO <sub>4</sub>			Distance	
		Natural (mV)	Off (mV)	On (mV)		
1	0	-455	-1172	-1209	0	TP.No1 Government Road
2	870	-460	-1164	-1391	870	
3	1220	-480	-928	-1150	1220	
4						Rectifier at
5						TP. No2
6						Azalea St
7						
8						TP. No3
9						Littleton Rd.
10						
11						
12						
13						
14						

**Graph of potentials vs pipelength**

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## Electrical Engineering Unit

### Cathodic Protection System Loop Resistance

Azalea St. Rectifier CPS 212

Date: 21st June 2005

Cathodic Protection System:

Archerfield Road Trunk Main Augmentation S55

System Operating Volts:

8

System Operating amps

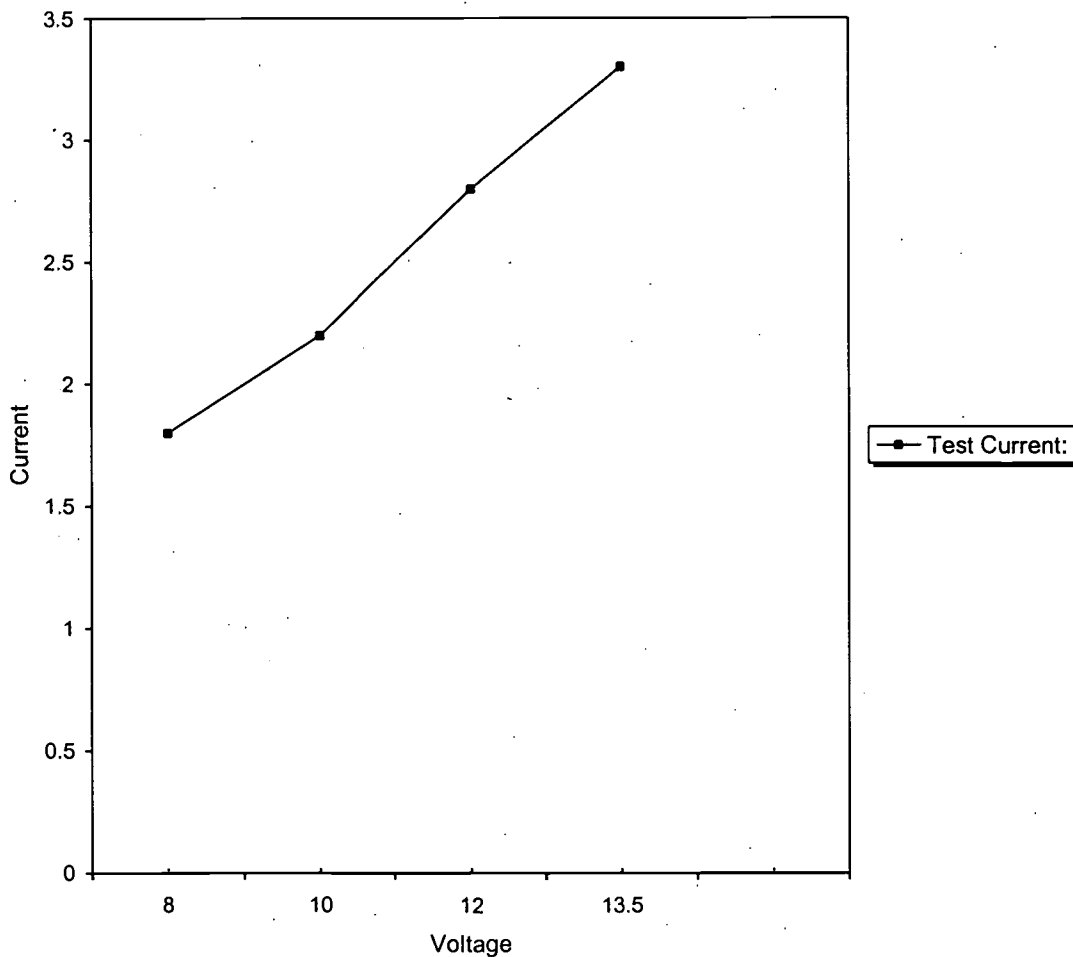
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Test Voltage:		Test Current:	
(volts)		(amps)	
8		1.8	
10		2.2	
12		2.8	
13.5		3.3	

Loop Resistance  
(ohms)

4.2857143

Loop Resistance



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### Cathodic Protection System Loop Resistance

Azalea St. Rectifier CPS 212

Date: 21st June 2005

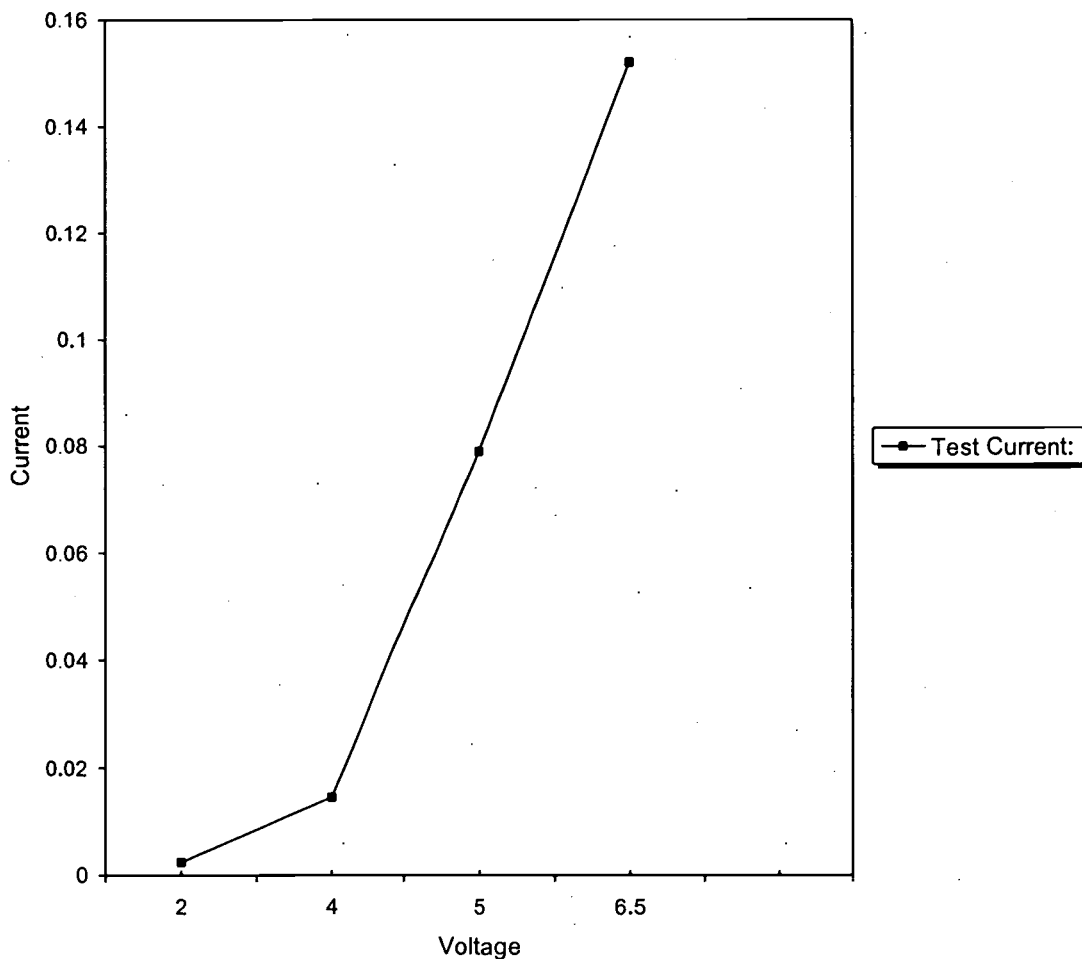
Cathodic Protection System: Archerfield Road Trunk Main Augmentation

System Operating Volts: 4 System Operating amps 14.5ma

Test Voltage:		Test Current:	
(volts)		(amps)	
2		0.0024	
4		0.0145	
5		0.079	
6.5		0.152	

Loop Resistance (ohms)
63.291139

Loop Resistance



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**Standard Cathodic Protection Test Point Data Gathering Form**Project Archerfield Rd TM Amplification Date 13-1-05T P Location Cnr Archerfield Azalea St T P No. 2Mains Size ..... T P Type B**POTENTIAL TESTING**

CATHODE TO CATHODE RETURN (RESISTANCE) \_\_\_\_\_  
 ZINC REFERENCE TO PIPE \_\_\_\_\_  
 CuSo4 REFERENCE TO PIPE \_\_\_\_\_  
 ZINC TO CuSo4 \_\_\_\_\_

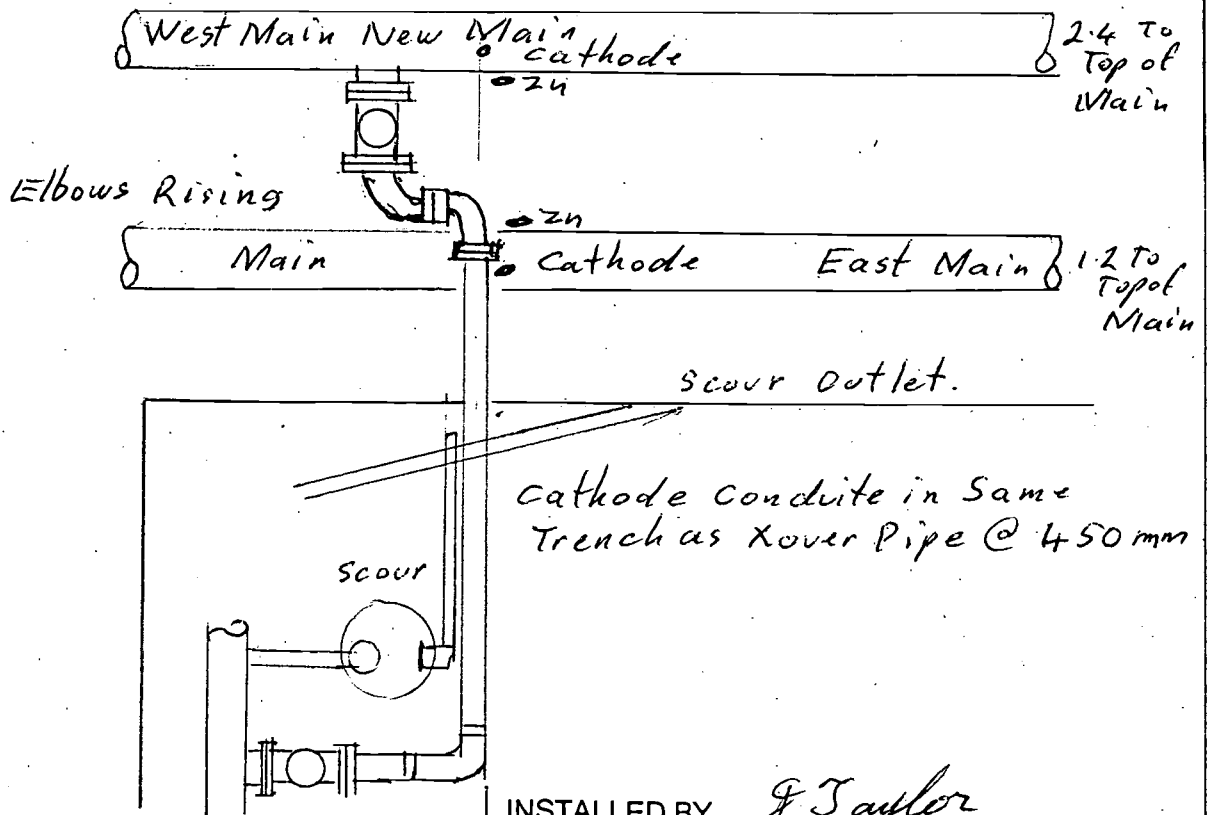
**EARTH TESTING**

TEST NO. 1

PIN SPACING \_\_\_\_\_

MEGGER READING \_\_\_\_\_

RESISTIVITY \_\_\_\_\_

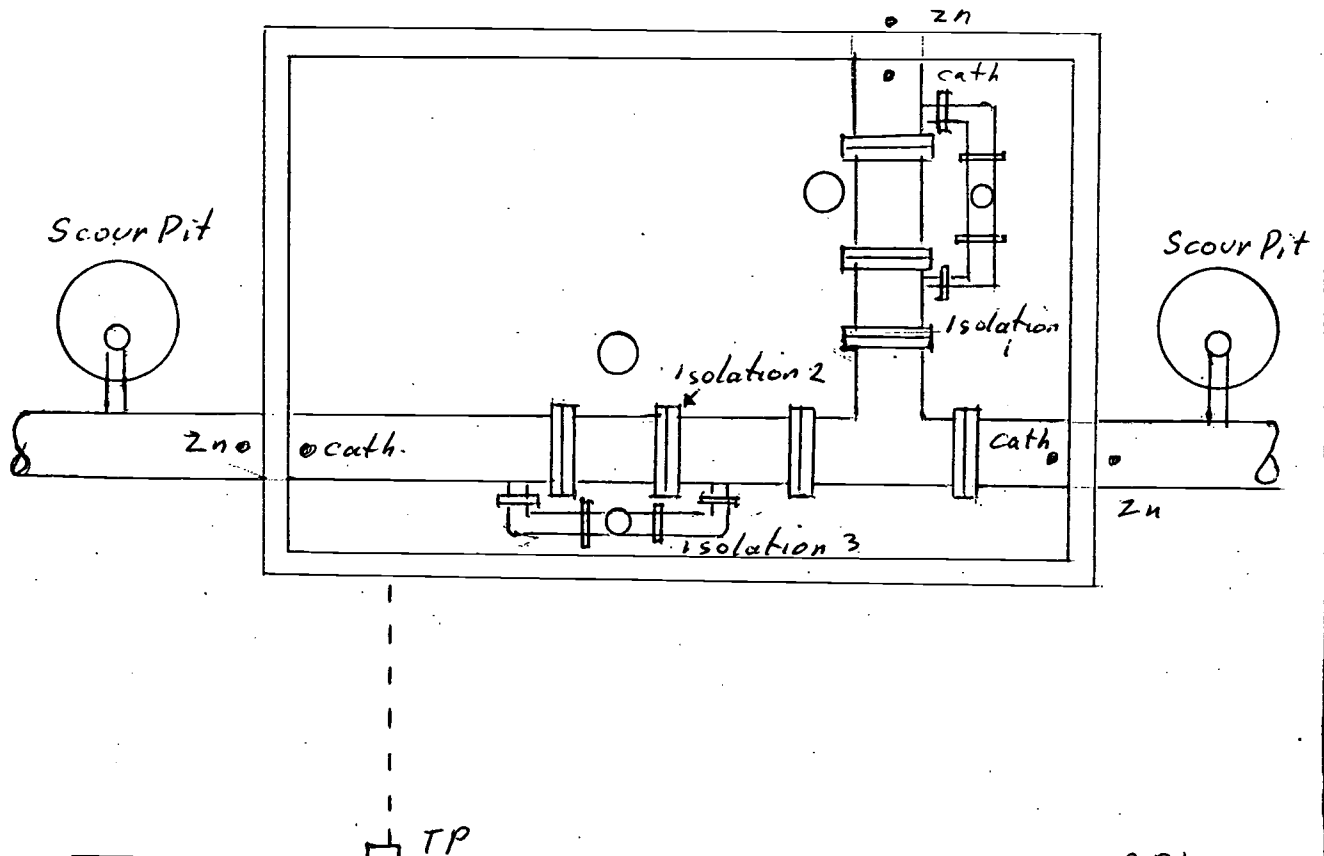
**COMMENTS / LOCATION DRAWING**

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## Electrical Engineering Unit

## Site Plan Drawing Sheet

Project Archerfield Rd T.M. AmplificationDate 6-9-04Littleton St

		RPL	
Isolation 1	F-F > 999 m $\Omega$	Bolts 16 off 140x28	
	F-B > 999 m $\Omega$		
Isolation 2	F-F 0.7 m $\Omega$		
	F-B 1.2 m $\Omega$		
Isolation 3	F-F 2.0 m $\Omega$	Bolts 8 off 3 1/2" x 3/4"	
	F-B 5 m $\Omega$		

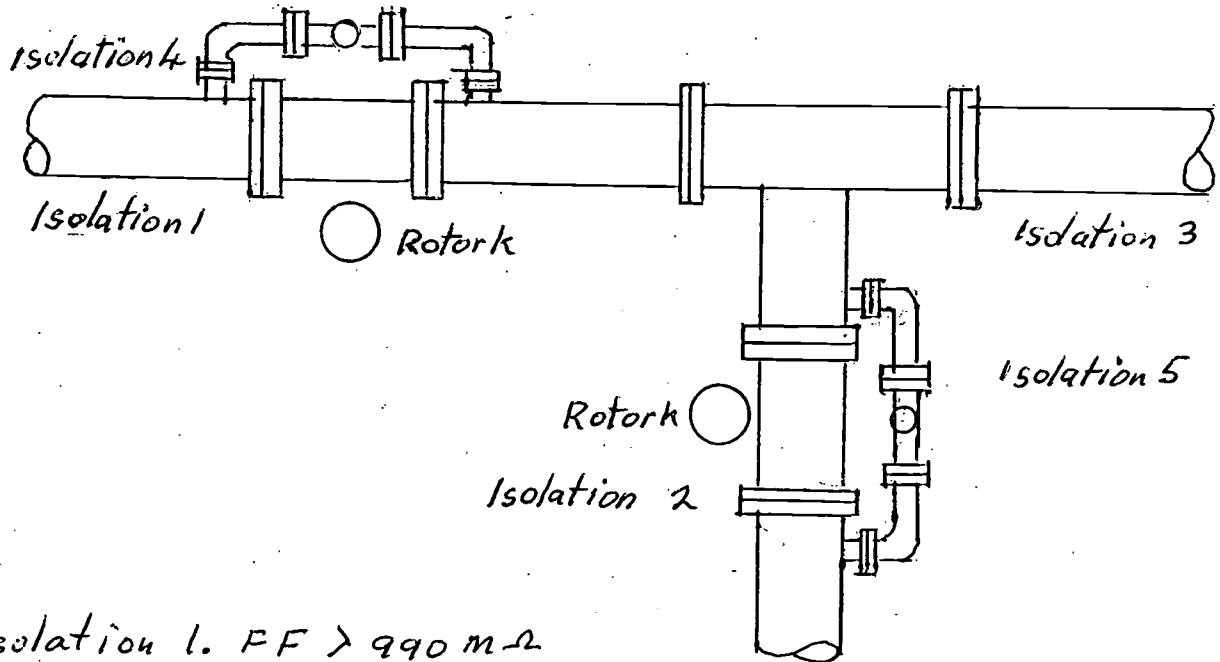
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## Site Plan Drawing Sheet

Project Archerfield Rd. TM AmplificationDate 27-10-04Inala Reservoir End Isolation

Isolation 1. FF > 990 m $\Omega$   
 FB > 990 m $\Omega$

Isolation 2. FF > 990 m $\Omega$   
 F-B > 990 m $\Omega$

Isolation 3 FF > 990 m $\Omega$   
 F-B > 990 m $\Omega$

Bolts @ 1,2,3, 16 off 140x28 @ 120 Flbs

Isolation 4 F-F > 890 m $\Omega$   
 F-B > 640 m $\Omega$

Isolation 5 F-F > 990 m $\Omega$   
 F-B > 130 m $\Omega$

Bolts @ 4,5. 8 off 3  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $\frac{3}{4}$ "

Tested in Air No Pipes Connected.

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## Cathodic Protection Anode Bed Testing

Project Archerfield Rd AmplificationDate 26-5-05ANODE MATERIAL: Silicon Iron BURIAL: VerticleANODE SIZE/WEIGHT: 1.5m x 75m 76 kG TEST POINT TYPE: 2 Type BANODE PACKAGING: Direct + Coke Breeze SOIL RESISTIVITY: \_\_\_\_\_ANODE DEPTH: 4 mtrs SIGNAGE: \_\_\_\_\_

## RESISTANCE TO GROUND:

ANODE NO.1 7.0ANODE No.2 5.0ANODE No.3 5.0ANODE No.4 6.5

ANODE No.5 \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL Individual To Rectifier

## ANODE CURRENT

ANODE No.1 \_\_\_\_\_

ANODE No.2 \_\_\_\_\_

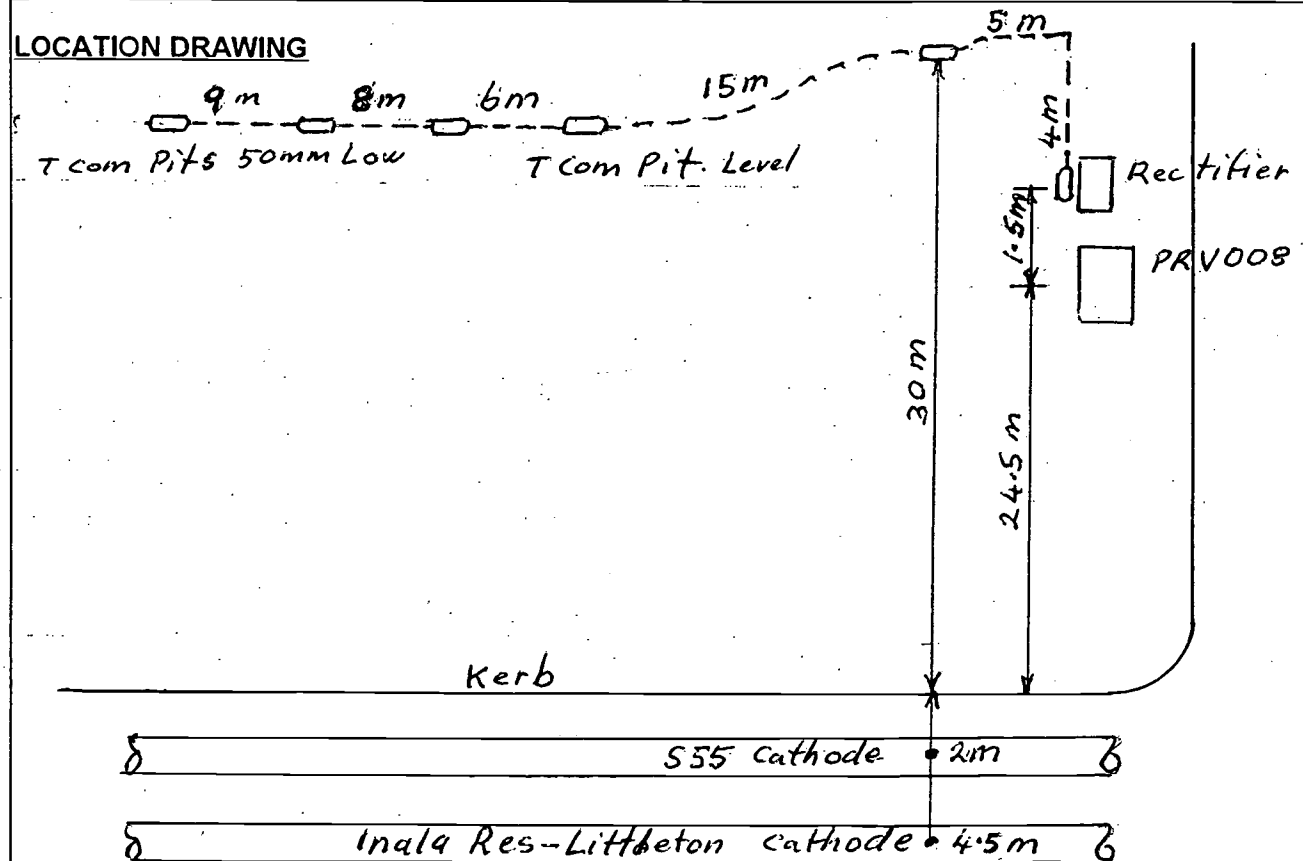
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ANODE No.4 \_\_\_\_\_

ANODE No.5 \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL \_\_\_\_\_

## LOCATION DRAWING

TESTED BY J. TAYLOR



FORM 9  
V3.01-04**Queensland  
Government**Department of Industrial Relations  
ABN 52 293 849 579**APPLICATION TO REGISTER A  
REGISTERABLE CATHODIC PROTECTION SYSTEM**  
**PLEASE COMPLETE ALL SECTIONS OF THIS FORM- PLEASE PRINT****Application Details**

Name of system owner:	Brisbane City Council / Brisbane Water		
	ABN	72002765795	
Postal address:	GPO Box 1434 Brisbane 4001		
Contact name:			TEL

Name of authorised agent of system owner:	Brisbane Water Network Services		
	ABN	72002765795	
Postal Address:	268 Cullen Ave Eagle Farm 4009		
Contact Name:	Kerry McGovern		TEL 07 34078364

<b>Type of Application:</b> (Tick as appropriate)			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New System			
<input type="checkbox"/> Alteration to an existing system, Registration No:			
<input type="checkbox"/> Renewal of system, Registration No:			
Location of system:	From Inala Reservoir to Littleton St. Richlands		
	Rectifier (McEwan Park) Azalea Street Inala.	POST CODE 4077	
Structure to be protected:	600 mm and 660 mm dia Mild Steel Trunk Main		
Maximum operating current:	4.00	Amperes DC	Water or Marine environment Maximum operating voltage: <input type="text"/> Volts

**Declaration**

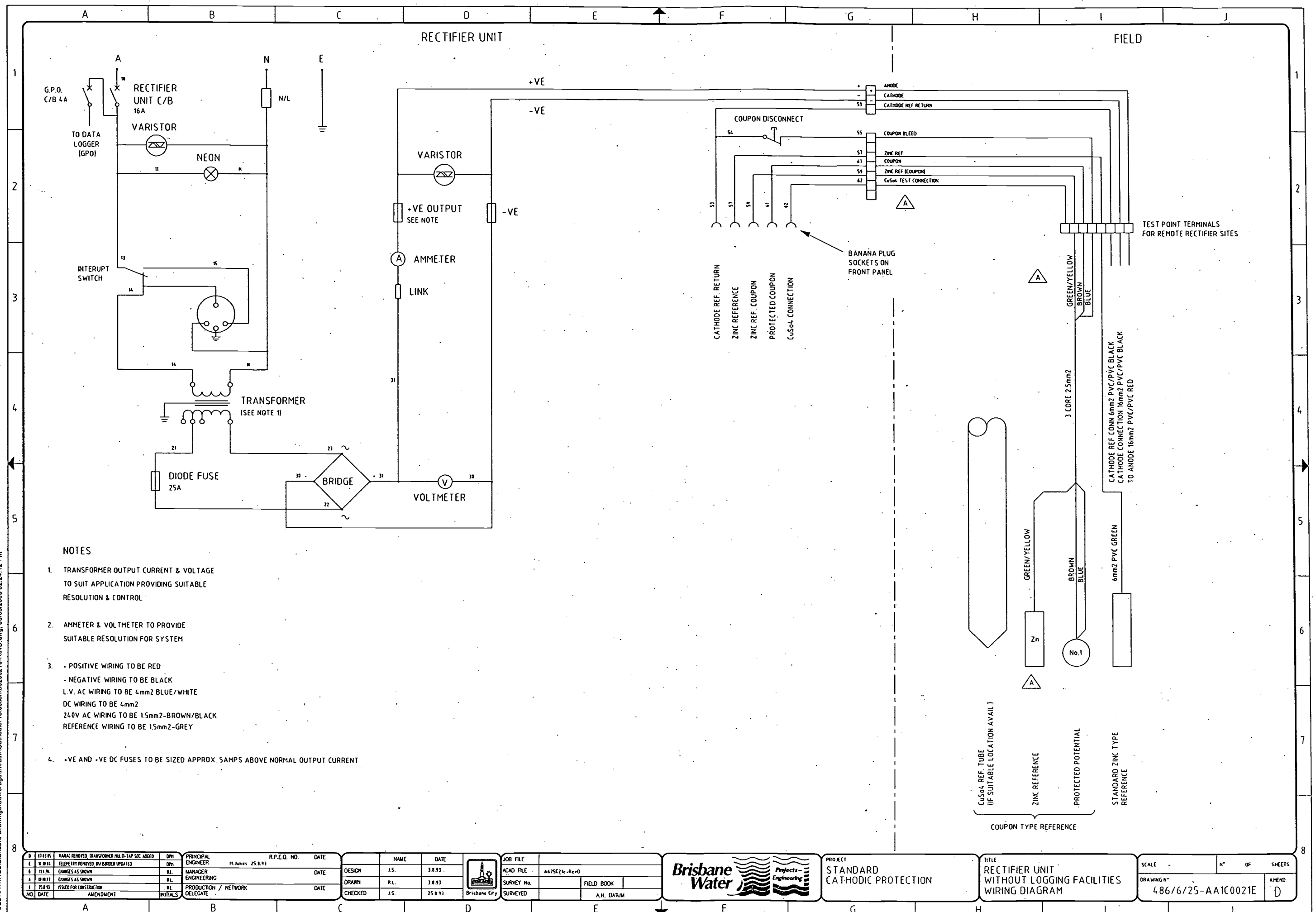
I/We, being the owner/operators of the cathodic protection system described above, make application for the registration of this system and certify with respect to the system that:

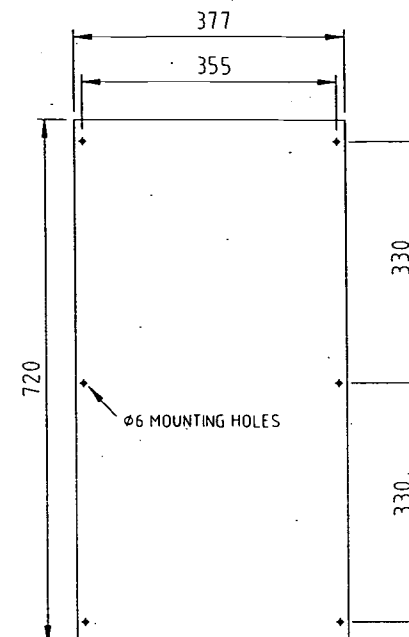
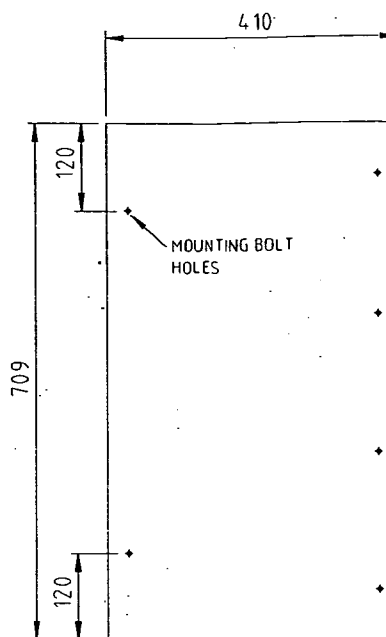
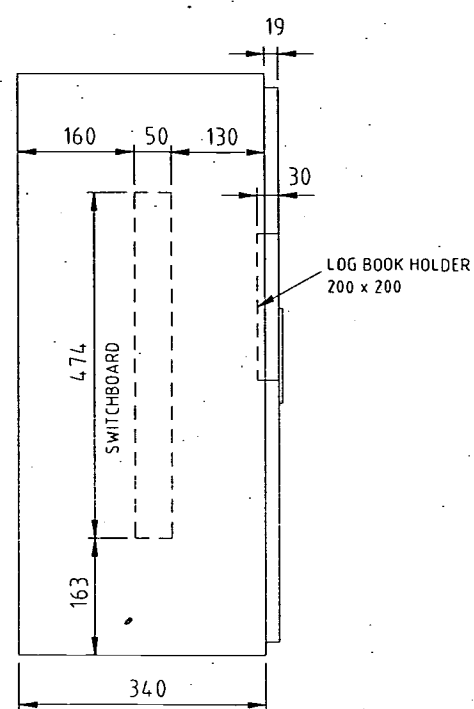
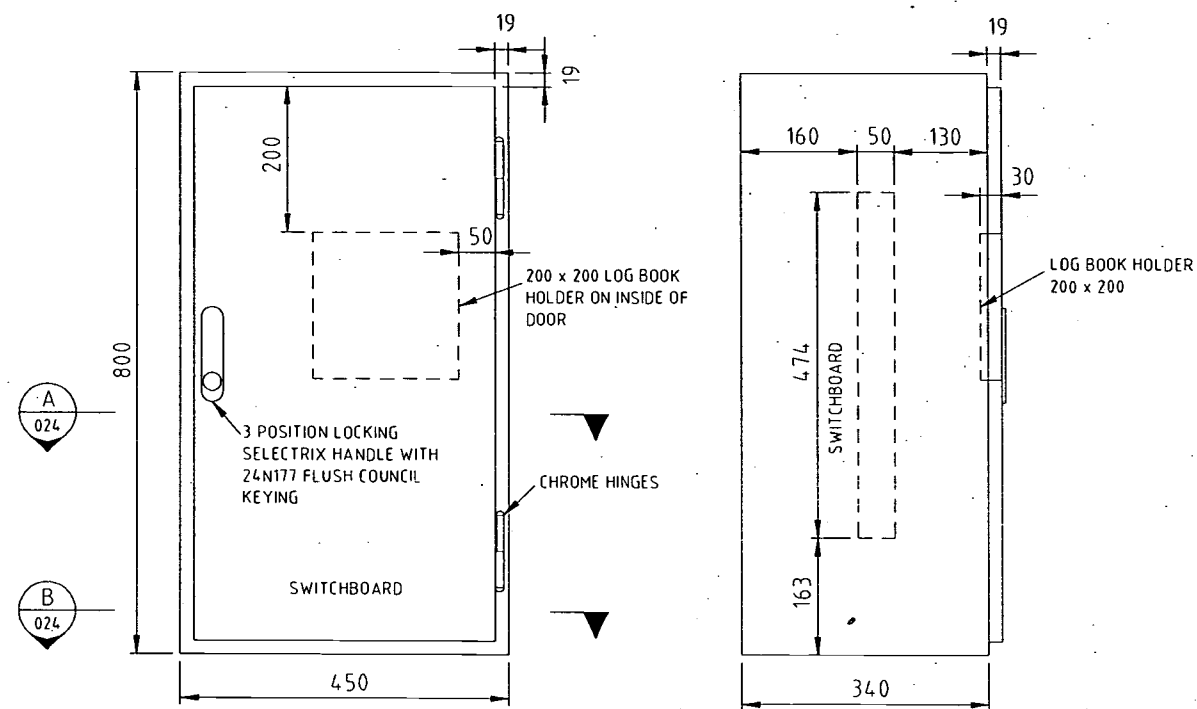
- (i) I/We have complied with the requirements of Part 11 of *Electrical Safety Regulation 2002*;
- (ii) tests pursuant to section 177 of *Electrical Safety Regulation 2002*, based on the maximum operating current stated this application have been performed;
- (iii) the maximum operating voltage stated in this application in the case of the system operating with an anode/s immersed in water or a marine environment corresponds to the maximum operating current mentioned in paragraph (ii); and
- (iv) any necessary interference mitigation measures for foreign structures (in the case where the system is currently registered) have been tested and are operating satisfactorily.

Signature of system owner:  Day Month Year

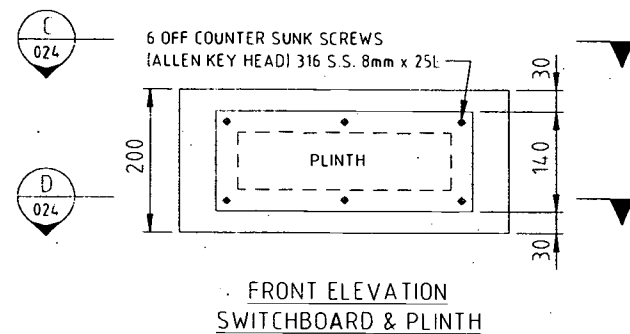
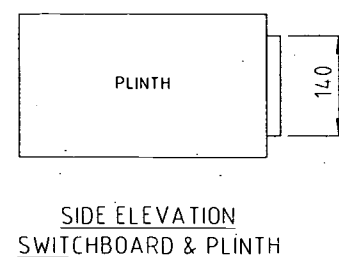
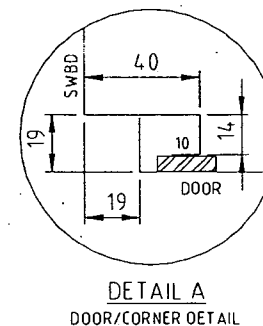
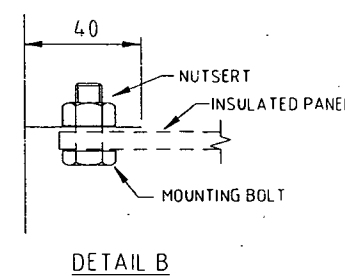
PRIVACY STATEMENT. The Department of Industrial Relations respects your privacy and is committed to protecting your personal information. The information provided on this form is for the purpose of applying for the registration of a cathodic protection system and monitoring compliance under the Electrical Safety Act 2002, and will be managed within the requirements of Information Standard 42. The Department may be required to disclose your personal information to other government agencies, entities, or persons as may be required by law or that are outsourced functions. This information may also be used for statistical research, information provision and evaluation of our services. We will assume that we have your permission to do this unless you tell us otherwise. You can do this at any time by contacting Equipment Safety on (07) 3237 0281. Further information on our privacy policy is available at [www.dir.qld.gov.au](http://www.dir.qld.gov.au)

**Application of accompany registration fee of \$205.00****Application for systems to be immersed in a marine environment must have technical schedule attached.****Forward to: Electrical Safety Office, LMB 2234 Brisbane Qld 4001****Please note: This is a GST free supply. No tax invoice will be issued.**



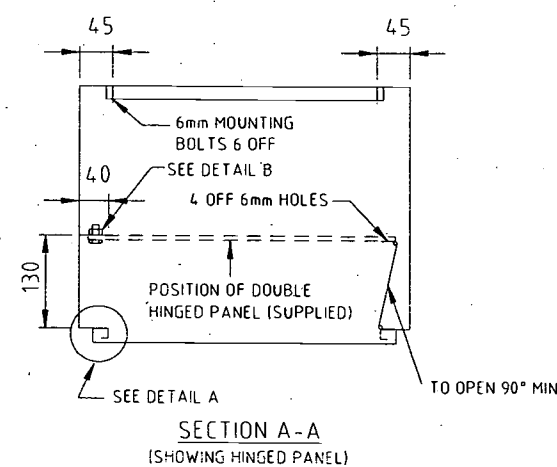
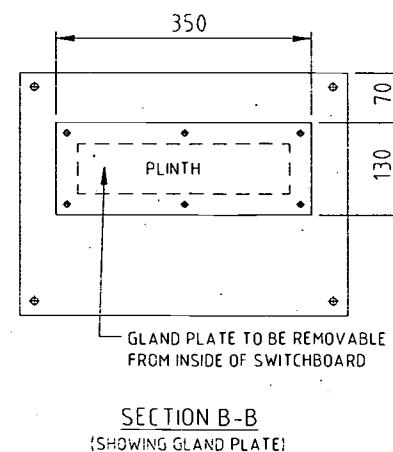
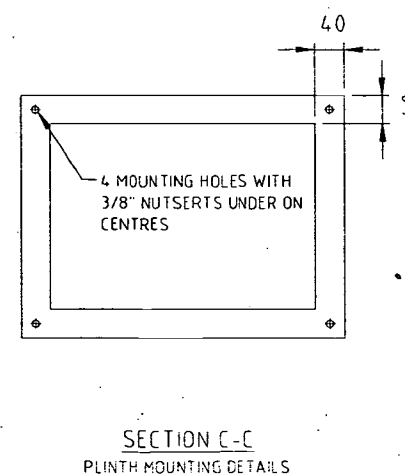
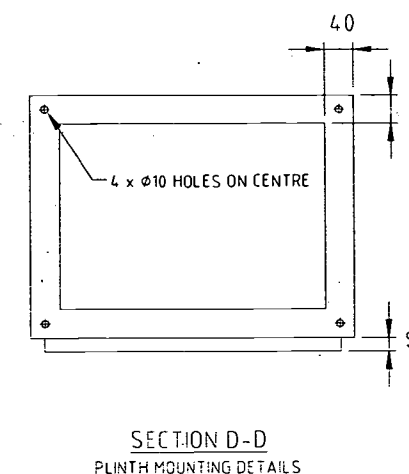
FRONT INSULATED PANEL  
(6mm THICK SUPPLIED)FIG.1  
EQUIPMENT PANEL DETAILS

1. CABINET TO BE MANUFACTURED FROM 1.6mm 2B STAINLESS STEEL.
2. UNLESS SPECIFIED, SUPPLY CABINET WITH PLINTH (MOUNT PLINTH TO SWITCHBOARD CABINET USING STAINLESS STEEL SCREWS).
3. REAR EQUIPMENT PANEL TO BE ZINC PLATED STEEL. POWDER COATED 'ORANGE'. (FULL LENGTH, FULL WIDTH & REMOVABLE). SEE FIG.1
4. DOUBLE HINGED PANEL SUPPLIED BY B.C.C.
5. PROVIDE 1/4" WW STAINLESS STEEL STUDS TO DOOR & SWITCHBOARD CABINET.
6. DEGREE OF WEATHER PROTECTION IP55.
7. SELECTRIX TYPE HANDLE TO BE SUPPLIED & FITTED BY SWITCHBOARD MANUFACTURER. HANDLE TO BE 1107 SS CU1. KEY TO BE 24N177.
8. DOUBLE HINGED PANEL MOUNT TO BE SUPPLIED WITH MOUNTING BOLTS & NUTS TOP & BOTTOM. SEE DETAIL A.

FRONT ELEVATION  
SWITCHBOARD & PLINTHSIDE ELEVATION  
SWITCHBOARD & PLINTHDETAIL A  
DOOR/CORNER DETAIL

DETAIL B

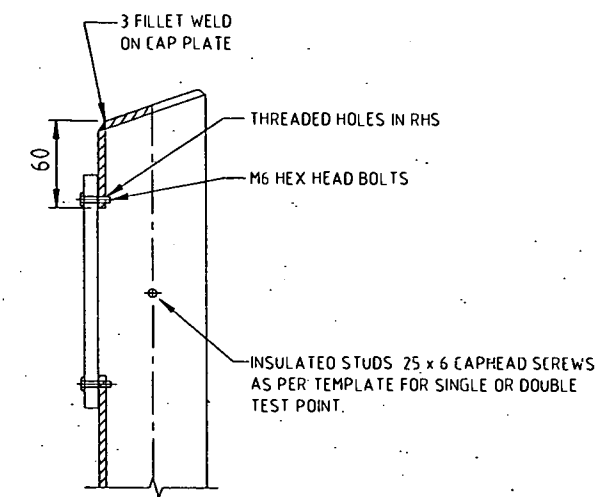
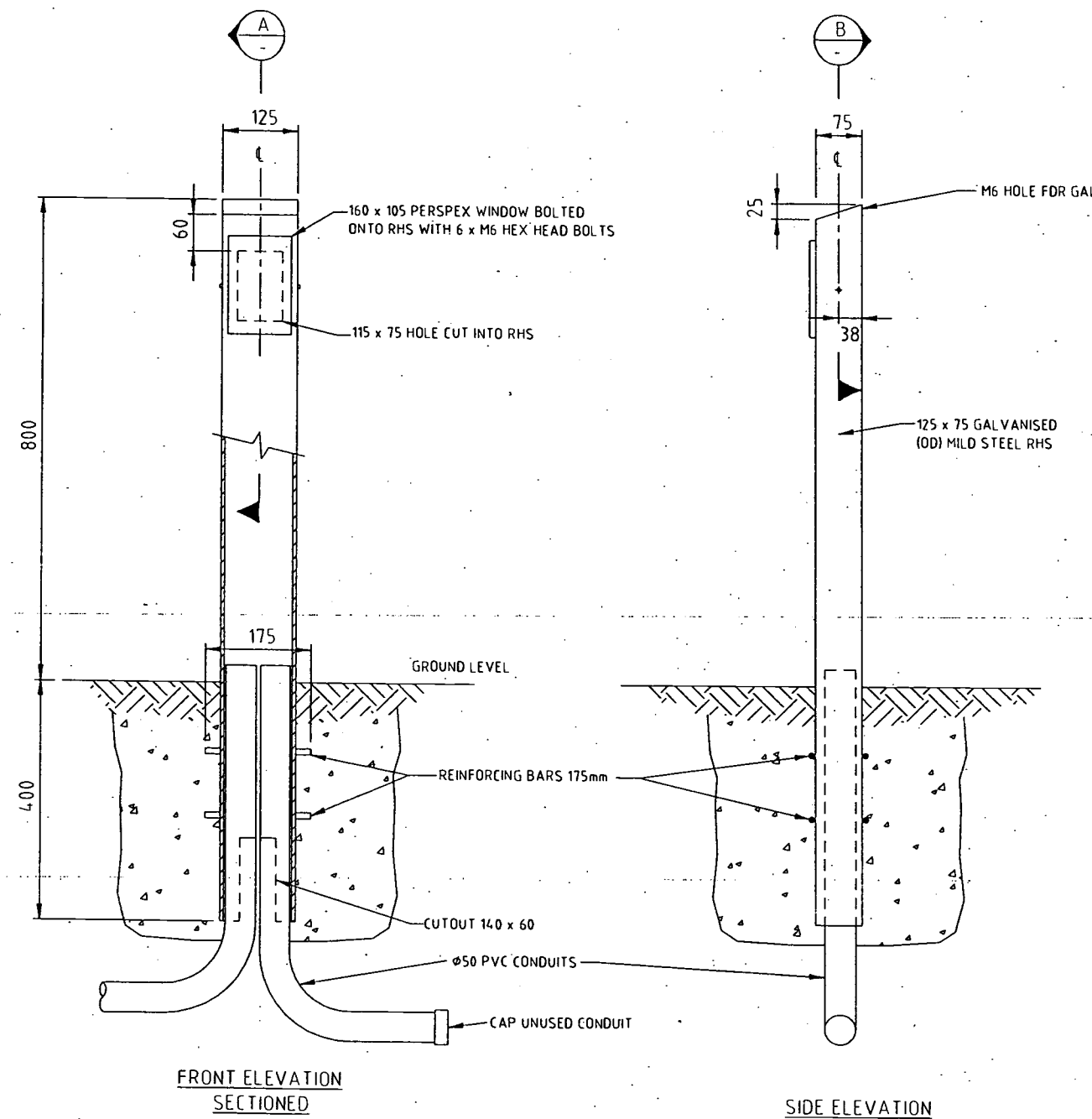
NUMBER OF SWITCHBOARDS REQUIRED	
NUMBER OF PLINTHS REQUIRED	

SECTION A-A  
(SHOWING HINGED PANEL)SECTION B-B  
(SHOWING GLAND PLATE)SECTION C-C  
PLINTH MOUNTING DETAILSSECTION D-D  
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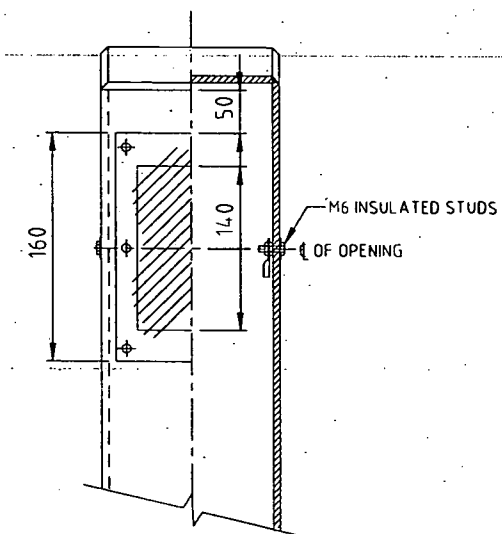
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## NOTES




1. HOT DIP GALVANISE AFTER FABRICATION.



SECTION A-A



SECTION B-B

				DIRECTOR OF P.D. & P.S.		DATE			NAME	DATE		JOB FILE			 			PROJECT CATHODIC PROTECTION		TITLE STANDARD TEST POINT CONSTRUCTION DETAILS		SCALE		NTS	N° 1 OF 1		SHEETS		
C	9-92	NOTE 1 REVISED		HT			DESIGN	K.M.G.	5-5-92	ACAD FILE		2210001-RevA	SHEET SIZE	A1								DRAWING N°		486/1/22-AAT0001E		AMEND			
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