



MASONRY

All blockwork to be min. 7N dense concrete block, in mortar designation (iii/M4). Below ground mortar to be designation (ii/M6).

Wall ties to be provided in accordance with BS EN 845-1:2013 at max. 900mm horizontal and 450mm vertical centres, staggered in alternative rows. Additional ties are to be provided around all openings at 225mm vertical centres and 150mm max from opening. Ties to be type 2 stainless steel or non-ferrous in areas of severe exposure.

All openings in blockwork to receive bedjoint reinforcement 2no. courses above & below and extend 500mm past each side of opening.

All new masonry to be mechanically tied into existing with stainless steel Furfix starter ties or similar approved. Ties fitted at 450mm vertical ctrs in accordance with Manufacturers specification.

No masonry construction shall be conducted while the temperature is below 4° C on a rising thermometer or 5°C on a falling thermometer.

Lateral restraint straps are required at floor, ceiling joist, rafter or flat roof joist levels in accordance with the provisions in BS EN 1996-2:2006 and Building Regulation requirements at a maximum spacing of 2m.

STONEWORK NOTES

All stonework to be 150mm thick locally sourced natural slate to closely match existing unless stated otherwise.

Mortar joint widths to closely match existing.

Lime - Natural Hydraulic Lime NHL3.5 (Moderately Hydraulic) obtained from: Cornish Lime Company - 01208 79779 or equal. Sand - Sand to be approved. A sample panel of stonework

should be prepared & fully pointed to be approved prior to construction. NHL5 lime mortar to form bedding of natural slate coping stone.

Mortar to existing stonework to be re-pointed with 2 volumes of NHL3.5 lime : 5 Volumes of approved Sand.

GENERAL NOTES

This drawing is to be read in conjunction with all other relevant Specialist drawings, details and the relevant Health and Safety Plan (as appropriate.).

DO NOT set out from this drawing. Check all dimensions and consult Engineer if any queries arise. Do not scale from drawings.

All dimensions to be checked on site. All details and dimensions relating the sub-contractors or suppliers work must be checked and agreed between the subcontractors or supplier and the general contractor.

Works to comply with current Codes of Practice, Eurocode, British Standards and Building Regulations.

Contractor to provide all necessary vertical and lateral restraint strapping in order to comply with The Building Regulations.

Temporary Stability - Contractor to provide all necessary temporary propping to safely undertake the works.

Roof and Trimming - Design of roof structure, trimmers and connections to be prepared by suitably qualified persons prior to construction.

Party Wall - Works come under the Party Wall Etc. Act 1996. All appropriate notices and awards should be issued prior to work taking place.

CONCRETE

All concrete to be specified in accordance with BS 8500:2015 parts 1 and 2, and BS EN 206:2013.

Unless detailed and scheduled the contractor is to provide all necessary reinforcement spacer chairs.

All concrete to be RC32/40 concrete, unless stated otherwise.

All shuttering to shuttered concrete to others details.

Plain concrete in foundations shall be placed in direct contact with the bottom of the excavation, the concrete being deposited in such a manner as not to be mixed with the earth.

The bottom of excavations for reinforced concrete works shall be covered with a blinding layer of C8/10 GEN 1 concrete not less than 50mm thick with a smooth surface.

No concrete shall be mixed or placed while the temperature is below 1° C on a rising thermometer or 2°C on a falling thermometer.

Newly placed concrete shall be protected by approved means from frost, rain, sun and drying winds.

All reinforcement to have minimum 40mm cover, 50mm to underside, unless stated otherwise.

Detailing of day work/construction joints by groundworks contractor. Positions to be agreed with engineer.

Bar annotation as set out below:

T4



T1/2 = Top Face (T1=Outer Layer, T2=Inner Layer) B1/2 = Bottom Face (B1=Outer Layer, B2=Inner Layer) NF = Near Face (N1=Outer Layer, N2=Inner Layer) FF = Far Face (F=Outer Layer, F2=Inner Layer) EF = Each Face; AB = Alternative Bars;

STG = Staggered Bars;

ABR = Alternate Bars Reversed

Services are not expected to exceed 150mm diameter and are to be suitably sleeved through reinforced concrete elements. Bars may be locally displaced to accommodate this.

All reinforcement to have minimum lap lengths set out below: H10 - 400mm



Reinforcement to be inspected & approved by the Engineer before concrete casting commences (min 24 hour notice).

Concrete shall be placed and fully compacted to avoid cold joints, honeycombing and to minimise segregation, excessive blemishes or other defects in the concrete.

