

**Amendments and clarification to Code of Practice  
for Fire Resisting Construction 1996**

I refer to the issue of the revised Code of Practice for Fire Resisting Construction 1996 which has become effective on 1 August 1996. The following corrigenda therein are required:-

- (i) On page 9, in the fourth line of paragraph 7.2, "but in no case less than 2 "hours" should be deleted.
- (ii) On page 18, at the end of paragraph 17.2, the following diagram should be added :



- (iii) In Table C on page 24, the concrete cover to all reinforcement required to provide 2 hrs. FRP to continuous floors and landings of solid reinforced concrete construction should read "25 mm" instead of "40 mm".
- (iv) On page 14 in the fourth line, add "with an FRP as described in (iii) above" after the word "located".
- (v) On page 32 in the fifth line from the bottom, replace "fixed light;" with "fixed light with FRP  $\geq \frac{1}{2}$  FRPe;".

2. The corrigenda and clarification announced in this practice note will be incorporated in future editions of the Code of Practice.

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