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ELECTRICAL INSTALLATION CONDITION REPORT

PART 1: DETAILS OF THE CONTRACTOR, CLIENT AND	NSTALLATION								
DETAILS OF THE CONTRACTOR Registration No: 501766000 Branch No*: 000 Trading Title: Advanced Electrical Services York Ltd Address: York Eco Business Centre, York Amy Johnson Way, York, North Yorkshire Postcode: YO30 4AG Tel No: 01904479485	DETAILS OF THE CLIENT Contractor Reference Number (CRN): N/A Name: Adam Bennett Address58 Gillygate, YORK Postcode: YO31 7EQ Tel No: N/A	DETAILS OF THE INSTALLATION Occupier: Unknown UPRN: N/A Address: Apartment 7, Bacchus House, Olympian Court, York, North Yorkshire Postcode: YO10 3UL Tel No: N/A							
PART 2 : PURPOSE OF THE REPORT									
Purpose for which this report is required: Scheduled report prior to property being rented to comply with the Elec Date(s) when inspection and testing was carried out: (09/08/2023)		ions as amended rt available (651.1): (
PART 3 : SUMMARY OF THE CONDITION OF THE INSTALLATION									
General condition of the installation (in terms of electrical safety): The installation appears to be in acceptable condition with regards to electrical safety. Accessories in good condition. Installation erected to previous version of BS7671 Description of premises Dwelling: (
PART 4: DECLARATION									
declare that the information in this report, including the observations (PART 5) and the attache Name (capitals) on behalf of the contractor identified in PART 1: THOMAS BURDETT I/We further RECOMMEND, subject to the necessary remedial action being taken, that the institute reason for recommendation: Domestic rental property The proposed date for the next inspection should take into consideration any legislative or licensing require REVIEWED BY THE REGISTERED QUALIFIED SUPERVISOR FOR THE CONT	ed Schedules, provides an accurate assessment of the condition of the electrical installation. Signature:	Date: 09/08/2023 Date: 09/08/2023 ed to receive during its intended life. The period should be agreed between relevant parties.							
Name (capitals) on behalf of the contractor identified in PART1: MATTHEW CHIPCH.	ASE Signature:	Date: 15/08/2023							

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PART	5 : OBSERVATIONS								
below to i	ne of the following Codes, as appropriate, has been allocated to each of the observations made elow to indicate to the person(s) responsible for the electrical installation the degree of urgency remedial action: Code C1 Danger Present Risk of injury. Immediate remedial action required Urgent remedial action required Code C2 Potentially Dangerous Urgent remedial action required								
Referring	to the Schedule of Items Inspected (see PART 9), the attached Schedule of	Circuit Details and Te	st Results (see PART 11A & 11B), and sub	ject to any agreed limitations listed in PA	RT 6 -				
No remed	al action is required (.X), OR The following observations are ma	de:							
Item No			Observation(s)			Code	Location Reference		
(.1)	(4.164.19 Absence of Arc fault protection for socket circu					()	(Installation		
(.2)	(6.134.17 Some RCDs/RCBOs in the consumer unit are					,	(Final circuits		
()	(Absence of Surge Protective Device (SPD) where	required by 443.4.	1 i-iii			(.C3)	(Installation)		
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					Additional pages? ()	State page numbers	s: (N/A		
Immediat	e remedial action required for items:) Im	provement recommended for items:	(.1,2,3)		
Urgent re	medial action required for items: (.N/A) Fui	ther investigation required for items:	(.N/A)		



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PART 6: DETAILS AND LIMITATI	ONS OF THE INSPECTION AND	TESTING			
of the building or underground, have not been visually	nspected unless specifically agreed between the Clier	t and the Inspector prior to inspection.		s, or cables and conduits concealed under floors, in inaccessible	
					,
Agreed limitations including the reasons, if any, on the undertaken in any building voids/loft space	a and continuation about for more	insulation resistance tests carried of		ent damage to connected equipment. No test or ins	spection has been
				Agreed with (print name): CLIENT	
Operational limitations including the reasons: Unab	le to determine size and type of main sup	oly company fuse as unit is sealed a	and access	forbidden	(see additional page No.N/A)
PART 7: SUPPLY CHARACTERIS	TICS AND EARTHING ARRANG	EMENTS			
	TN-C-S: () AC 1-phase, 3-phase, DC 2-wire: (ype of live conductors 2-wire: ((N/A) V [2] By enquiry (230) V measurement (50) Hz (1.25) kA		
БЭ ЕМ. ()	Other sources of	of supply (Schedule of Test Results)	Pag	e No: $(N/A : N/A : N)$ External earth fault loop impedance, Z_e [2]*:	(0.18 _{) Ω}
PART 8 : PARTICULARS OF INST	ALLATION REFERRED TO IN TH	IS REPORT			
Maximum demand (load): (45) XX/A/A	Main protective conductors	Main protective bonding connections		Main switch / Switch-fuse / Circuit-breaker / RCD	
(delete as appropriate)	Earthing conductor:	Water installation pipes:	(•)	Location: (Within consumer unit)
Means of Earthing	(material Copper)	Gas installation pipes:		BS EN: (60947-3) Type: (3)	
Distributor's facility: ()	csa (16) mm ² Connection/continuity	Structural steel:		No. of poles: (2) Current rating: (100)	Voltage rating: (230) V
Installation earth electrode(s): (N/A) Earth electrode type - rod(s), tape, etc: (None) Location: (N/A)	verified: (•) Main protective bonding conductors: (material Copper)	Oil installation pipes: Lightning protection: Other (state):		Where an RCD is used as the main switch RCD rated residual operating current, $I_{\Delta n}:N/A$) mA	RCD Type: (N/A)
Electrode resistance to Earth: $(NA)\Omega$	csa (1.0) mm² Connection/continuity verified: (✔.)	N/A N/A	(N/A)	Rated time delay: (N/A) ms	Measured operating time: (N/A) ms

All fields must be completed. Enter either, as appropriate: '

' if Acceptable condition; 'N/A' if Not applicable; 'LIM' if a Limitation exists, or Code appropriately: CODE 'C1,' C2,' C3' or 'FI' (codes to be recorded in PART 5, with additional comments (where appropriate) on attached numbered sheets)

^{*}Where the installation is supplied by more than one source, the higher or highest values of prospective fault current, Ipf, and external earth fault loop impedance, Ze, must be recorded.

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PART 9 : SCHEDULE OF ITEMS INSPECTED (enter 🗸 , N/A or Classification Code C1, C2, C3 or FI, as applicable)	
1.0 Intake equipment (visual inspection only) - Accessibility of all protective bonding connections (543.3.2) (re present,
determine the overall assessment of the installation. Where inadequacies are identified, a cross should be put against the appropriate item and a comment made in Part 5 of this report. 3.2 FELV - requirements satisfied (411.7) (N/A) where required (514.9.1)	
1.1 Distributor / supplier intake equipment Service cable 3.3 Other methods of protection Where any of the methods listed below are employed, details should be provided on separate sheets where required (514.15)	near equipment, (N/A
■ Service head (✓) Non-conducting location (418.1) (✓) Non-conducting location (418.1) (✓) A.19 Presence of next inspection recommendation label, (✓) where required (514.12.1)	(∕)
■ Meter tails (✔) ■ Electrical separation (413; 418.3) (✔) 4.20 Presence of other required labelling (please specify) ■ Metering equipment (✔) □ Double insulation (412) (✔) 4.21 Compatibility of protective devices, bases and other	r components;
■ Isolator, where present ■ Reinforced insulation (412) ■ Reinforced insulation (412) ■ Reinforced insulation (412) ■ Reinforced insulation (412) ■ Provisions where automatic disconnection of supply is not feasible (419) ■ Provisions where automatic disconnection of supply is not feasible (419)	(
potentially dangerous situation, the person ordering the work and / or dutyholder must be informed. It is strongly recommended that the person ordering the work informs the appropriate authority. Adequacy of working space / accessibility to equipment (132.12; 513.1) ((
1.2 Consumer's isolator, where present 1.3 Consumer's meter tails 1.4 Consumer's meter tails 1.5 Consumer's meter tails 1.6 Consumer's meter tails 1.7 Consumer's meter tails 1.8 Consumer's meter tails 1.9 Frotection against mechanical damage where capital tails (1.1.1)	(🖍)
2.0 Presence of adequate arrangements for parallel or switched alternative sources 4.4 Adequacy security of barriers or enclosures (416.2.3) ()	(火)
2.1 Adequate arrangements where a generating set operates as a switched alternative to the public supply (551.6) (N/A) (N/A) 4.5 Condition of enclosure(s) in terms of IP rating, etc. (416.2) ((<mark>N/A</mark>)
2.2 Adequate arrangements where a generating set operates in parallel with the public supply (551.7) 4.7 Enclosure not damaged / deteriorated so as to impair safety (651.2) 5.2 Cables correctly supported throughout their run (52)	
3.0 Methods of protection 3.1 Automatic disconnection of supply (ADS) 4.8 Presence and effectiveness of obstacles (41/.2) (
Main earthing / bonding arrangement (411.3; Chap. 54) 4.11 Manual operation of circuit-breakers, RCDs and AFDDs to prove Presence of distributor's earthing arrangement (542.1.2.1; 542.1.2.2), or functionality (643.10) (w) (including flexible conduit) (522)	·
presence of installation earth electrode arrangement (542.1.2.3) Adequacy of earthing conductor size (542.3; 543.1.1) Presence of installation earth electrode arrangement (542.1.2.3) (
 Adequacy of earthing conductor connections (542.3.2) Accessibility of earthing conductor connections (543.3.2) Accessibility of earthing conductor connections (543.3.2) 4.13 RCD(s) provided for fault protection - includes RCBOs (11.4.204; 411.4.5; 411.5.2; 531.2) (11.4.204; 411.4.5; 411.5.2; 531.2) (11.4.204; 411.4.5; 411.5.2; 531.2) 	ermal or mechanical
 Adequacy of main protective bonding conductor sizes (544.1.1) Adequacy and location of main protective bonding conductor connections (544.1.2) Adequacy of main protective bonding conductor includes RCBOs (411.3.3; 415.1) Adequacy and location of main protective bonding conductor connections (544.1.2) Adequacy of cables for current-carrying capacity was and nature of installation (523) 	(N/A (N/A)) rith regard for the type (N/A)



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installations (indicated in item 10 above)

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8.1	Condition of equipment in terms of IP rating, etc. (416.2; 422.3; 422.4; 522.4)	(.		passing through zones 1 and / or 2 of the location (701.411.3.3) Where used as a protective measure, requirements for SELV or PELV met (701.414.4.5)	() ,N/A	repoi	rt, additional schedules detailing the associated inspection and testing should be pro rate pages.	,
	Current-using equipment (permanently connected)	()		Additional protection by RCD having rated residual operating current not exceeding 30 mA for all low voltage (LV) circuits serving the location or	, ,		Prosumer's low voltage installation re elements of a prosuming installation falling within the scope of Chapter 82 are cove.	(N/A) red by the
	Presence and condition of appropriate devices (537.3.1.1; 537.3.1.2)	()	9.1	Location(s) containing a bath or shower -				()
- 7.4	Clearly identified by position and / or durable marking (537.3.3.5; 537.3.3.6; 537.4.3; 537.4.4) Functional switching –	N/A ()	Whe	Special locations and installations re special installations or locations relating to a particular Section of Part 7, an additional edule(s) should be provided on separate pages.	al Inspection			() ()
	Readily accessible for operation where danger might occur (537.3.3.6) Correct operation verified (643.10)	(N/A () (N/A ()		No signs of overheating to surrounding building fabric (559.4.1) No signs of overheating to conductors / terminations (526.1)	()	9.2	Other special installations or locations – N/A	(N/A ()
7.3	Clearly identified by position and / or durable marking (537.3.2.4) Emergency switching off – Presence and condition of appropriate devices (465; 537.3.3; 537.4)	() (N/A		Installed to minimise build-up of heat by use of "fire rated" fittings, insulation displacement box or similar (421.1.2)	()	•	Suitability of current-using equipment for particular position within the location (701.55)	()
	continuous supervision (464.2) Correct operation verified (643.10)	(.)	8.7	inspected (separate page) (527.2) Recessed luminaires (downlighters) – Correct type of lamps fitted (559.3.1)	()		in terms of IP rating (701.512.2) Suitability of accessories and controlgear etc. for a particular zone (701.512.3)	()
	Switching off for mechanical maintenance – Presence and condition of appropriate devices (464.1; 537.3.2) Capable of being secured in the OFF position where not under	(•)	8.5 8.6	Security of fixing (134.1.1) Cable entry holes in ceiling above luminaires, sized or sealed so as to restrict the spread of fire: list number and location of luminaires	()		Low voltage (e.g. 230 volt) socket-outlets sited at least 2.5 m from zone 1 (701.512.3) Suitability of equipment for external influences for installed location	(N/A ()

(indicated in item 9.2 above)

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None

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Results for the installation

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None



PA	PART 11A: SCHEDULE OF CIRCUIT DETAILS (GO TO Part 11B 'Schedule of Test Results' to enter test results for the corresponding circuit listed in this part)															
Į.		1 T11B)	po	Circuit conductor (number & csa) (scounection conductor)	ection 671)		Overcurre	nt protective de	evice		RCD					
Circuit number	Circuit description	Type of wiring (see footer to PART 11B)	Reference Method (BS7671)	Number of points served	Live (mm²)	срс (mm²)	(BS 7671) Max. disconnection time (BS 7671)	BS (EN)	Туре	Rating (A)	Short- circuit capacity (kA)	Maximum permitted Zs*	BS (EN)	Туре	Rating (A)	Operating current, I _{An} (mA)
	RCD	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.4	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	61008	AC	63	30
	RCD	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.4	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	61008	AC	63	30
1	Cooker	А	С	2	6	2.5	0.4	60898	В	32	6	1.37	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
2	Sockets	А	С	12	2.5	1.5	0.4	60898	В	32	6	1.37	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
3	Lighting	Α	С	15	1	1	0.4	60898	В	6	6	7.28	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
4	Spare	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
5	Spare	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	RCD	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.4	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	61008	AC	63	30
	RCD	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.4	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	61008	AC	63	30
6	Sockets	Α	С	7	2.5	1.5	0.4	60898	В	32	6	1.37	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
7	Lighting	А	С	9	1	1	0.4	60898	В	6	6	7.28	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
8	Smoke alarms	А	С	2	1	1	0.4	60898	В	6	6	7.28	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
9	Spare	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
10	Spare	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
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DB	STRIBUTION BOARD (DB) DETAILS (complete in every c	device is i	mbined T1 -	+ T2 or T2 - dicate by tic		TO BE COMPLETED ONLY IF THE DB IS NOT CONNECTED DIRECTLY TO THE ORIGIN OF THE INSTALLATION Supply to DB is from: N/A								TION		
Loc	ation of DB: Kitchen		Type brac Where T3		e installed o	on a circuit	Overcurre	ent protective devic	e for the di	stribution c	ircuit					
0-	Z_{db} : 0.18(Ω) I_{pf} at DB+;1.25 firmation of supply polarity: () Phase sequence confirmed†:	(kA) ./N/A \	to protect	sensitive e	quipment, e	enter	BS (EN): (N/A) Type: ()	Nominal vo	tage: (N/A	.) V Rating: (N/A) A N	o. of phases:	(N/A)
					d' (PART 11B further deta			ed RCD (if any)							•	
	Details** Types: T1 ($\frac{N/A}{M}$) T2 ($\frac{N/A}{M}$) T3 ($\frac{N/A}{M}$) N/A us indicator checked (where functionality indicator is present):	(') N/A ()	Note that		s have visit	,) RCD Typo	e: (N/A)	<i>Ι_{Δη}</i> : (Ν/Α) mA N	No. of poles: (N/A) Opera	ting time: (N	/A) ms





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PA	PART 11B : SCHEDULE OF TEST RESULTS (MUST reflect circuits entered into 'Schedule of Circuit Details' in Part 11A)													
		Continuity (Ω)						ance		ured loop ,,Zs	RCD		AFDD**	
Circuit number		ng final circuits easured end to		(complete	ircuits at least one umn)	Live / Live	Live / Earth	Test voltage DC	Polarity	Max. measured earth fault loop impedance, Zs	Operating time*	Test button	AFDD test button	Comments and additional information, where required
	(Line) r ₁	(Neutral) r _n	(cpc) r ₂	(R ₁ + R ₂)	R ₂	(ΜΩ)	(MΩ)	(V)	(\sigma)	(Ω)	(ms)	(⁄)	(✓)	
	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	V	N/A	34	V	N/A	N/A
	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	1	N/A	34	/	N/A	N/A
1	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.06	N/A	LIM	100	500	1	0.24	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
2	0.42	0.42	0.60	0.29	N/A	LIM	100	500	V	0.46	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
3	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.97	N/A	LIM	100	500	1	1.15	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
1	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
5	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	V	N/A	34.6	/	N/A	N/A
		N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A			N/A	1		34.6	/	N/A	N/A
3	0.36	0.36	0.61	0.26	N/A	LIM	100	500	1	0.44	N/A	N/A		N/A
		N/A	N/A	1.03	N/A	LIM		500	1	1.21	1	N/A	N/A	N/A
		N/A	N/A	0.48	N/A	LIM		500	1	0.66		N/A	1	N/A
		N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A			N/A	N/A	N/A		N/A		N/A
		N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A			N/A		N/A		N/A		N/A
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Circ	uits/equipm	ent vulnerab	le to damag	e when testin	g (where ap	plicable): N/	Α							
TES	STED BY	Name (capitals): T	HOMAS E	URDETT				Positio	n: Electric	ian			Signature: Date: 09/08/2023
TES	ST INSTRI	UMENTS (ENTER SE	RIAL NUM	IBER AGAI	NST EACH	INSTRUM	MENT USE	D)					
Mul	ti-function:			Conti	nuity:			Insulation	on resist	ance:		Ear	th fault loo	pop impedance: Earth electrode resistance: RCD:
10	2092619			N/A				N/A				. <u>N</u> /.	Α	N/A N/A
RCD	effectiven	ess is verifi	ied using a	n alternating	g current te	st at rated r	esidual ope	erating curr	ent (I _{/\n})		** Where	installed	. Note, no	not all AFDDs have a test function. Where a circuit contains an AFDD this should be stated in the field for that

Thermoplastic insulated / sheathed cables Thermoplastic cables in metallic conduit Thermoplastic cables in non-metallic conduit Thermoplastic cables in metallic trunking Thermoplastic cables in non-metallic trunking Other (state):N/A (B) (D) (F) CODES for Type of wiring (C) Thermoplastic / SWA cables (G) Thermosetting / SWA cables (H) Mineral-insulated cables

circuit in the 'Comments and additional information, where required' column.





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GENERAL CONTINUATION SHEET

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NOTES

Agreed limitations

Accessories such as sockets and light switches not unscrewed where decor may be damaged.

Fixed equipment such as cookers, or other hard wired equipment tested at point of isolation.

Socket-outlets or connection points behind washing-machines, dishwashers, cooker-hoods etc not inspected or tested.

Only wiring that can be reasonably accessed has been visually inspected.

Circuits incorporating integrated appliances only tested at isolation spur unit and not at socket outlet behind appliance to prevent damage to goods and floor areas where moving would be required.

Central heating system including wiring to thermostats and control / wiring centres not inspected - tested to isolation point only.

Zs values may be calculated to prevent access to exposed live parts during testing

Unable to determine whether cables are routed in prescribed cable zones due to building fabric (plaster etc)

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NOTES FOR RECIPIENT

THIS CONDITION REPORT IS AN IMPORTANT AND VALUABLE DOCUMENT WHICH SHOULD BE RETAINED FOR FUTURE USE

The purpose of periodic inspection is to determine, so far as is reasonably practicable, whether an electrical installation is in a satisfactory condition for continued service. This report provides an assessment of the condition of the electrical installation identified overleaf at the time it was inspected and tested, taking into account the stated extent of the installation and the limitations of the inspection and testing.

This report has been issued in accordance with the national standard for the safety of electrical installations, BS 7671: 2018+A2:2022 – Requirements for Electrical Installations.

The report identifies any damage, deterioration, defects and/or conditions found by the inspector which may give rise to danger (see PART 5), together with any items for which improvement is recommended.

You should have received the report marked 'Original' and the contractor should retain a duplicate. If you were the person ordering this report, but not the owner or user of the installation, you should pass this report, or a full copy of it, including these notes, the schedules and additional pages (if any), immediately to the owner or user of the installation.

This report should be retained in a safe place and shown to any person inspecting or undertaking further work on the electrical installation in the future. If you later vacate the property, this report will provide the new user with an assessment of the condition of the electrical installation at the time the periodic inspection was carried out.

For safety reasons, the electrical installation should be re-inspected at appropriate intervals by a skilled person or persons, competent in such work. NICEIC* recommends that you engage the services of an NICEIC contractor for the inspection. Only an NICEIC contractor is authorised to issue this NICEIC Electrical Installation Condition Report, which has a unique serial number that is traceable to the contractor to which it was supplied by NICEIC.

The recommended date by which the next inspection should be carried out is stated in PART 4 of this report. With the exception of domestic (household) premises, there should also be a notice at or near the main switchboard or distribution board/consumer unit indicating when the next inspection of the installation is due.

This report is intended to be issued only for the purpose of reporting on the condition of an existing electrical installation and must not be issued to certify new electrical installation work including the replacement of a distribution board or consumer unit.

The report consists of at least eight numbered pages. The report is only valid if the Schedule of Items Inspected (PART 9) has been completed to confirm that all relevant inspections have been carried out and the Schedule of Circuit Details (PART 11A) and the Schedule of Test Results (PART 11B) are attached. For installations having more than one distribution board (or consumer unit) or more circuits than can be recorded in PARTS 11A & 11B, one or more additional Schedule of Circuit Details and Schedule of Test Results, should form part of the report. Additional numbered pages may have been provided to permit further relevant information relating to the installation to be recorded. The report is invalid if any of the additional pages, listed in PART 10 are missing.

Where the installation includes a residual current device (RCD) it should be tested every six months by pressing the button marked "T" or "Test". The device should switch off the supply and should then be switched on to restore the supply. If the device does not switch off the supply when the button is pressed, seek expert advice. For safety reasons it is important that this instruction is followed.

Where the installation includes an arc fault detection device (AFDD) having a manual test facility it should be tested six-monthly by pressing the test button. Where an AFDD has both a test button and automatic test function, manufacturer's instructions should be followed with respect to test button operation.

Where the installation includes a surge protection device (SPD) the status indicator should be checked to confirm it is in operational condition in accordance with manufacturer's information. If the indication shows that the device is not operational, seek expert advice.

Where the installation can be supplied by more than one source, such as the public supply and a standby generator or microgenerator, this should be identified in PART 7 Supply Characteristics and Earthing Arrangements, and the Schedules of Circuit Details and Test Results (PART 11A & 11B) compiled accordingly.

PART 6 (Details and limitations) should identify fully the extent of the installation covered by this report and any limitations on the inspection and testing. The inspector should have agreed these aspects with the person ordering the report and with other interested parties (licensing authority, insurance company, mortgage provider and the like) before the inspection was carried out.

Operational limitations may have been encountered during the inspection such as inability to gain access to parts of the installation or to an item of equipment. The inspector should have noted any such limitations in PART 6. It should be noted that the greater the limitations applying to a report, the less its value from the safety aspect.

A declaration should have been given by the inspector in PART 4 of the report. The declaration must reflect the statement given in PART 3, which summarises the observations and recommendations made in PART 5. Where one or more observations have been made in PART 5, the Classification code given to each by the inspector indicates the degree of urgency with which remedial action needs to be taken to restore the installation to a safe working condition.

Where the inspector has indicated an observation as code C1 (danger present) the safety of those using the installation is at risk. Wherever practicable, items classified as C1 should be made safe on discovery, and it is recommended that a skilled person(s) competent in electrical installation work undertakes the necessary remedial work immediately.

Where the inspector has indicated an observation as code C2 (potentially dangerous) the safety of those using the installation may be at risk, and it is recommended that a skilled person competent in electrical installation work undertakes the necessary remedial work as a matter of urgency.

Where the inspector has indicated that an item requires further investigation (FI), the investigation should be carried out without delay to determine whether danger or potential danger exists. For further guidance on the Classification codes, please see the reverse of page 2.

Where inadequacies in the intake equipment have been observed (Item 1 of PART 9), the person ordering the inspection should inform the distributor and/or supplier as appropriate.

Should the person ordering this report have reason to believe that it does not reasonably reflect the condition of the electrical installation reported on, that person should in the first instance raise the specific concerns in writing with the contractor. If the concerns remain unresolved, the person ordering this report may make a formal complaint to NICEIC, for which purpose a complaint form is available on request.

The complaints procedure offered by NICEIC is subject to certain terms and conditions, full details of which are available upon application. NICEIC does not investigate complaints relating to the operational performance of electrical installations (such as lighting levels), or to contractual or commercial issues (such as time or cost).

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GUIDANCE FOR RECIPIENTS ON THE CLASSIFICATION CODES ONLY ONE CLASSIFICATION CODE SHOULD BE GIVEN FOR EACH RECORDED OBSERVATION

Classification code C1 (Danger present)

Where an observation has been given a Classification code C1, the safety of those using the installation is at risk and immediate remedial action is required.

The person responsible for the maintenance of the installation is advised to take action without delay to remedy the observed deficiency in the installation, or to take other appropriate action (such as switching off and isolating the affected part(s) of the installation) to remove the danger. The NICEIC contractor issuing this report will be able to provide further advice.

NICEIC makes available 'Electrical Danger Notification' forms to enable inspectors to record, and then to communicate to the person ordering the report, any dangerous condition discovered.

Classification code C2 (Potentially dangerous)

Classification code C2 indicates that, whilst those using the installation may not be at immediate risk, urgent remedial action is required to remove potential danger. The NICEIC contractor issuing this report will be able to provide further advice.

It is important to note that the recommendation given for the next inspection date in PART 4 of this report is conditional upon all items which have been given a Classification code C1 and code C2 being remedied immediately and as a matter of urgency, respectively.

It would not be reasonable for the inspector to indicate that the installation is in a satisfactory condition if any observation in this report has been given a code C1 or code C2 classification.

Classification code C3 (Improvement recommended)

Where an observation has been given a Classification code C3, the inspection and/or testing has revealed a non-compliance with the current safety standard which, whilst not presenting immediate or potential danger, would result in a significant safety improvement if remedied. Careful consideration should be given to the safety benefits of improving these aspects of the installation. The NICEIC contractor issuing this report will be able to provide further advice.

Code FI (Further investigation required without delay)

It should usually be possible for the inspector to attribute a Classification code to each observation without indicating a need for further investigation.

However, where 'FI' has been entered against an observation the inspector considers that further investigation of that observation is likely to reveal danger or potential danger that, due to the agreed extent or limitations of the inspection and/or testing (entered in PART 6), could not be fully identified at the time.

It would not be appropriate for the inspector to indicate that the installation is in a satisfactory condition if there is reasonable doubt as to whether danger or potential danger exists. Consequently, where the inspector has indicated 'Further investigation required without delay' (FI) the overall assessment of the installation (PART 3) should be marked as 'Unsatisfactory'.

If the inspector has indicated that an observation requires further investigation without delay, the person ordering this report is advised to arrange for the NICEIC contractor issuing the report (or another skilled person or persons competent in such work) to undertake further examination of that aspect of the installation as a matter of urgency, to determine whether or not danger or potential danger exists.

Further information

Further information on the application of Classification codes, primarily aimed at inspectors but of possible interest to persons ordering condition reports, can be found in Electrical Safety First's Best Practice Guide No 4 *Electrical installation condition reporting: Classification Codes for domestic and similar electrical installations*. The guide can be viewed or downloaded free of charge from www.electricalsafetyfirst.org.uk

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