CHECKLIST FOR GEOTECHNICAL SITE INSPECTION



WORK INSTRUCTIONS FOR ENGINEERS



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| | CHECKLIST ITEMS | Checked By G&P Geotechnics | Remarks |
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| 1.0 | PRELIMINARIES | | |
| 1.1 | GEOTECHNICAL DESK STUDY – Review of available documents and data of the site and adjacent areas including SI reports, geological maps, topography plan and etc. | | |
| | General Layout / Floor Plan for buildings including slopes and retaining walls (if any). | | |
| | Typical Floor Plan(s) where the layout is different for various levels (esp. in high rise buildings). | | |
| | Elevation View(s) of the building, slopes and etc. | | |
| | • A copy of SI report or selected representative boreholes. | | |
| | Previous engineer's safety report, if available. | | |
| | Foundation drawings, if available. | | |
| 1.2 | Review on the Foundation System of the related structures. | | |
| 1.3 | Review the information of the site / building, including the history, activities and building usage(s). | | |
| 1.4 | Plan the inspection sequence and procedure. | | |
| 2.0 | ITEMS TO PREPARE FOR SITE INSPECTION | | |
| 2.1 | Site Plan and Location Plan Scale, ruler and pull tape. Compass & Slope Meter (if required) Photography Equipment (eg. Digital Camera, films, batteries) Writing Pad and Notes Pen, Markers & Spray Paint (if necessary) | | |
| 3.0 | INSPECTION PROCEDURES | | |
| 3.1 | Check/ consult the client (person in-charge) to understand the site boundary, scope and issues. Obtain a verbal briefing on the background of the site, noting down important events and dates. | | |
| 3.2 | Confirm the Reference Direction of site using <u>Compass</u> with the references on <u>Site Plan / Map</u> . | | |
| 3.3 | Take an overview photo of the site. | | |
| 3.4 | Confirm the inspection sequence and procedure. | | |
| 3.5 | Carry out the inspection and identify the critical area or location observed at site. | | |
| 3.6 | • Take photograph(s) (with a scale ruler/tape measure next to it) and note down its position and indicate on the drawing. For cracks which are not readily visible, use spray paint or a pen pointing to the cracks. | | |
| | Write down the exposure no. and the direction taken on the Site Plan / Map. | | |

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| 3.7 | For detecting hollow slabs or areas, use any probe available at site, metal rod is particularly effective. |
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| | Record the size and material of the probe. |
| | Take a photo of the probe with the operator. |
| 3.8 | Check the surroundings and adjacent structures. Record down any useful additional information or defect(s), if any. |
| 3.9 | Record down the activity adjacent to the site. |
| | Signature by Engineer |

