Form 15

Compliance certificate for building design or specification



This form is the approved form that must be used in accordance with section 10 of the *Building Act 1975* and sections 73 and 77 of the Building Regulation 2021 (Design-specification certificate) stating that an aspect of building work or specification will, if installed or carried out as stated in this form, comply with the building assessment provisions.

Additional explanatory information is included in the Appendix at the end of this form.

1. Property description	Street address 2 Victor Russell Dve	
This section need only be completed if details of street address and property description are applicable.	Samford Valley	
E.g. in the case of (standard/generic) pool design/shell manufacture and/ or patio and carport systems this section may not be applicable.	Lot and plan details (attach list if necessary):	
Where applicable, the description must identify all land the subject of the application.	Local government area the land is situated in MBRC	
The lot & plan details (e.g. SP/RP) are shown on title documents or rates notice.		
If the plan is not registered by title, provide previous lot and plan details.		
Oxworks Sales Order Number:	Q2SO0112171	
2. Description of aspect/s certified Clearly describe the extent of work covered by this certificate, e.g. all structural aspects of the steel roof beams.	GLASS POOL FENCING The glazing pool fencing on the above sales order are designed by Oxworks. The pool fence structures were analysed by a chartered engineer in accordance with Australian Standards. 1. Glass Panels: Width: 2000mm maximum. Height: 1200mm.	

2. Stainless steel spigot:

The glazing panel is supported by two stainless steel spigots that will be core drilled or fixed to concrete or timber structures with M10 anchors.

3. Aluminium Glazing Posts:

Glazing panel is supported by two Aluminium Glazing that will be core drilled or fixed to concrete or timber structures with M10 anchors. Glass is glazed using appropriate glazing rubbers.

 $The \ glazing \ pool \ fence \ systems \ are \ structurally \ satisfactory \ in \ accordance \ with \ Australian \ Standards$

Thickness: 12mm heat soaked and toughened glass.

ALUMINIUM POOL FENCING

The Aluminium pool fence on the above sales order are designed by Oxworks. The pool fence structures were analysed by a chartered engineer in accordance with Australian Standards:

- Aluminium posts of 50mmx1.9mm SHS posts with 38x25x1.6mm RHS top and bottom rail with 16x1.2mm CHS tubes at 87mm centre.
- When Aluminium posts are fixed to timber hardwood beams, M10 coach screws are recommended. For pine and laminated timber beams, the builder shall consult the design engineer to ensure 10mm coach screws can be fixed to the timber beams and to verify if additional beams shall be added.
- When posts are embedded into concrete structure, core drill hole of Min. 75mm x
 100mm deep shall be used with Minimum MP60 Non-Shrink Bostik Grout or better.
- Posts can be fixed to slab with M10 Dyna bolts to supplier's guidance.
- Recommended footings as shown in the plans are for natural stiff soil or medium dense sand or better materials only. The contractor shall contact the engineer for further advice, if loose and soft soils will be encountered.

 $The \ Aluminium \ pool \ fence \ systems \ are \ structurally \ satisfactory \ in \ accordance \ with \ Australian \ Standard$

3. Basis of certification **Current Australian Standards:** Detail the basis for giving the AS 1170.0 Structural design actions - General principles certificate and the extent to which AS 1170.1 Permanent, Imposed and Other Actions tests, specifications, rules, standards, AS 1170.2 Structural Design Actions - Wind Actions codes of practice and other publications were relied upon. AS 1170.4 Structural Design Actions - Earthquake AS 1664 Aluminium structures AS 1288 Glass in Buildings - Selection and Installation AS 1926.1 Swimming Pool Safety AS 3600 Concrete Structures AS 4100 Steel Structures & all relevant Australian Standards 4. Reference documentation #STS13-0138-01/04/05 Clearly identify any relevant TEST REPORT NO. 2011-128-S1 - STAINLESS STEEL SPIGOTS documentation, e.g. numbered TEST REPORT NO. AZT 0396.16; 28752 Rev A - STAINLESS STEEL INSULATED SPIGOTS structural engineering plans. TEST REPORT NO. STS17-0258-01- COMPOSITE SPIGOTS TEST REPORT NO. 2011-128-S2 - ALUMINIUM GLAZING POSTS TEST REPORT NO. 2011-128-S5 - PANEL FRAGMENTATION TEST 5mm - 12mm TOUGHENED SAFETY GLASS IAN BENNIE AND ASSOCIATES - NATA ACCREDITED LABORATORY NO.2371 5. Building certifier reference number Building certifier reference number: and building development application number Building development application number (if available): 6. Appointed competent person details Name (in full): Duong Nguyen Under Part 6 of the Building Regulation 2021 a person must be Company name (if applicable): GSD Engineers Pty Ltd assessed as a competent for the type of work (design-specification) by the Contact person: GSD Engineers Pty Ltd relevant building certifier. Business Phone number: 0497 839 711 Mobile number: 0497 839 711 Email Address: info@gsdengineers.com.au Postal Address: PO Box 205 Kingston QLD 4114 Licence class or registration type (if applicable): RPEQ Licence or registration number (if applicable): 14370 7. Signature of appointed competent Signature Date This certificate must be signed by the 25/03/2023 individual assessed and appointed by the building certifier as competent to give design-specification help.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT USE ONLY

Date received	Reference number/s	

Appendix - explanatory information

IMPORTANT NOTE: it is an offence for a competent person to give a building certifier a document, including this form, that the person knows or reasonably suspects, is false or misleading.

Who can complete this certificate?

(section 10 of the Building Act 1975 (Building Act) and sections 73 and 77 of Building Regulation 2021 (BR 2021))

A building certifier can accept from a competent person (design-specification) a certificate stating that the competent person has assessed the building design or specification for the aspect of building work, and it will, if installed or carried out under the certificate, comply with the building assessment provisions, including any relevant standards and codes.

Schedule 10 of the BR 2021 defines building design or specification as any material, system, method of building or other thing related to the design of or specifications for building work.

When completing the certificate, a competent person is required under section 77 of the BR 2021 to include the basis for giving the certificate and state the extent to which the competent person has relied on tests, specifications, rules, standards, codes of practice or other publications.

What is the purpose of this form?

(section 10 of the Building Act and sections 73 and 77 of the BR 2021)

The information in this form informs the building certifier's decision making when they are assessing a building development application, issuing the building development approval for the building work the subject of the certificate (form) and when amending the building development approval due to the receipt of updated aspect information such as glazing or truss specifications or revised excavation drawings.

Can a manufacturer or supplier give this Form 15?

A building certifier can accept this form from a manufacturer or supplier who the certifier has decided is a competent person (design-specification).

A manufacturer or supplier of building materials can give this form if they have undertaken the design component for the product. For example a window manufacturer who designs, constructs and supplies the windows to industry could give this form.

Competent person (section 10 of the Building Act 1975 and Part 6 of the BR 2021)

A building certifier must assess and decide to appoint an individual as a competent person before they can accept design-specification help.

When deciding whether a person can be a competent person, the building certifier must assess the person having regard to their experience, qualifications and skills and ensure the person holds a licence or registration if required.

The building certifier is required to keep detailed records about what was considered when appointing a competent person.

For further information about assessment of someone as a competent person refer to the Guideline for the assessment of competent persons.

What is required if a manufacturer or supplier did not do the design work for the product?

A manufacturer or supplier who is not part of the design process <u>may give</u> the construction contractor, builder, competent person or the building certifier evidence of suitability such as a product technical statement under Part A5 of the Building Code of Australia (BCA), for an aspect or material stating that it is compliant with the relevant reference documents in the BCA i.e. the applicable Australian Standard/s.

What if there is not enough space for all the supporting material/documents?

Items 2, 3 and 4 requires the competent person to clearly identify the extent of the assessment that was undertaken for aspect/s of work identified in this form.

For instance, there is provision for material such as specifications, standards, codes or other relevant publications to be referenced in the form. However, if the space in the form is not sufficient to accommodate all of this material, you can create and refer to additional material in an addendum or attachment to the form.

The form is also available in a Microsoft Word version, that you can download and edit to include additional material in the relevant parts of the form. Note that editing the form in the Microsoft Word version may cause the relevant boxes to expand and increase the length of the document. This is acceptable and does not change the approved form, provided the section text (description on the left- hand side of the page) is not altered.

Appointed competent person (design or specification) – (sections 34 and 36 of the BR 2021)

A building certifier must assess and decide to appoint an individual as a competent person before they can, as a competent person, give design-specification help. The building certifier is required to keep detailed records about what was considered when appointing a competent person.

A building certifier must be satisfied that an individual is competent to give the type of help having regard to the individual's experience, qualifications and skills and if required by law to hold a licence or registration, that the individual is appropriately registered or licensed.

An individual is appointed as competent to give design-specification help on or from a particular day.

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