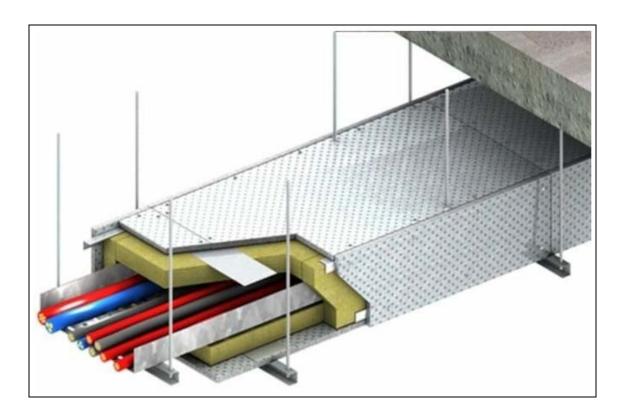
METHOD STATEMENT



TWO OR FOUR HOUR FIRE RATED DURASTEEL® ENCLOSURE TO E&M SERVICES SYSTEM



1.0 Preliminaries

- 1.1 Shop drawings submission and approval.
- 1.2 Determine the location and dimension of the services to be enclosed.
- 1.3 Take measurement of the intended enclosure.
- 1.4 Ensure the steel hanger rod and the steel support bracket of the enclosure are within the permissible tensile stress at space at appropriate intervals.

2.0 Installation of steel channel collars

- 2.1 Select suitable size of steel channel collar and steel support bracket
- 2.2 Determine the interval between steel channel collars framing transversely and longitudinally is within 1.5sqm of unsupported boards area
- 2.3 Cut the steel channel framing to desire length to fit the enclosure.
- 2.4 For 4-sided enclosure
 - 2.4.1 Place the steel channel into position, fold it all round the services to form a complete loop.
 - 2.4.2 The spacing between steel channel collar is either 610mm or 1220mm apart.
- 2.5 For 3-sided enclosure

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- 2.5.1 Prefabricate a suitable steel channel framework and form into a U-shaped steel collar around the enclosure. Both ends of the U-shaped steel collar profile are welded with endplate
- 2.5.2 Place the U-shaped steel collar into position and secured it to the concrete soffit with suitable all steel anchor bolts though the endplate.
- 2.5.3 The spacing between steel channel collar is either 610mm or 1220mm apart.
- 2.5.4 Repeat similarly for subsequent collars along the length.
- 2.5.5 Place the suitable perimeter steel angle between the steel channel collars, secure it to the concrete soffit with suitable all steel anchor bolts at 500mm intervals.

3.0 Installation of steel corner angles

- 3.1 From one end/corner, place the suitable steel corner angles perpendicular to the channel collars
- 3.2 Adjust and connect the steel corner angles with the steel channel collars.
- 3.3 Repeat similarly for other corners of the steel channel collars.

4.0 Install mineral rockwool infill within enclosure

- 4.1 Place the mineral rock wool slab of appropriate thickness and density correspond to the fire rating along the body of the services.
- 4.2 Trim away any excess rock wool insulation
- 4.3 When more than one layer of rock wool slabs, ensure the insulation slabs are placed in stagger manner such that their joints never coincide
- 4.4 Ensure the cavity within the steel channel collar is filled with rock wool

5.0 Install Hanger Rod and Steel Bracket Support (applicable for 4-sided enclosure)

- 5.1 Measure and determine the position of the suitable steel hanger rod, drill hole in the soffit and fix the hanger in place.
- 5.2 Slot the predetermine steel bracket through the hanger rods and underneath the enclosure and secured it in position by tightening the nut and washer
- 5.3 Repeat for subsequent hanger rods and bracket until completion.
- 5.4 The rod hanger interval shall be either 600mm or 1200 apart.
- 5.5 Ensure both the rod hanger and steel bracket support is within the permissible tensile stress.

6.0 Install DURASTEEL® facing boards

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- 6.1 Cut the boards to the required measurements and place boards over the steel framing and rock wool insulation
- 6.2 Start by installing the bottom layer boards, adjust until satisfactory.
- 6.3 Fix the board to the steel framing with M5.5 self-drilling teks screw at 200mm centres.
- 6.4 Repeat similarly for subsequent boards until completion.
- 6.5 Ensure a clean and close boards' butt-joints. Any large shall be sealed with PROMASEAL® A sealant or coupled with DURASTEEL® cover strip 100mm wide by 9.5mm thick.
- 7.0 Install DURASTEEL® 100mm wide by 9.5mm thick cover strips at wall penetration
 - 7.1 Measure, trim and place the cover strips around the enclosure at the junction of penetration.
 - 7.2 Fix and secure the cover strip to the wall with all steel anchor bolts
 - 7.3 Repeat steps for the other side penetration for wall.
- 8.0 Penetration Through the Fire Rated Enclosure
 - 8.1 When unavoidable, building services penetrating through the fire rated enclosure shall be duly sealed with appropriate PROMASEAL®/PROMASTOP® fire seal system to ensure the fire integrity of the enclosure is not compromise
 - 8.2 Penetration by non-combustible services with gap not more than 10mm gaps shall be sealed with PROMASEAL®A fire rated sealant or other suitable PROMASEAL®/PROMASTOP® fire seal systems
 - 8.3 Penetration by combustible plastic pipe shall be duly coupled with PROMASTOP® Unicollars.
- 9.0 Application of architectural finishes
 - 9.1 Apply necessary finishes over the joints accordingly