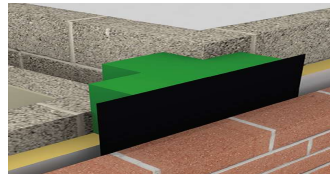


**QUALITY ALERT**

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| Business:                 | MIDA Civil Engineering Ltd                                                                                                                                                                                                         |                                                                                     | ALERT    |
| Title:                    | Firesock Installation below DPC on Party Walls                                                                                                                                                                                     | Reference No:                                                                       | QA17     |
| Issued By:                | Sam James                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | Issue Date:                                                                         | 21/09/23 |
| Type of Alert:            | Quality & Compliance                                                                                                                                                                                                               |                                                                                     |          |
| Subject:                  | Ensuring Firesocks are installed below DPC                                                                                                                                                                                         |                                                                                     |          |
| Operatives Affected:      | Groundworkers                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                                                                                     |          |
| Details:                  | On all Party Wall junctions can we ensure cavity wall fire socks, supplied by the client are installed pushed in tight to the base of the cavity to DPC level, it should go a minimum of 50mm overlap of the wall cavity each side |  |          |
| Action Required:          | Obtain fire socks from client, check site specific detail and install fully into cavity to the base and up to DPC cutting as required on all party wall junctions                                                                  |                                                                                     |          |
| Further Information:      | NHBC 7.2.16 Firestopping and cavity barriers                                                                                                                                                                                       |                                                                                     |          |
| Method for Communication: | Briefing by Site Manager to bricklayers via TBT<br>Alert to be put up in site office and canteen                                                                                                                                   |                                                                                     |          |