Building Consent Application Guidance Document



All documents to be combined into one of the following

- Architectural Plans
- Architectural Specifications
- Structural Plans
- Structural Specifications
- Supporting Documentation Specified System Templates and Compliance Schedule (one merged file)
- Supporting Documentation (one merged file)

Documentation must be submitted as a PDF file type

Must be legible and show reference to the proposed address/owners

Documentation that has previous/historic consent information visible will not be accepted

Proof of Ownership must be issued within the previous three months and can be one of the following

Record of Title

- Title must include second page showing diagram
- Consent Notices and Easement Information must be supplied
- If under a Sales & Purchase Agreement a full copy of the Agreement signed, dated and showing any conditions of settlement must also be supplied

Rates Notices – Solid Fuel Burner applications only

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		New Dwelling	New Commercial	Alteration	Accessory (garage/shed)
Site / Location Plan					
□ Lot & DP number □ All car parking spaces on site □ North point □ Dimensions on all boundaries □ Street name & number □ Site Area and Coverage □ Gross Plan Area □ Permeable Area	□ Ground contours and levels □ Outline and areas of all existing □ Drainage layout □ Rapid number and proposed buildings □ Distances to boundaries □ Reference point for FFL to be measured against (fixed Datum point) □ Maximum Building Height □ Planning zone and TA	√	√	√	*
Drainage Plan (Sewer and Stormwater)	Training zone and TA				
☐ Foul and Storm Water layout ☐ Location of Council foul sewer with inspection bends, main sewers & drains to junctions indicated to serve the site	 □ Kerb and channel □ Stormwater sewer □ Outline of building with location of all fixtures and fittings □ Septic tank and effluent details 	√	√		√
Plumbing Plan			,		
Details of the proposed waste disposal system installation. The type of water heating system Foundation Plan		✓	✓	✓	
☐ Dimensions of all new foundations☐ Details of slab and footing steel☐	□ Bracing for timber sub floor□ Position of all structural components□ Piles and footing details	✓	√	✓	✓
Floor Plans					
□ Floor areas for all floors □ All framing dimensions and room sizes □ All spaces designated □ Sanitary fixtures and fittings □ Door and window dimensions □ Food storage areas	 ☐ Kitchen stove ☐ Barriers, handrails and stair details ☐ Entry details ☐ Solid and waste system ☐ Floor joist layout ☐ Support beams and trimmer joists 	✓	✓	✓	√
Elevations					
 □ Accurate ground lines from boundary to boundary □ Relevant district plan height control planes □ The maximum height on each elevation □ Location of door and window openings 	 □ Safety glazing □ Exterior claddings □ Floor levels in relation to ground levels all elevations □ Ventilators to sub floor areas □ Soil and waste system □ Fixed and opening sashes 	✓	✓	✓	✓
□ Foundation details (reinforcing steel locations and sizes □ Flashings to all openings □ Details of all framing and structural members □ Stud height from lowest ground floor level to top of ridge (along and across) and details of all major connections	 □ Details of fire rated systems □ Exterior claddings including veneers, fascia's and gutters □ Details of sound rated partitions □ Include risk matrix as per E2 NZBC requirements □ Safety glazing impact requirements □ Insulation systems (to floors, walls and roofs) 	√	✓	✓	✓

Bracing Schedule and Plan					
☐ Location, type and number of bracing	☐ Bracing schedule and calculation sheet.				
elements to indicate compliance with NZS	☐ If the bracing was specifically designed	1	1	1	1
3604	then attach copies of calculations and	•	•		•
	producer statements				
Roof Plan					
□ Ridge	☐ Spouting				
□ Valley	☐ Downpipes	✓	✓	✓	✓
	☐ Gutter lines				
Cladding/Weather Tightness					
☐ Full details of exterior wall claddings	☐ Paint finishes				
☐ Flashings	☐ Cavity and joinery used	✓	✓	✓	✓
Specifications	, , ,			I	
Covering all trades and materials relevant	☐ Determination of the buildings including				
to this specific project will be required and	their maintenance wind zone and snow				
should include both and NOTE – generic	load and warranties				
specifications will not be accepted	☐ A timber treatment schedule	✓	✓	✓	✓
☐ Details of products and of the building	☐ A wind zone specific fixing listing the type				
manufactures requirements	of treatment schedule for all connections				
	required for timber in all parts				
Liquefaction Vulnerability Assessment Report					
	the following in relation to the property and				
proposed building work	the following in relation to the property and				
- Soil Types – loose non-plastic soils typically	sands, silts or gravel	✓	✓		
- Saturated soil – below the groundwater tak	The state of the s				
- Sufficient ground shaking – combination of					
Ground Bearing				I	
Statement confirming the site has been inves	stigated and good ground found – as per NZS				
3604 3.1.3	respected and good ground round as per MES	✓	✓	✓	✓
Engineers Ground Bearing Report				I	
If property is located in an area with soft grou	und (outside scope of NZS 3604:2011)				
penetrometer tests and investigation report	•				
		✓	✓	✓	✓
RBW – Restricted Building Work					
(work that affects the structure and/or the e	external cladding systems of the building)				
If the work you want to carry out is RBW you	<u> </u>				
number to draw or supervise the drawing of	•				
with an LBP number to carry out or supervise					
Designer/Architect: Memorandum (CODW) p		✓	✓	✓	√
Engineer(s): Memorandum (CODW) provided with CPEng number		✓	✓	✓	✓
Owner exemption: Statutory declaration For	m 2B provided (for design and/or build)	✓	✓	✓	\checkmark
Fire Report					
Detailed Fire Report and supporting plans sho	owing compliance with the NZBC C				
Documents. Clearly identify whether the desi			✓		
method or an Alternative Solutions	·				
Accessible Facilities					
Detail all accessible facilities to be installed –	counters, bathroom facilities & accessible car		./		
parks & routes, etc			✓		
112 REPORT (Alteration to an Existing Buildin	ng)				
Provide a gap analysis covering the means of	escape & accessible facilities in the building.			,	
Refer to http://www.dbh.govt.nz/guidance-ir	•			✓	
115 Report (change of use)					

Provide a gap analysis covering means of escape from fire, protection of other property, sanitary facilities, structural performance, fire rating performance & accessible facilities		✓	✓	
Compliance Schedule Information				
Provide Compliance Schedule information including identifying all the inspection,				
maintenance, performance standards, reporting type & make of each specified system.		✓	✓	
Refer to the specified system templates on the ICC website for guidance.				
Specified Systems				
For any altered/added systems a Specified System Template form must be provided		✓	✓	
Specified Systems Plan				
Provide a floorplan showing the locations of all specified systems in the building		✓	✓	
Fire Ratings	.			
If relevant provide details for fire walls including ratings, manufacturers installation		./	1	
information and construction details	•	•	•	
Hazardous Substances				
Provide details of prosed storage of hazardous substances or processes		✓	✓	
PS2 For work value over \$1 million	.			
Contact ICC Building Team to arrange a pre-application meeting to discuss	✓	✓		
AF3P	•	•	•	
Required for 3 rd Party Certification/Evidence in Place of On-site Inspections	✓	✓	✓	✓