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Subject: BRE 365 infiltration testing sequence

Good afternoon,

Apologies for contacting you directly, but I would be grateful if you could clarify a point concerning BRE 365 infiltration testing.

My understanding is that, where testing is undertaken to establish an infiltration rate for the design of a soakaway, the test pit should ordinarily be subjected to three successive fillings, with the result from the final filling used for design purposes.

Would two fillings undertaken on 10 April 2025, followed by a third filling undertaken twelve days later, on 22 April 2025, properly constitute three successive fillings for the purposes of BRE 365?

More specifically, would an infiltration rate derived from that sequence of testing be regarded as BRE 365-compliant and suitable for use as a design parameter?

Kind regards,

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