### Q25 SLAB/BRICK/SETT/COBBLE PAVINGS

To be read with Preliminaries General Conditions, sections AA31 and AA90 and Landscape Consultant's and Drainage Engineer's drawings and specifications.

### **GENERAL**

## 105 MATERIAL SAMPLES

 Samples representative of colour and appearance of designated materials: Submit before placing orders.

- Designated materials: Reclaimed Yorkstone: Q25/305

Reclaimed granite: Q25/309
New Yorkstone: Q25/310A
Q25/310B

Q25/310D

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Reused Yorkstone (sawn):
Reused Yorkstone (riven):
Reused granite:
Q25/310E
Reused granite:
Q25/311A
New granite:
Q25/312
Granite setts:
Q25/330

Q25/335 Q25/376 Q25/390

# 111 NATURAL STONE SLAB PAVING SYSTEM (GRANULAR SUB-BASE OVER NEW EXCAVATED SUBGRADE):

- Subgrade improvement layer: May be required in certain areas; contractor to submit any improvement proposals to Structural Engineer prior to commencing work.

Concrete setts:

Sand:

- Compacted thickness: Submit proposals.
- Granular sub-base: Highways Agency Type 1 unbound mixture, as section Q20.
  - Compacted thickness: Dependent upon specific areas. Submit proposals.
- Base: Concrete as section Q21.
  - Thickness: 100 mm.
- Laying course: Site mixed mortar.
  - Accessories: None.
- Paving units (Yorkstone):
  - Re-used existing as C25/292, C25/317 and Q25/310C.
  - Reclaimed as Q25/308.
  - New stone as Q25/310B.
- Jointing: Site mixed mortar.
  - Bond: To match existing refer to provision by contractor to control sample for inspection see below.
- Accessories: n/a.
- Other requirements:
  - Edgings: As section Q10.

## 113 MANHOLE AND SERVICES/INSPECTION CHAMBERS & OPENINGS

- All manholes covers and service covers are to be recessed and infilled with paving materials to match surrounding paving.
- All raised manhole and service covers as above.

# 116 NATURAL YORK STONE SLAB PAVING OVERLAY SYSTEM (CONCRETE SLAB WITH WATERPROOFING, INSULATION AND DRAINAGE LAYER):

Note: Refer to architects drawings for details of slab build up. Refer to Landscape Consultant's drawings for typical details.

- Laying course: Sand bedding (TBC).
- Paving units (Yorkstone):

- Re-used existing as C25/292, C25/317 and Q25/310C.
- Reclaimed as Q25/308.
- New stone as Q25/310A.
- Paving units (Granite):
  - Re-used existing as C25/292, C25/317 and Q25/311A.
  - Reclaimed as Q25/309.
  - New stone as Q25/312.
- Step units (granite):
  - Relaid existing as Q25/311B.
- Jointing: Mortar.
  - Bond: Bond pattern with granite banding as Q25/622.
- Accessories:
  - Linear slot drainage system as Q10/175 with drain connections as Drainage Engineer's drawings and specification.
- Other requirements:
  - Existing granite steps reinstated as Q25/313.

## 140 NATURAL STONE SETT PAVING SYSTEM (CHANNEL):

To form open drainage dish channel in adjacent to grass terraces.

- Subgrade improvement layer: Highways Agency Type 1 unbound mixture, as section Q20.
  - Compacted thickness: Not applicable.
- Granular sub-base: Highways Agency Type 1 unbound mixture, as section Q20.
  - Compacted thickness: 150 mm.
- Base: Concrete as section Q21.
  - Thickness: 150 mm.
- Laying course: Site mixed fine concrete.
  - Accessories: None.
- Paving units: Natural stone setts (TBC).
- Jointing: Site mixed fine concrete.
  - Bond: 3 courses in stretcher bond.
- Accessories: None.

## 150 CONCRETE SETT PAVING SYSTEM in New Square

- Subgrade improvement layer: Not required.
  - Compacted thickness: Not applicable.
- Granular sub-base: Highways Agency Type 1 unbound mixture, as section Q20 or existing. Refer to engineer's Highway requirements.
  - Compacted thickness: see above.
- Base: see above.
  - Thickness: see above.
- Laying course: Site mixed mortar.
  - Accessories: None.
- Paving units: Concrete setts to match existing. Contractor to provide sameple.
- Jointing: to match existing .
  - Bond: to match existing.
- Accessories: none.

### **PRODUCTS**

# 212 RE-USED EXISTING RIGID CONCRETE/ BRICK SETT PAVING TO WESTERN SERVICE YARD:

- Drawing reference: 597-15000, 41003
- Substrate: As existing
- Bedding: As existing, Mortar Bedded as Q25/300 or Sand as Q25/301 (TBC).
  - Nominal thickness of bed: 25mm. (TBC)
- Concrete/ Brick Setts: Existing as C25/292 and C25/317A.
  - Finish: As existing
  - Size: As existing
  - Re-dressed thickness: As existing.

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Joints: to match existing as Q25/300 or as Q25/301.

Bond: As existing

Grouting Material: as existing

- Surface treatment: Surface impregnator to protect against moss and algae; must not form

a film or alter the natural colour of the stone (TBC).

- Submit proposals.
- Other requirements:
  - Drainage channel Q10/175 as shown on drawings.

## 300 LAYING CONCRETE SETT PAVING

- Laying: Spread and level a bed of mortar. Individually lay and hammer down the setts so that tops are level, leaving joints open.
- Laying course: as Q25/695.
  - Nominal thickness after compaction: as manufacturer's recommendation.
- Jointing: as Q25/695. Fill joints and finish neatly. Clean mortar from face of setts before it sets.
- Join width (nominal): 5mm to match existing
  - Recess mortar joints below sett surface by: 2-3mm

## 301 LAYING CONCRETE SETT PAVING - FINE AGGREGATE BEDDING AND JOINTING

- Laying: to match existing
- Jointing: 10mm to match existing

### 305 GRANULAR MATERIAL FOR LAYER OVER EXISTING BASES

Material: Highways Agency Type 1 unbound mixture, as section Q20

### 308 RECLAIMED YORKSTONE:

- Samples: Submit.
- Material: Millstone Grit (Namurian series sandstone of the Carboniferous age).
  - Colour: Traditional Yorkstone of uniform light-buff colour with no grey or brown graining.
  - Finish: Smooth (equivalent to diamond sawn).
  - Edges: Square and unchipped.
- Sizes: Of a range to match existing re-used paving; allow for 750 mm width by random length.
  - Thickness: 50 mm (nominal).
- Other requirements: As Q25/310A.

### 309 RECLAIMED GRANITE:

- Samples: Submit.
- Material: Granite to match existing to East Terrace.
  - Colour: To match existing.
  - Finish: As existing or similar to honed with slip resistance.
  - Edges: Square and unchipped.
- Sizes: As required for geometric paving pattern, as Q25/622.
  - Thickness: 50 mm (nominal).
- Other requirements: As Q25/311A.

# 310A NEW YORKSTONE SLAB PAVING TO EAST TERRACE AND SOUTH TERRACE:

## Rev C1

- Drawing reference: 597-17011, 17012 & 17060.
- Substrate: Insulation board and dimpled cavity drain membrane over waterproofing on concrete slab.
- Bedding: Sand as Q25/710 (TBC) Mortar as Q25/715 or as recommended by stone supplier.
  - Nominal thickness of bed: 25mm.
- Stone:
  - Standard: To BS EN 1341.
  - Name (traditional): Yorkstone.
  - Petrological family: Namurian (Millstone Grit) series sandstone of the Carboniferous age.
  - Colour: Light buff; to be uniform with no excessive grey or brown graining.
  - Origin: Wellfield Quarries, Crosland Hill, Huddersfield, West Yorkshire.
- **Rev C2** Finish: *Diamond Sawn* or to match existing (TBC).

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Supplier: Johnson's Wellfield Quarries Ltd (01484 652311)

http://www.myersgroup.co.uk/jwqc www.johnsons-wellfield.co.uk

**Rev C2** Product reference: Cro

roduct reference: Crosland Hill Hard Yorkstone (TBC)

Size: 1200 x 750 mm (nominal) as shown on drawings to pattern / layout as Q25/622.

- Thickness: 50 mm.
- Plan dimension deviation class: P2.
- Diagonal deviation class: D2.
- Thickness deviation class: T2.
- Arrises: Square.
- Breaking strength: Class 2.
- Slip resistance: PTV to BS 7976-2 of 45.
- Joints: 5 mm as Q25/715.

Bond: Staggered or lined through as drawings in geometric pattern with granite.

Grouting Material: Cement/sand mortar.

- Surface treatment: Surface impregnator to protect against moss and algae; must not

form a film or alter the natural colour of the stone (TBC).

Submit proposals.

- Other requirements:
  - Drainage channel Q10/175 as shown on drawings.
  - Coordinate with installation of parasol bases Q50/450 to South Terrace as necessary.

### 310B NEW YORKSTONE SLAB PAVING ON GRANULAR SUB-BASE-LIBRARY EXTENSION:

### Rev C1

- Drawing reference: 597-17013 & 17014
- Granular sub-base: As Q20/210.
  - Compacted thickness: Dependent upon specific areas. Submit proposals.
- Base: Concrete as section Q21.
  - Thickness: 100 mm.
- Laying course: Mortar as Q25/715.
  - Nominal thickness of bed: 25mm.
- Stone: Yorkstone as Q25/310A.

Size:1200 x 750 mm (nominal) as shown on drawings.

- Thickness: 50 mm.
- Joints: 5 mm as Q25/715.
  - Bond: Staggered as drawings.
- Edgings Q10/110 as drawings.

Grouting Material: Cement/sand mortar.

- Surface treatment: Surface impregnator to protect against moss and algae; must not

form a film or alter the natural colour of the stone.

Submit proposals.

- Other requirements:
  - Drainage channels Q10/175 as shown on drawings.

### 310C RE-USED EXISTING YORKSTONE SLAB PAVING (SAWN):

## Rev C1

- Drawing reference: 597-17010, 17011, 17012, 17015 & 17060.
- Substrate: As Q25/310A and Q25/310B.
- Bedding: Sand as Q25/710 (East Terrace) and Mortar as Q25/715 (Library Extension)
  - Nominal thickness of bed: 25mm.
- Stone: Existing Yorkstone slabs as C25/292 and C25/317, re-dressed as necessary to suit required size and thickness..

## Rev C1

Finish: As existing - smooth (similar to diamond sawn).

Size: As shown on drawings to pattern / layout as Q25/622.

- Re-dressed thickness: 50 mm.
- Joints: 5 mm as Q25/715.

### Rev C1

Bond: As drawings. including geometric pattern with Yorkstone.

Grouting Material: Cement/sand mortar.

- Surface treatment: Surface impregnator to protect against moss and algae; must not

form a film or alter the natural colour of the stone (TBC).

Submit proposals.

Other requirements:

### Rev C1

- Drainage channels Q10/175 as shown on drawings.
- Coordinate with installation of parasol bases Q50/450 to South Terrace as necessary.

### Rev C2 310D NATURAL STONE SLABS FOR PEDESTRIAN AREAS - NEW SQUARE:

- Drawing reference: 597-17010.
- Substrate: As Q25/310A and Q25/310B.
- Bedding: Mortar as Q25/715.
  - Nominal thickness of bed: 25mm.
- Stone: Existing Yorkstone slabs taken from the South end of the East Terrace as C25/292 and C25/317, re-dressed as necessary to suit required size and thickness.
  - Finish: As existing smooth (similar to diamond sawn). Size: As shown on drawings to pattern / layout as Q25/622.
  - Re-dressed thickness: 50 mm.
- Joints: 5 mm as Q25/715.
- Bond: As drawings.
- Grouting Material: Cement/sand mortar.
- Surface treatment: Surface impregnator to protect against moss and algae;

must not form a film or alter the natural colour of the stone

(TBC).

Submit proposals.

- Other requirements:
  - If sufficient quantity stone cannot be recovered from the South end of the East Terrace, please revert to clause Q25/308 for stone reclaimed off-site.
- Standard: To BS EN 1341.
  Supplier: Contractor's choice.
  - Product reference: Submit proposals Yorkstone paving, new or reclaimed.
  - Quarry: Submit proposals.
- ----Petrographical description/ stone type: York Stone.
- Finish: to match existing.
  - Sizes: For paving within the area of New Square, units are to be of uniform sizes to match
- existing.
  - Plan dimension deviation class: P2.
  - Diagonal deviation class: D2.
    - Thickness deviation class: T2.
- —- Arrises: Square.
- Breaking strength: Class 2.
- Slip resistance: PTV to BS 7976-2 of 45.
- -- Skid resistance: No requirement.

### Rev C2 310E RE-LAID USED EXISTING YORKSTONE SLAB PAVING (RIVEN):

## Rev C1

- Drawing reference: 597-17011 & 17012.
- Substrate: As Q25/310A and Q25/310B.
- Bedding: Mortar as Q25/715.
  - Nominal thickness of bed: 25mm.
- Stone: Existing Yorkstone slabs as C25/292 and C25/317, re-dressed as necessary to suit required size and thickness..
  - Finish: As existing Riven.

Size: As shown on drawings to pattern / layout as Q25/622.

- Re-dressed thickness: 50 mm.
- Joints: 5 mm as Q25/715.

Bond: As drawings.

Grouting Material: Cement/sand mortar.

Surface treatment: Surface impregnator to protect against moss and algae;

must not form a film or alter the natural colour of the stone

(TBC).

Submit proposals.

- Other requirements:
  - Drainage channels as shown on drawings.

### 311A RE-USED EXISTING GRANITE SLABS PAVING TO EAST TERRACE AND SOUTH TERRACE:

Rev C1

- Drawing reference: 597-17011, 17012 & 17060.
- Substrate: Insulation board and dimpled cavity drain membrane over waterproofing on concrete

Rev C1

- Bedding: Mortar as Q25/715. Sand as Q25/710 (TBC).
  - Nominal thickness of bed: 25mm.

Rev C1

Stone: Existing thick granite slabs as C25/292 and C25/317, sliced horizontally to suit available terrace deck build-up and re-dressed. For required thickness, see below.

Rev C1

Finish: Honed – as existing.

Size: As shown on drawings to pattern / layout as Q25/622.

Rev C1

Rev C1

Re-dressed thickness: <del>50 mm</del> Varies, as Architect's details.

Joints: 5 mm as Q25/715.

Bond: As drawings. including geometric pattern with Yorkstone.

Grouting Material: Cement/sand mortar.

- Surface treatment: Surface impregnator to protect against moss and algae; must not form a film or alter the natural colour of the stone (TBC).

Submit proposals.

Other requirements:

Rev C1-

Balustrade as L30/521C.

- Drainage channel Q10/175 as shown on drawings.
- Coordinate with installation of parasol bases Q50/450 to South Terrace as necessary.

## 311B RELAID EXISTING GRANITE STEPS TO EAST TERRACE:

Rev C1

- Drawing reference: 597-17011, 17012.
- Substrate: Insulation board and dimpled cavity drain membrane over waterproofing on new in-situ concrete stair.

Rev C1

- Bedding: Mortar as Q25/715 (TBC).
- Nominal thickness of bed: 25mm.
- Stone: Existing thick granite step units as C25/292 and C25/317.
  - Finish: Existing.

Size: As shown on drawings to pattern / layout as Q25/622.

- Thickness: 50 mm.
- Joints: 5 mm as Q25/715.

Bond: As drawings.

Grouting Material: Cement/sand mortar.

Surface treatment: Surface impregnator to protect against moss and algae; must not

form a film or alter the natural colour of the stone (TBC).

Submit proposals.

- Other requirements:

Rev C1

- Balustrade as L30/521C.
- Existing brass eyes for carpet stair rod to be restored / reinstated.

## Rev C1 311C RE-USED EXISTING GRANITE SLABS - CUT DOWN TO EAST TERRACE:

- Drawing reference: 597-17012.
- Substrate: Insulation board and dimpled cavity drain membrane over waterproofing on concrete slab
- Bedding: Mortar as Q25/715 (TBC).
  - Nominal thickness of bed: 25mm.
- Stone: Existing thick granite slabs as C25/292 and C25/317, sliced horizontally to suit available terrace deck build-up (for required thickness, see below), sliced vertically to suit new plan arrangement (as 597-17012) and re-dressed.

-Finish: Honed – as existing.

Size: As 597-17012, to pattern / layout as Q25/622.

- Thickness: As Architect's details.
- Joints: 5 mm as Q25/715.

**Bond: As drawings.** 

Grouting Material: Cement/sand mortar.

- Surface treatment: Surface impregnator to protect against moss and algae;

must not form a film or alter the natural colour of the stone

(TBC).

Submit proposals.

Other requirements: N/A

### 312 NEW GRANITE SLAB PAVING TO EAST TERRACE AND SOUTH TERRACE:

### Rev C1

- Drawing reference: 597-17011, 17012 & 17060.
- Substrate: Insulation board and dimpled cavity drain membrane over waterproofing on concrete slab.

### Rev C1

- Bedding: Sand as Q25/710 (TBC) Mortar as Q25/715 or as recommended by stone supplier.
  - Nominal thickness of bed: 25mm.
- Stone:
  - Standard: To BS EN 1341.
  - Name (traditional): Granite.
  - Colour: Grey, to match existing re-used granite as C25/292 and Q25/311B.
  - Origin: Submit proposals.
  - Finish: Honed.

Supplier: Contractor's choice.

Size: As shown on drawings to pattern / layout as Q25/622.

- Thickness: 50 mm.
- Plan dimension deviation class: P2.
- Diagonal deviation class: D2.
- Thickness deviation class: T2.
- Arrises: Square.
- Breaking strength: Class 2.
- Slip resistance: PTV to BS 7976-2 of 45.
- Joints: 5 mm as Q25/715.

Bond: As drawings in geometric pattern with Yorkstone.

Grouting Material: Cement/sand mortar.

- Surface treatment: Surface impregnator to protect against moss and algae; must not

form a film or alter the natural colour of the stone (TBC).

Submit proposals.

- Other requirements:
  - Drainage channel Q10/175 as shown on drawings.
  - Coordinate with installation of parasol bases Q50/450 to South Terrace as necessary.

# 330 NATURAL STONE SETTS FOR SURFACE DISH CHANNEL

## Rev C1

- Drawing reference: 597-17010.
- Standard: To BS EN 1342.
- Supplier: Contractor's choice.
  - Product reference: Contractor's choice.
  - Quarry: Contractor's choice.
- Stone type: Granite.

### Rev C1 - Finish: Coarse textured to match existing.

## Rev C1 - Sizes: 100 x 100 x 100 mm. To match existing.

- Plan dimension and thickness deviation: Class 2.
- Special setts: none.
  - Tolerances on undercut of sides: No requirement.
  - Tolerances on hewn and coarse textured face irregularities: No requirement.
  - Breaking strength: No requirement.
- Slip resistance: PTV to BS 7976-2 of 45.
- Skid resistance: No requirement.
- Surface treatment: None.

## 335 CONCRETE SETTS TO NEW SQUARE

For drainage channel adjacent to pavement; and to new cycle stand area.

## Rev C1 - Drawing reference: 17501

- Manufacturer: Contractor's choice.
  - Product reference: to match existing.

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- Recycled content: Contractor's choice.
- Colour: to match exist.
- Finish: to match existing.
- Sizes: to match existing.
- Slip/ Skid resistance: PTV to BS 7976-2 of 45.
- Integral accessories: None.

# 366 GEOTEXTILE SHEET - BELOW LAYING COURSE IN AREA ABOVE PROPOSED UNDERGROUND LIBRARY EXTENSION SLAB

- Manufacturer: Submit proposals.
  - Product reference: Submit proposals.
- Recycled content: Contractor's choice.

# 376 SAND/ FINE AGGREGATE FOR SITE MIXED MORTAR FOR ALL NEWLY LAID PAVED AREAS

- Standard: To BS EN 12620, designations:
  - Flag and slab paving laying course: to manufacturer's recommendations.
  - Flag and slab paving jointing: to manufacturer's recommendations.
  - Concrete sett paving laying course and jointing: to manufacturer's recommendations.
  - Rigid brick paving laying course and jointing: N/A.
  - Precast concrete and grass or gravel paving: N/A.

# 390 SAND FOR FLEXIBLE LAYING COURSE AND JOINTING OF FLAG PAVING FOR AREAS ABOVE PROPOSED UNDERGROUND LIBRARY EXTENSION.

- Standard: To BS 7533-4, unbound construction laying course and jointing material.
- Purity: Free from deleterious salts, contaminants, lime and cement.
- Procurement: Obtain from one source and ensure consistent grading.

### 435 PRIMER FOR UNDERSIDE OF FLAGS AND SLABS

- Scope: As stone supplier's or specialist subcontractor's recommendations.
- Manufacturer: Contractor's choice.
- Product reference: Contractor's choice.

## 455 JOINT FILLER FOR MOVEMENT JOINTS:

- Scope: As stone suppliers recommendations.
- Type: Closed cell polyethylene foam compatible with specified sealant.
- Manufacturer: Contractor's choice.
- Product reference: Contractor's choice.

# 475 CLEANING SOLUTION FOR EXISTING BLOCKS AND SETTS all areas

- Manufacturer: Submit proposals.
  - Product reference: Submit proposals.

## **OTHER PAVINGS**

## 510 PAVING TO MANHOLE COVERS:

- Paving material: All stone types as required.
- Manhole covers, as Drainage Engineer's specification and Manhole Schedule, to be recessed to suit thickness of paving and bedding.
- Covers to be positioned perpendicular/parallel to paving patterns.
- Pattern of paving and alignment of joints to continue through manhole covers.

## **EXECUTION**

## 610 MATERIAL SAMPLES

- Samples representative of colour and appearance of designated materials: Submit before placing orders.

- Designated materials: All pavings.

### 616 CONTROL SAMPLES

- Sample areas: Complete as part of the finished work.
  - Types of paving:
    - Natural stone slab paving.
    - Natural stone steps.
    - Natural stone sett paving.
- Location: ALL AREAS.
- Size (minimum): 3.0 x 3.0 m.
- Included features:
  - Geometric pattern to East Terrace.
  - Representative sealer/ stabilizer coats, (kerbs, edging, expansion joints, recessed manhole covers, drainage dish channels).
- Approval of appearance and surface: Obtain before proceeding.

## 620 ADVERSE WEATHER

- General:
  - Temperature: Do not lay or joint paving if the temperature is below 3°C on a falling thermometer or below 1°C on a rising thermometer.
  - Frozen materials: Do not use. Do not lay bedding on frozen or frost covered bases.
- Paving with mortar joints and/ or bedding:
  - Protect from frost damage, rapid drying out and saturation until mortar has hardened.
- Paving laid and jointed in sand:
  - Stockpiled bedding sand: Protect from saturation.
  - Exposed areas of sand bedding and uncompacted areas of sand bedded paving: Protect from heavy rainfall.
  - Saturated sand bedding: Remove and replace, or allow to dry before proceeding.
  - Laying dry-sand jointed paving in damp conditions: Brush in as much jointing sand as possible. Minimize site traffic over paving. As soon as paving is dry, top up joints and complete compaction.

## REV C1 622 SETTING OUT - GEOMETRIC PATTERN / LAYOUT:

- Location: East Terrace and South Terrace.
- Drawing reference: 597-17011, 17012.

### 625 LAYING PAVINGS - GENERAL

- Appearance: Smooth and even with regular joints and accurate to line, level and profile.
- Falls: To prevent ponding.
- Bedding of paving units: Firm so that rocking or subsidence does not occur or develop.
  - Bedding/ Laying course: Consistently and accurately graded, spread and compacted to produce uniform thickness and support for paving units.
- Slopes: Lay paving units upwards from the bottom of slopes.
- Paving units: Free of mortar and sand stains.
- Cutting: Cut units cleanly and accurately, without spalling, to give neat junctions with edgings and adjoining finishes.

## 630 LEVELS OF PAVING

- Permissible deviation from specified levels:
  - Generally: ± 6 mm.
- Height of finished paving above features:
  - At gullies: +6 to +10 mm.
  - At drainage channels and kerbs: +3 to +6 mm.

### 635 REGULARITY OF PAVED SURFACES

- Maximum variation in gap under a 3 m straight edge placed anywhere on the surface (where appropriate in relation to the geometry of the surface):
  - Precast concrete paving blocks and clay pavers for flexible pavements: 10 mm.
  - Precast concrete flags or natural stone slabs: 3 mm.

- Difference in level between adjacent paving units (maximum): 2 mm.
- Sudden irregularities: Not permitted.

#### 640 COLOUR BANDING

 General: Unless premixed by manufacturer, select from at least 5 separate packs in rotation to avoid colour banding.

## 645 PROTECTION

- Cleanliness: Keep paving clean and free from mortar droppings, oil and other materials likely to cause staining.
- Materials storage: Do not overload pavings with stacks of materials.
- Handling: Do not damage paving unit corners, arrises, or previously laid paving.
- Mortar-bedded pavings: Keep free from traffic after laying:
  - Pedestrian traffic (minimum): 2 days.
  - Vehicular traffic (minimum): 7 days.
- Access: Restrict access to paved areas to prevent damage from site traffic and plant.

### 650 CEMENTITIOUS BASES AND SUB-BASES

 General: Protect from moisture loss, if not covered by another pavement course within 2 hours of completion.

### 655 CONDITION OF SUB-BASES/ BASES BEFORE SPREADING LAYING COURSE

- Trenches and excavation of soft or loose spots in subgrade: Fill and thoroughly compact.
- Granular surfaces: Lay and compact so as to be sound, clean, smooth and close-textured enough
  to prevent migration of bedding/ laying course materials into the sub-base during compaction and
  use, free from movement under compaction plant and free from compaction ridges, cracks and
  loose material.
- Prepared existing and new bound bases (roadbases): Sound, clean, free from rutting or major cracking. Remove sharp stones, projections and debris.
- Sub-base/ Roadbase level tolerances: To BS 7533-7, Annex A.
- Levels and falls: Accurate and within the specified tolerances.
- Drainage outlets: Within 0-10 mm of the required finished level.
- Features in sand bedded paving (including mortar-bedded restraints and drainage ironwork): Complete to required levels; adequately bed and haunch in mortar.
- Sub-bases containing cement/ hydraulic binder: Cure for minimum times specified in BS 7533-4.

### 665 PLANING AND REPAIRS TO EXISTING BASES

- Existing macadam/ asphalt surfaces: Plane to required levels.
- Repairs: Cut out to remove ruts and cracks over 25 mm wide and Cut out depressions, fill to match existing surface and compact..
- Building up existing surfaces to required levels: refer to engineer's requirements...

## 670 LAYING GRANULAR LAYER OVER EXISTING BASES

- Thickness: 150 mm.
- Compaction: Laying granular sub-bases for pedestrian areas, as section Q20.
- Blinding: As section Q20.

# 686 LAYING GEOTEXTILE SHEET OVERLAYS FOR ABOVE UNDERGROUND LIBRARY EXTENSION SLAB

- Location: Immediately below sand bedding course.
- Laying: Fit neatly at edge restraints and other features that interrupt sand bedding course, e.g. drainage fittings, channels, manholes and kerbs.
- Edge detail: Turn sheet up to form an upstand against features, height not less than thickness of sand bedding.
- Jointing: Lap by 300 mm.

## 690 RECLAIMED NATURAL STONE SLABS

- Location/ Access: All areas.
- Lifting/ Storage/ Protection: Store in a secure compound.

- Preparation: Submit samples of cleaned slabs.

### 695 SITE MIXED MORTAR FOR ALL RIGID PAVING SETT AND KERBS/EDGING

- Mix: 1:3 cement:sand.
- Consistency: Workable.
- Admixtures: None.

### 700 SITE MIXED FINE CONCRETE TO ALL AREAS

- Standard: In accordance with BS 7533-7.

## 710 LAYING FLAG AND SLAB PAVING - SAND LAYING COURSE AND JOINTING

- Standard: In accordance with BS 7533-4.
- Flag installation and cutting: To Interpave 'Concrete flag paving'.
- Laying course:
  - Nominal thickness after compaction: 25 mm.
- Joint width (nominal): 5 mm.

### 715 LAYING FLAG AND SLAB PAVING - MORTAR LAYING COURSE AND JOINTING

- Standard generally: In accordance with BS 7533-4.
- Flag installation and cutting: To Interpave 'Concrete flag paving'.
- Laving course:
  - Nominal thickness: 25 mm after compaction.
- Laying and jointing: none.
- Joint width (nominal): 5 mm.

### 730 LAYING NATURAL STONE SETT PAVING

- Standard generally: In accordance with BS 7533-7.
- Laying type: Rigid.
  - Laying and jointing method: Contractor's choice.
- Laying course:
  - Target thickness after compaction: 40 mm.
- Joint width (nominal): 8 mm.

### 785 TOOLED JOINTS IN MORTAR-BEDDED UNITS

- Joints: Completely filled with bedding mortar as work proceeds.
  - Joint width: 5 mm.
  - Finish: Neat flush profile.

## 795 SEALANT MOVEMENT JOINTS IN PAVING:

- Location: Junction to perimeter building façades, etc. as drawings.
- Include joints as recommended by paving manufacturer, extending through haunching.
- Joint filler: Closed cell polyethylene foam compatible with the specified sealant. Build in as the work proceeds.

Joint width 10 mm.

- Barrier (joint breaker): As recommended by sealant manufacturer.
- Position filler and barrier accurately to fully support sealant at the recommended distance from exposed faces of units.
- Sealant: Adshead Ratcliffe

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Colour: Grey (TBC).

- Primer. As manufacturer's recommendations for stone paving.
- Application: As section Z22.
- Special requirements: Sealant manufacturer to confirm that sealant will not stain stone paving slabs due to leeching of oils, etc.

### 805 CLEANING EXISTING BLOCKS AND SETTS

- Area: All Yorkstone and granite edged areas.
- Application:

- Method: High pressure water washer and To cleaning solution manufacturer's recommendations.
- Dosage: As cleaning solution manufacturer's recommendations.
- Sand jointed paving: Do not displace jointing sand during cleaning process.

## **COMPLETION**

## 930 SLIP RESISTANCE TESTING

- Surfaces to be tested: All pedestrian paved areas.
- Surface condition: Dry and wet .
- Timing: As agreed with contract administrator.
- Period of notice (minimum): 3 working days.
- Test standard: To BS 7976.
  - Testing authority: A UKAS accredited laboratory.
  - Witnessing/ Certification: Arrange for tests to be witnessed/ certified by: Architect.
  - Report: Submit.
    - Format: As required under BS 7976.