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**Project Number 2481**

**Management  
Asbestos Survey Report**

**Priorswood Platoon, Taunton, TA2 7EF**



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## **Section 1: Contact Details**

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G. Rosser	

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## **Section 2: Executive Summary**

Sample Number	Sample Type	Location	Analysis
GR001	Sink Pad to Sink	Kitchen	N.A.D.I.S

N.A.D.I.S – No Asbestos Detected in Sample

In addition to the above sampled items, the following items have been either been “Strongly Presumed” To Contain Asbestos or “Presumed” to Contain Asbestos as they were either visually identified in being so, labelled after previously being sampled on prior surveys or not accessible at the time of the survey:

**Item 7 – Ground Floor – Lobby and Electric Cupboard – Flashguards to Electrics – Strongly Presumed to Contain Asbestos – No Safe Access to Sample**

The presence of asbestos in these areas cannot be ascertained at this time. If any works are to be carried out in these areas in the future, then these works should be approached cautiously.

In accordance with current legislation, any suspect materials encountered in these areas are to be assumed to contain asbestos until proven otherwise. This will normally involve cessation of works in the affected area.

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## **Section 3: Site Description & Survey Information**

### **Brief description on the general building construction**

Cadet Hut with a flat felt roof and externally clad with timber panels.

### **Caveat for no access areas**

1. No access to inspect under lino floors due to damaging flooring if lifted.
2. No access to inspect or sample live electrics for safety reasons

### **EXTERNAL MATERIALS**

Roof Type	Flat
Roof Materials	Felt
Soffits	Timber
Fascia	Timber
Walls	Timber
Verge Under cloaking	None
Guttering	Plastic
Downpipes	Plastic
Window/Door frames	Timber
Other Materials	N/A

### **INTERNAL MATERIALS**

Loft Insulation	Rockwool
Roof Underlining	Felt and Timber
Ceilings	Plasterboard
Walls <i>Internal</i>	Plasterboard with Asbestos Radiator Panels
Floors	Timber with Lino
Doors/Frames	Timber
Pipework/Insulation	Not Seen
Boxings	Timber
Boiler Make	Modern
Flue Pipes	Modern Metallic
Storage Heaters	1980's
Electrical Boxes/Machinery	1980's and 1990's
Ducting/Risers	None
Stairs	None
Lift Shafts	None
Other Materials	N/A

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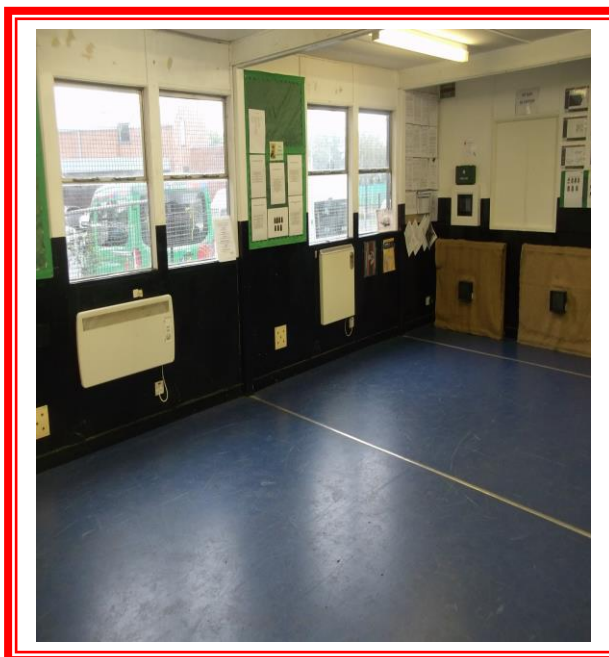


## Section 4: Positive and Presumed Photos Sheets

**Item No: 1**

**Sample No: N/A**

**Location: Ground Floor – Main Drill Hall**



<b>Material Description:</b>	Insulating Board behind Wall Heaters	
<b>Identification:</b>	As Per Previous Sample – Asbestos Detected	
<b>Approx. quantity:</b>	X 4	
<b>Accessibility</b>	Medium	<i>Assessment Score</i>
<b>Product type:</b>	Insulating Board	2
<b>Extent of Damage:</b>	Moderate	2
<b>Surface Treatment:</b>	Sealed	1
<b>Asbestos type:</b>	Amosite	2
<b>Material Assessment Score:</b>		7
<b>Priority Assessment Score:</b>		Medium
<b>Action:</b>	Manage	
<b>Comments:</b>	Fineline Environmental Survey, 20 <sup>th</sup> November 2018, Sample Number 6-98774	

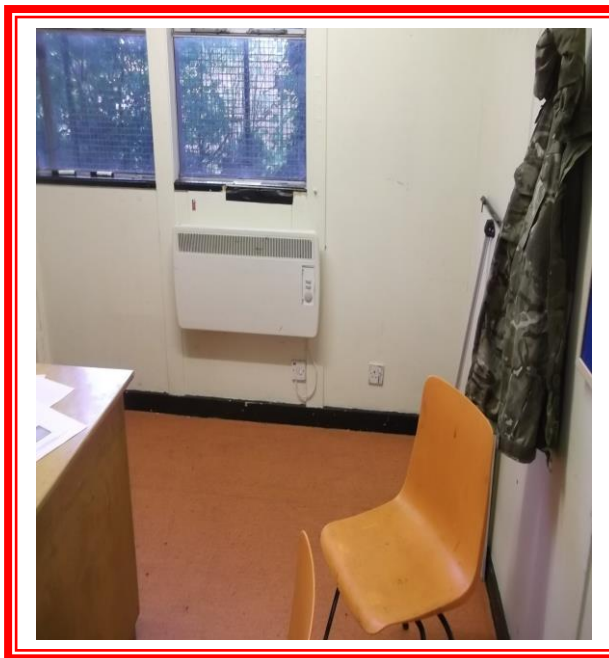
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**Item No: 2**

**Sample No: N/A**

**Location: Ground Floor – Classroom 2**



<b>Material Description:</b>	Insulation Board behind Wall Heaters	
<b>Identification:</b>	As Per Previous Sample – Asbestos Detected	
<b>Approx. quantity:</b>	X 2	
<b>Accessibility</b>	Medium	Assessment Score
<b>Product type:</b>	Insulation Board	2
<b>Extent of Damage:</b>	Major	3
<b>Surface Treatment:</b>	Unsealed	2
<b>Asbestos type:</b>	Amosite	2
<b>Material Assessment Score:</b>		9
<b>Priority Assessment Score:</b>		Medium
<b>Action:</b>	Remove	
<b>Comments:</b>	Fineline Environmental Survey, 20 <sup>th</sup> November 2018, Sample Number 6-98774	

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**Item No: 3**

**Sample No: N/A**

**Location: Ground Floor – Classroom 1**



<b>Material Description:</b>	Insulation Board behind Wall Heaters	
<b>Identification:</b>	As Per Previous Sample – Asbestos Detected	
<b>Approx. quantity:</b>	X 2	
<b>Accessibility</b>	Medium	Assessment Score
<b>Product type:</b>	Insulation Board	2
<b>Extent of Damage:</b>	Major	3
<b>Surface Treatment:</b>	Sealed	1
<b>Asbestos type:</b>	Amosite	2
<b>Material Assessment Score:</b>		8
<b>Priority Assessment Score:</b>		Medium
<b>Action:</b>	Manage	
<b>Comments:</b>	Fineline Environmental Survey, 20 <sup>th</sup> November 2018, Sample Number 6-98774	

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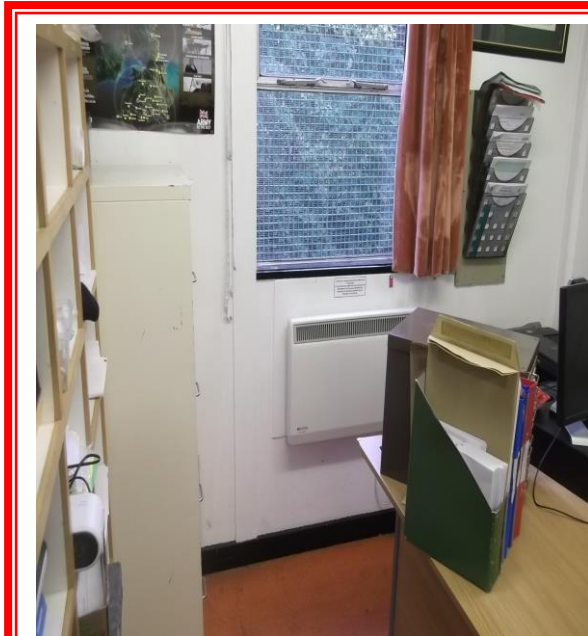




**Item No: 5**

**Sample No: N/A**

**Location: Ground Floor - Office**



<b>Material Description:</b>	Insulation Board behind Wall Heater	
<b>Identification:</b>	As Per Previous Sample – Asbestos Detected	
<b>Approx. quantity:</b>	X 1	
<b>Accessibility</b>	Medium	Assessment Score
<b>Product type:</b>	Insulation Board	2
<b>Extent of Damage:</b>	Moderate	2
<b>Surface Treatment:</b>	Sealed	1
<b>Asbestos type:</b>	Amosite	2
<b>Material Assessment Score:</b>		7
<b>Priority Assessment Score:</b>		Negligible
<b>Action:</b>	Manage	
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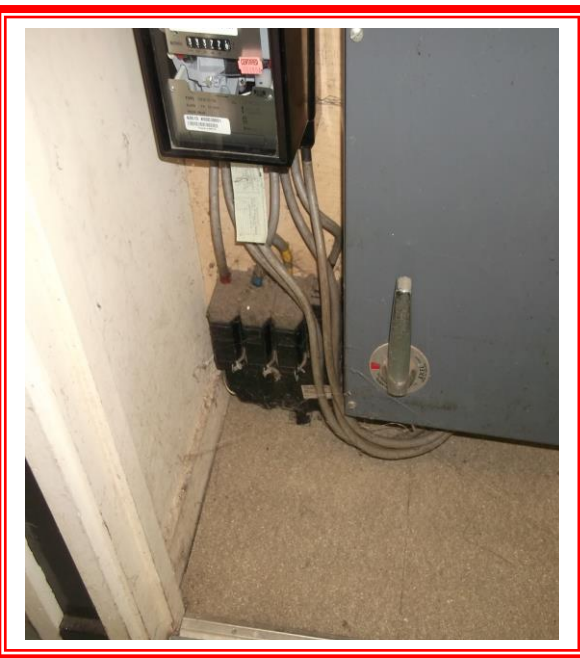
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**Item No: 7**

**Sample No: N/A**

**Location: Ground Floor – Lobby and Electric Cupboard**



<b>Material Description:</b>	Flashguards to Electrics	
<b>Identification:</b>	Strongly Presumed to Contain Asbestos	
<b>Approx. quantity:</b>	X 3	
<b>Accessibility</b>	High	Assessment Score
<b>Product type:</b>	Textile	1
<b>Extent of Damage:</b>	No Access	3
<b>Surface Treatment:</b>	Unsealed	1
<b>Asbestos type:</b>	Chrysotile	1
<b>Material Assessment Score:</b>		6
<b>Priority Assessment Score:</b>		Low
<b>Action:</b>	Manage	
<b>Comments:</b>	No Safe Access to Safely Sample	

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## Section 5: Negative Photos Sheets

**Item No: 4**
**Sample No: N/A**
**Location: Ground Floor - Stores**


<b>Material Description:</b>	Visual Inspection – No Suspect Materials Found	
<b>Identification:</b>	N/A	
<b>Approx. quantity:</b>	N/A	
<b>Accessibility</b>	N/A	<i>Assessment Score</i>
<b>Product type:</b>	N/A	N/A
<b>Extent of Damage:</b>	N/A	N/A
<b>Surface Treatment:</b>	N/A	N/A
<b>Asbestos type:</b>	N/A	N/A
<b>Material Assessment Score:</b>		N/A
<b>Priority Assessment Score:</b>		N/A
<b>Action:</b>	N/A	
<b>Comments:</b>	N/A	

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**Item No: 6**

**Sample No: N/A**

**Location: Ground Floor – Male and Female Toilets**



<b>Material Description:</b>	Visual Inspection – No Suspect Materials Found	
<b>Identification:</b>	N/A	
<b>Approx. quantity:</b>	N/A	
<b>Accessibility</b>	N/A	<i>Assessment Score</i>
<b>Product type:</b>	N/A	N/A
<b>Extent of Damage:</b>	N/A	N/A
<b>Surface Treatment:</b>	N/A	N/A
<b>Asbestos type:</b>	N/A	N/A
<b>Material Assessment Score:</b>		N/A
<b>Priority Assessment Score:</b>		N/A
<b>Action:</b>	N/A	
<b>Comments:</b>	N/A	

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**Item No: 8**

**Sample No: GR001**

**Location: Ground Floor - Kitchen**



<b>Material Description:</b>	Sink Pad to Sink	
<b>Identification:</b>	Sampled – No Asbestos Detected	
<b>Approx. quantity:</b>	N/A	
<b>Accessibility</b>	N/A	<i>Assessment Score</i>
<b>Product type:</b>	N/A	N/A
<b>Extent of Damage:</b>	N/A	N/A
<b>Surface Treatment:</b>	N/A	N/A
<b>Asbestos type:</b>	N/A	N/A
<b>Material Assessment Score:</b>		N/A
<b>Priority Assessment Score:</b>		N/A
<b>Action:</b>	N/A	
<b>Comments:</b>	Superlux non-Asbestos Panels on Wall in Kitchen	

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**Item No: 9**

**Sample No: N/A**

**Location: Externals**



<b>Material Description:</b>	Visual Inspection – No Suspect Materials Found	
<b>Identification:</b>	N/A	
<b>Approx. quantity:</b>	N/A	
<b>Accessibility</b>	N/A	<i>Assessment Score</i>
<b>Product type:</b>	N/A	N/A
<b>Extent of Damage:</b>	N/A	N/A
<b>Surface Treatment:</b>	N/A	N/A
<b>Asbestos type:</b>	N/A	N/A
<b>Material Assessment Score:</b>		N/A
<b>Priority Assessment Score:</b>		N/A
<b>Action:</b>	N/A	
<b>Comments:</b>	N/A	

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## **Section 6: Survey Objectives**

Instructions were received from Sue Morrell of Wessex RFCA to carry out a Management asbestos survey at Priorswood Platoon, Taunton, TA2 7EF in accordance with HSG264 and Armour Analytical's quality procedures.

The survey was carried out on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> October 2019 by Glyn Rosser with the objective of facilitating a Management report.

This Management survey is characterised as a 'Visual Inspection Sampling and Identification Survey' in HSG264. This type of survey is used to locate and describe, so far as is reasonably practicable, all asbestos containing materials (ACMs) in the building and will by its nature involve the partial destruction of the building's fabric as access is gained to all areas. A full sampling programme is undertaken to identify possible ACMs and estimate the extent of ACMs reported.

The objective of this survey report is to identify, so far as is reasonably practicable, the location, extent, product type and composition of ACMS within the building to enable the building occupants to put management and remedial procedures in place.

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## **Section 7: Survey Techniques**

Each floor, room and area within the scope was systematically inspected for suspect materials thought or known to contain asbestos and where such materials were encountered their location, extent, and composition were recorded.

Where materials of a similar nature exist, to those previously sampled, and a reasoned argument can be made that their composition is likely to be identical further physical sampling was not undertaken.

Photographs were taken of all sample locations, unless otherwise stated.

The analysis of suspect ACMs was undertaken by a UKAS accredited laboratory using the analytical method detailed in *HSG248, Appendix 2 -Asbestos: The analysts' guide for sampling, analysis and clearance procedures*.

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## **Section 8: Survey Caveat**

This report is based upon a management report inspection of an unfamiliar site. During the course of the survey all reasonable efforts were made to identify the physical presence of materials containing asbestos within the building.

A Management Survey is a non-intrusive survey, meaning that access within the fabric of the building is limited. The survey does not include access to the following areas (unless agreed beforehand with the Client and provisions are put in place):

- Within wall or ceiling construction;
- Under fixed flooring;
- Within non-openable boxings;
- Within live electrics, boilers or machinery;
- Where access/visibility is limited in an area due to stored items, furniture or services;
- Areas where there is no safe access to inspect such as floor ducts, lift shafts and loft spaces with no crawlboards;
- High level areas that are too high to safely inspect.
- Within pipework insulation throughout building as this would affect the integrity of services.

Any intrusive works carried out within the building must first be subject to a Refurbishment Asbestos Survey.

This report will be restricted to the areas that fall within the scope of works for project and will not take into account any area's that do not fall within the scope. Any asbestos that is identified within this report will need to be added to the buildings existing information and should not form the basis for a management survey. This survey will not include priority assessments nor will it include a register.

This survey considered the construction of the building, associated fixtures & fittings and associated structures and in no way should it be considered as a ground investigation report.

Services should be disconnected prior to commencement of a Management survey; however, where plant and/or electrical installations are live or appear to be live then these will not be accessed.

This survey report is not a bill of quantities.

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## **Section 9: Survey Notes**

This report has been written with reference to the various Guidance Notes etc, issued, and current at the date of this report and describes circumstances at the site on the date the investigation took place.

Where similar items exist in the building, only one or two samples have been taken to ascertain the material content. It was assumed that similar products were of the same material.

Any person undertaking work within the buildings should be told of the presence of asbestos. This briefing also applies to any other person associated with the site, including staff, sub-contractors and others.

The drawings in the report are not to scale and are illustrative only to indicate approximate locations. The descriptions used are for location identification purposes.

All the recommendations described in this report are based upon assumptions made after consideration of the type of material, condition of the material, its location, analysis result and type of use the area is thought to be subjected to. However, statutory authorities or others could require amendments based on local knowledge, change in legislation, change in use or indeed other conditions or criteria.

Samples taken from floor tiles (or similar material) may include a bitumen adhesive as part of the sample. It is known that some proprietary brands of bitumen have an asbestos content and this will be included as an integral part of the bulk sample unless otherwise stated.

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## Section 10: Material Assessment Algorithm

Variable	Score	Examples
Installation / Product type	1	Vinyl, 'Bakelite', Cement
	2	Asbestos insulating board, paper, rope
	3	Pipe insulation, spray coating, friable debris
Condition / damage	0	Good
	1	Slight / minor damage
	2	Moderate damage – breakage to surface treatment
	3	Major damage – smashed or exposed material
Surface treatment	0	Non-friable e.g. vinyl
	1	Enclosed insulation, encapsulated AIB
	2	Unsealed AIB, encapsulated insulation
	3	Unsealed insulation or spray coating
Asbestos type	1	Chrysotile
	2	Amosite & other amphiboles
	3	Crocidolite

The scores from each of the four sections are added together to produce a risk score:

Risk score	Risk assessment
<b>10 or more</b>	High risk
<b>7 – 9</b>	Medium risk
<b>5 – 6</b>	Low risk
<b>4 &amp; below</b>	Negligible risk

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## **Section 11: Certificates of Bulk Analysis**



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### **Asbestos Fibre Identification Report**

**Client:** Armour Analytical Services Ltd  
Admirals Yard, Station Road, Patchway, Bristol, BS34 6LR  
**Site Address:** Priorswood Platoon, Taunton, TA2 7EF  
**Sampled By:** Armour Analytical Services Ltd  
**Date sampled/received:** 11th October 2019  
**Date analysed:** 14th October 2019  
**Analyst/s:** Stefan Kitchener  
**Analysis Location:** 12 The Gardens, Broadcut, Fareham, Hampshire, PO16 8SS

#### **ANALYTICAL PROCEDURE**

Fibre identification was carried out in accordance with the documented 'in-house' method (2.01) based on the HSE Guidance Note HSG 248. These employed stereo microscopy, polarized microscopy and dispersion staining techniques.

#### **RESULTS**

Sample No.	Sample Ref.	Location	Asbestos Detected	Asbestos Type
GR001	BS579641	Kitchen - Sink pad to sink	No	

#### **NOTES:**

1. Sample(s) were examined for the presence of 6 types of asbestos fibres: crocidolite (blue), amosite (brown), chrysotile (white), anthophyllite, actinolite and tremolite.
2. The results shown in this test report specifically refer to the sample(s) tested as received unless otherwise stated and samples collected by the client are evaluated using information provided by the client. For samples collected by the client the date of receipt is deemed to be the same as the date sampled.
3. Envirochem is a UKAS accredited laboratory for sampling and identification of asbestos containing materials.
4. Comments, observations and opinions are outside the scope of UKAS accreditation.
5. The analytical method in the ISO248 does not quantify the amount of asbestos present, therefore UKAS accreditation does not permit quantification.
6. If, during fibre identification, only 1 or 2 fibres are seen and identified as asbestos, then the term 'trace asbestos identified' is used.
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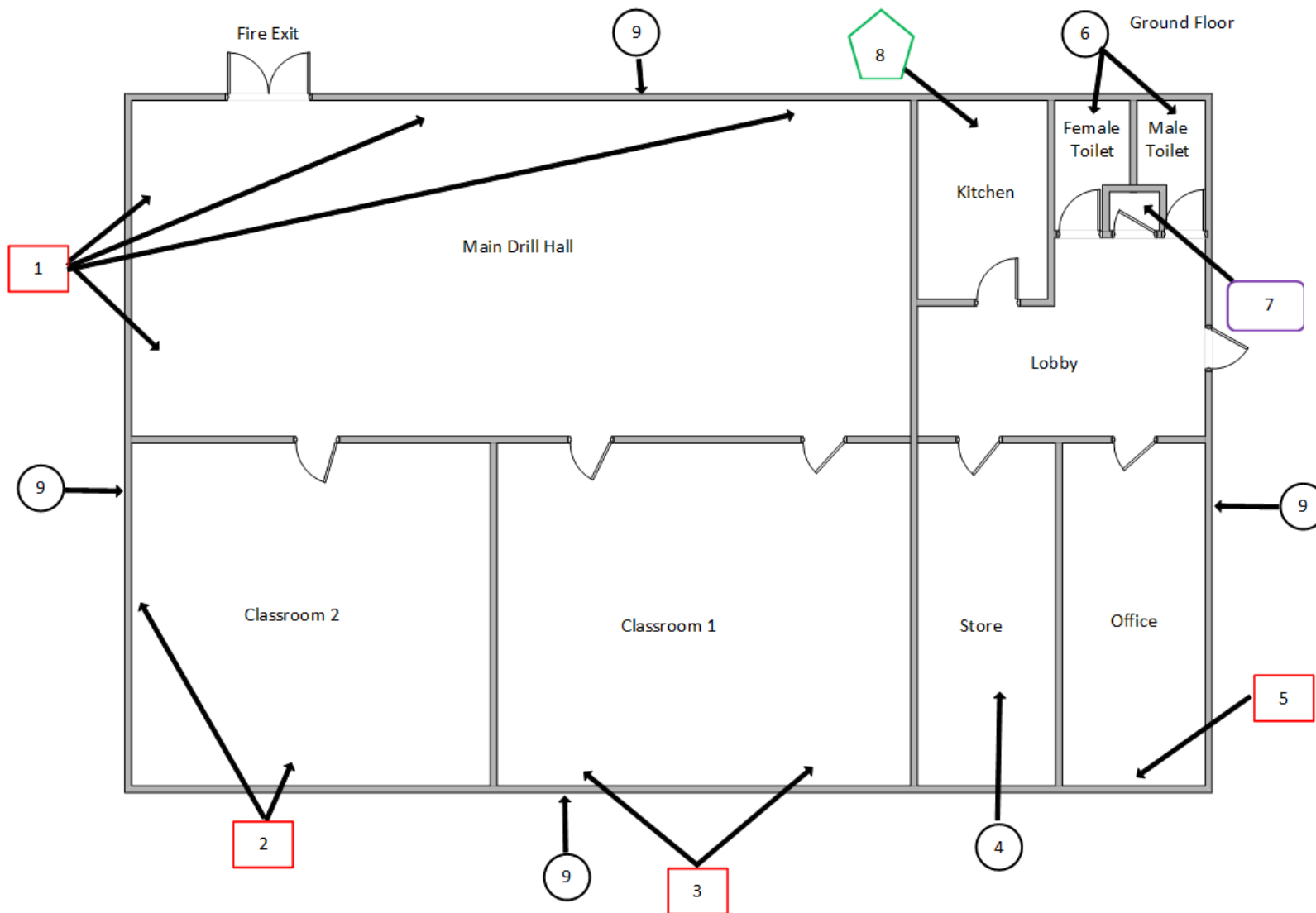
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## Section 12: Site Plan



Key	
	Visual Inspection
	Asbestos Detected (Positive Item)
	No Asbestos Detected (Negative Item)
	Presumed to Contain Asbestos
	Strongly Presumed to Contain Asbestos
	No Access

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**I the surveyor can confirm that this report is accurate to my findings onsite and this survey has been Content checked by myself.**

**Checked by: Glyn Rosser**

**Date: 05.11.2019**

**I the Admin Manager can confirm that this report is accurate to the paperwork received and this survey has been quality checked by myself.**

**Checked by: Emma Humphreys**

**Date: 01.11.2019**

**Report Compiled By**

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