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## FSD Circular Letter No. 3/97 Checklist for Fire Shutters Installation

The revised "Code of Practice for Fire Resisting Construction 1996" (FRC Code 1996) was effective on 1 August 1996. Under paragraph 10.7 of this revised Code, the Building Authority has taken over the authority to accept the construction, installation and assembly of fire shutters in private building works.

With immediate effect, the "Checklist for Fire Shutters Constructed and Installed in accordance with the Rules of the Fire Offices' Committee" as per Appendix 2 of the "Code of Practice for Minimum Fire Service Installations and Equipment and Inspection and Testing of Installation and Equipment" shall become obsolete.

This department will continue to carry out the inspection and testing of all activating devices as well as the operation of the fire shutters in accordance with the attached checklist.

Signed (LAM Chun-man) for Director of Fire Services

## Inspection Checklist for Activating Devices and Operation of Fire Shutters

I.	REFERI	NCE										
	Project				F.S.D. Ref							
	Address				Location							
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	F.O.C. I	C. Ref				Maker's Name						
II.	TYPE											
	Single Steel Rolling Shutter [ ]											
	Double Steel Rolling Shutter [ ]											
	Push-up	Type with Lifting Handle	[	]								
	With M	echanical Gearing	[	]								
III.	INSTAL	LATION				Yes		<u>No</u>		<u>Remarks</u>		
	3.1 Where automatic selfclosing devices are fitted, do they cause no interference to the manual opening and closing of the shutter?											
	3.2 Where smoke detectors are provided for the actuation of the shutter, a they fitted to both sides of the wall opening?					-	]	[	]			
	2.2						]	[	]			
	3.3	Are smoke detectors installed as far as practic the F.O.C. rules for A.F.A.?	cadie t	otnepro	DVISIONS OI	[	]	[	]			
	3.4	Is permanent nameplate with adequate information provided?						г	1			
	3.5	Are manual controls provided to both sides	of the			[	]	[	]			
		wall opening?				[	]	[	]			
IV.	SHUTTI	TR OPERATION										
	4.1	Does the automatic actuation device function	n satisf	actorily?	,	r		r				
	4.2	Is secondary source of electricity supply prov	vided?				] ]		] ]	· • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •		
	4.3	Is the descending speed* of the shutter accep	ntable?			[	]	[	]			
	*	Descending time shall within 15-60 second in excess of 2.5m in height; not faster than 8 in openings of height within 2.5m and the shutter shall reach the mid-height in not	3 secor nat the	nds for o bottom	ther shutters rail of the	•						

descending time of the shutter.

Test witness by :-

.....(Signature)

.....(Name in block letters) F.S.I. Contractor's Representative .....(Signature)

......(Name in block letters) F.S.D. Inspection Officer

Date .....

Date .....