

General Inspection Report

(BC13)

REPORT No.65

DATE: 06/04/2000 TO 08/05/2000

SIDE TOWERS N & S

BOTH THE NORTH AND SOUTH TOWERS WERE VISUALLY INSPECTED OVER AN INTERMITTANT PERIOD BETWEEN THE ABOVE DATES, GENERAL FINDINGS WERE AS FOLLOWS:

GENERALLY: THE STRUCTURAL CONDITION APPEARS SATISFACTORY, WITH ONLY 17no. ELEMENT DEFECTS REPORTED.

STAGINGS & LADDERS: THE ACCESS LADDERS AND PLATFORMS FROM CROSSOVERS TO TOWER LEGS ARE STILL AS LAST INSPECTION.(I.E.) CORROSION, EVEN MORE EVIDENT.

POST TENSION CABLES: THE NORTH CABLES WERE (AS LAST INSPECTION) IN THE MAIN DRY AND SATISFACTORY. THE SOUTH TOWER CABLE SITUATION HAS PROGRESSED TO COMPLETE SEVERANCE AT POSITION No5 S.E. LEG. (WEST). STRAND BREAKAGES AT POSITION No4 S.E. LEG. (EAST) HAS NOW REACHED A TOTAL OF 5 IN NUMBER.

ALL DEFECTS DETAILED AND ENTERED ON STRUCTURE REPORT PROGRAMME.

INSPECTORS