Fire Risk Assessment Report



This report shows all the responses to the Fire Risk Assessment survey, including raised tasks.

Asset ID: 24506 Sturdee Close

Cover Sheet

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Date of Fire Risk Assessment 09 May 2024

Date of Next Fire Risk Assessment 23 Apr 2018

FRA Frequency (Months)

Purpose of Fire Risk Assessment 3 year Re-Assessment

Type of Fire Risk Assessment

Type 1 (Common Parts Only - Non Destructive)

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It is sensible to have arrangements in place to ensure the consistency of Fire Risk Assessments in terms of the assessment of risk and mitigations proposed. In this regard Accent peer validate around 20% of reports, which are available within our audit system.

The Scheme

Scheme Name Sturdee Close

Scheme Address Sturdee Close

Postcode GU16 5DL

Region South

Scheme Manager

Scheme Tel. No N/A

Scheme Inspection Completed Yes

Enforcing Fire Authority Surrey Fire and Rescue

Other staff in attendance None

Number of on-site Accent staff

None

Number of other (non-Accent) staff

Contract Cleaners in common areas

The Building

Accommodation Type General Needs (S30), Peerless General Needs -

LSVT (S29)

Build Date Jan 1 1962

Number Of Homes 32

Homes breakdown Flat, House

External wall construction Facing Brick

External wall finish Cement Render, Facing Brick, Hung Tiles, Paint

Render

Roof construction Timber

Roof covering Interlocking Pitched

PEEPs in place where necessary N/A

Current Evacuation Strategy Stay Put (Delayed) Evacuation

Conversion or purpose-built Purpose Built

Number of storeys 3

Number of floors on which car parking is provided 0

Is there a habitable basement?

Number of internal Staircases (protected or unprotected?) 1 Protected

Number of External Staircases

None

External Balcony part of escape route?

N/A

Unusual features Split level. Entrance on the ground floor

Building Access Conditions for Fire Brigade

Vehicular Access to one or more elevations

Asset ID: 24506 Sturdee Close	
Fire Detection and Warning System	Flats only
Grade of fire alarm	Grade D
Category of fire alarm	LD3 Minimum Protection
Emergency Lighting Provision	Non Maintained System - Common Areas
Portable Fire Extinguishers supplied/fitted	No
Fixed Fire Fighting Installations	No
Customers	
Number of occupants	30
Occupant tenure type breakdown	General Needs
Fire Safety Related Customer Safety Servicing	
Overdue communal gas safety checks	0
Overdue domestic gas safety checks	0
Overdue communal electrical condition checks	0
Overdue domestic electrical condition checks	0
Overdue alarm call pull chord tests	0
Overdue communal PAT testing	0
Overdue customer mobility scooter PAT testing	0
Overdue Monthly Emergency Lighting Switch Tests	3
Overdue Annual Emergency Lighting tests	3
Overdue Weekly Fire Alarm Testing	0
Overdue Fire Panel - Six Monthly Testing	
Overdue Fire Safety Equipment tests	
Building Fire Safety Surveys - Communal Doors	
Failing Communal Fire Doors	0
Communal Fire doors due for replacement within 5 years	0
Dwelling Doors	
Failing Dwelling Fire Doors	0
Dwelling Fire doors due for replacement within 5 years	0

Fire Risk Assessment Survey Results

Scheme and Building Information

Photo



Date of Fire Risk Assessment

FRA Frequency (Months)

Purpose of Fire Risk Assessment

Type of Risk Assessment

Quantity

Fire & Safety Assessor

Enforcing Fire Authority

Scheme Tel. No

Other staff in attendance

Number of on-site Accent staff

Number of other (non-Accent) staff

Scheme Inspection completed

Number of occupants

Personal Emergency Evacuation Plans in place

Current Evacuation Strategy

Conversion or purpose-built

Number of Storeys

Number of floors on which car parking is provided

Is there a habitable basement?

No. of internal staircases (protected/unprotected)

Number of external staircases

External balcony part of escape route?

Unusual features

09/05/2024

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3 year Re-Assessment

Type 1 (Common Parts Only - Non Destructive)

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Surrey Fire and Rescue

N/A

None

None

Contract Cleaners in common areas

Yes

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N/A

Stay Put (Delayed) Evacuation

Purpose Built

3

0 No

1 Protected

None

N/A

Split level. Entrance on the ground floor

Fire Risk Assessment Survey Results

Building access conditions for Fire Brigade

Vehicular Access to one or more elevations

Surroundings: Residential/Commercial Residential

Fire Detection and Warning System Flats only

Grade of Fire Alarm Grade D

Category of Fire Alarm LD3 Minimum Protection

Emergency Lighting Provision Non Maintained System - Common Areas

Portable Fire Extinguishers / Fire Blankets supplied / fitted No

Water Extinguisher(s) present

Foam Extinguisher(s) present

Dry Powder Extinguisher(s) present

Carbon Dioxide Extinguisher(s) present No

Fire Blanket(s) present

Fixed Fire Fighting Installations supplied / fitted No

Dry Riser(s) present No

Wet Riser(s) present No

Sprinkler System present No

Hosereel(s) present No

Automatic Opening Vent(s) present No

Electrical Sources of Ignition

Electrical installation within common areas in good condition and no

obvious damage?

Comment

Valid Electrical Installation Condition Reports held on file? (Common

Areas & General Needs Flats)

Comment These are held on M files

Electrical App/PA Testing - tested within past 12 months?

N/A

Comment No portable equipment in the communal areas.

Absence of trailing leads and adapters? Yes

Comment

Evidence that mobility scooters are not being stored/charged in Yes

common areas?

Comment Housing partner to arrange removal of escape

scooter located in block 13 - 19

Yes

Yes

Is there a purpose built mobility scooter store/charging area?

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Sturdee Close Asset ID: 24506 Comment No Does the building have a lightning protection system? Comment Gas installations Is there a commercial/domestic gas supply to the scheme? Yes Comment Yes Valid LGSR held on file for fixed communal area gas appliances? (Boilers) All tests/maintenance records kept on M files. Comment Valid LGSR held on file for residential flats that contains gas Yes appliances? Comment Yes Are smoke/heat detectors within General Needs flats subject to an annual inspection and the results Comment A contract is in place with Tunstall to annually test the detection within each flat. Other Sources of Ignition Yes Is there a no smoking policy in place, which is enforced and adhered to? No signs of smoking within the communal area's. Comment Adequate security against arson? Yes Electronic access to all entrance- exit doors Comment Are refuse/recycling bin areas managed and suitably located? Yes Comment New metro bins installed outside the entrance to each block.All clear at the time of the audit. Are there communal cooking facilities at this scheme? No Comment Housekeeping Yes Are all electrical/intake/service cupboards secure and free from general waste, contractors waste and and residents personal items? Comment All cupboards were clear and secure at the time of the audit. Yes Are unnecessary accumulations of combustible materials or waste avoided?

Comment

Are combustible materials and substances separated from ignition

sources and stored appropriately?

Comment

Furniture/furnishings in good condition, fire retardant/resistant and comply with modern standards and regulations?

N/A

N/A

Comment

Observation Priority Referred To Required By: Task ID

Metro bins located outside the front of the building. All clear of rubbish at the time of the audit .



Observation Priority Referred To Required By: Task ID

All electrical cupboards were clear and locked shut at the time of the audit.





Other Significant Fire Hazards

Are all other significant fire hazards adequately controlled?

Yes

Yes

Yes

Comment

Means of Escape from Fire

Is it considered that the building is provided with reasonable means of

escape in case of fire?

Comment

Escape routes unobstructed and safe to use?

Comment

All clear at the time of the audit.

Exits immediately openable without a key and/or failsafe's function

correctly? Comment

Reasonable distances of travel where there is a single/alternative

direction of travel?

Comment

Escape routes lead to final exits and open in direction of escape where necessary?

Comment

Yes

Yes

This answer has been presumed dut to historical inspections. No measurements were taken at the time of the audit.

Yes

Observation Priority Referred To Required By: Task ID

All areas clear at the time of the audit.





Observation Priority Referred To Required By: Task ID

All stairs were in good condition at the time of the audit.





Fire Spread and Development

Is it considered that the compartmentation is of a reasonable standard?

Yes

Yes

Comment

Is there reasonable limitation of surface finishes that might promote fire

spread (walls, floors, ceilings)?

Comment

Are fire dampers/shutters provided in ducts/refuse chutes to protect means of escape against fire, smoke and combustion products?

No

Comment

Comment

As far as can be reasonably ascertained, is the compartmentation within roof spaces of a satisfactory standard?

within roof spaces of a satisfactory standard?

Loft hatches fire resisting?

Comment

As far as can be reasonably ascertained, is the fire stopping above cross corridor fire doors within suspended ceiling void of a satisfactory standard?

Comment

Do external walls, doors, windows and anything attached to the exterior, limit fire spread?

Comment

If Smoke Control Systems (AOV's) are fitted, are the records of annual testing available?

Comment

Are roller shutter doors that are required to be FR, fire resisting and self-closing?

Comment

Yes

Roof space visual inspection from loft hatch only.

No access gained. Due to lone working.

Yes

Metal and of FR construction.

Yes

Yes

N/A

N/A

Observation Priority Referred To Required By: Task ID

Metal 1 hour fire resistant loft hatches located in both blocks.



Observation Priority Referred To Required By: Task ID

Most of the flats have new FD30S Doors installed.



Emergency Escape Lighting

Is the emergency lighting correctly specified and installed as per

current standards?

Comment

Emergency lighting units in good condition and securely fixed to

walls/ceilings?

Comment

Records of monthly/annual testing available? Yes

Comment All records are kept on Mfiles

Observation Priority Referred To Required By: Task ID

Yes

Yes

Test records are kept on file and inside the electrical cupboards.



Fire Safety Signs and Notices

Are the correct Fire Action/Advice notices displayed in prominent

locations within the common areas?

Directional fire escape signage in place and adequate?

Comment

Comment

Is there suitable LIFT signage i.e. do not use in case of fire?

Comment

Do common area fire doors display the correct signage on both sides

where applicable?

Comment

Yes

Yes

Evacuation signs posted throughout each block.

Observation Priority Referred To Required By: Task ID

Good Sinage and evacuation information posted in each block.



Means of giving Warning in case of Fire

Is the scheme fitted with a communal area fire alarm?

Comment

Fire Extinguishing Equipment

Is fire extinguishing equipment and/or fixed fire fighting installations N/A

provided at this scheme?

Comment No fire extinguishers on site.

Portable fire extinguishers - appropriate type/number/position? N/A

Comment

Correct signage displayed by each fire extinguisher?

Comment

Fire blanket in communal kitchen, secured to the wall, complete with N/A

signage?
Comment

Dry risers - Inlet/outlet boxes secured and/or securing straps fitted to N/A

outlet valves?

Comment

Records available of fire fighting equipment servicing within past 12 months?

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Management of Fire Safety

Are these premises regulated by the Building Safety Regulator under

the Building Safety Act?

Comment

Comment

No

N/A

Sturdee Close Asset ID: 24506 Yes Are there other Responsible Persons who share or have fire safety duties in respect of the premises? Have all details required by regulations been shared with all other Responsible Persons? Comment Have all details required by regulations to be shared with us from other Responsible Persons been received and recorded? Comment Yes Will this FRA be shared will all other Responsible Persons for the premises? Comment How will this sharing be achieved? The Fra is stored on M files for the Housing Partner to access. Is an office or IL scheme being inspected? Comment IL Schemes & Regional Offices - Are there sufficient numbers of qualified Fire wardens? Comment Offices - Are there suitable arrangements for ensuring the premises are evacuated? Comment Offices - Are there suitable arrangements for evacuating disabled people? Comment Offices - Suitable arrangements for meeting the fire service on arrival and proving relevant information? Comment Offices/IL Schemes - Is there a suitable assembly point? Comment Offices - Are fire drills carried out at appropriate intervals? Comment Passenger Lift Is the scheme fitted with a passenger lift? No Comment **Premises Inspection Box** Is there a premises information box for fire & rescue service use? No

Comment

No requirement

Evacuation Policy

Are there suitable arrangements for summoning the fire service?

Comment

Taking FRA findings, is the evacuation policy appropriate for the scheme as per latest guidance?

Comment

Yes

It is the responsibility of customers to call the emergency services.

Yes

Engagement with Residents

Has information of fire procedures been disseminated to residents?

Comment

Is general fire safety information disseminated to residents?

Comment

Yes

This is located on the notice boards for all to see.

Yes

This is given to customers on acceptance of the flats and is posted on our website.

FRA Frequency

Taking the findings of this assessment into account, is the frequency of

the FRA correct?

Comment

Yes

This has been extended to 3 yearly inspection s

Miscellaneous

Are there any other observations/actions to raise that are not covered

above.

Are there fire related remedial works required at this property, that will

affect the fabric of the building?

Comment

Were there any unsatisfactory aspects of the Fire Risk Assessment? (Visible on Building Safety Report).

No

No

No

Risk Calculator - Fire

The following risk estimator is based on the general health and safety risk level estimator contained within BS 8800: 1996. Guide to occupational health and safety management systems.

systems.					
1	•			he time of this risk bbability of ignition) a	at this
LOW	X	MEDIUM		HIGH	
any procedural a	arrangements ob	•	of the assessr	he fire protection af ment, it is considere	
MINOR		MAJOR	X	CRITICAL	

The definition of the above terms is as follows: FRA Review Frequency

MINOR	Outbreak of fire is unlikely to result in serious injury or death of any occupant (other than the occupant sleeping in a bedroom in which a fire occurs).
MAJOR	An outbreak of fire could result in injury of one or more occupants, but is unlikely to lead to fatalities.
CRITICAL	There is significant potential for serious injury or death of one or more occupants.

3. The above estimates are then read into the following matrix table to give the overall risk level for the site:

Fire Hazard	Minor	Major	Critical
Low	Trival	Tolerable	Moderate
Medium	Tolerable	Moderate	Substantial
High	Moderate	Substantial	Intolerable

When the level of risk is established, the action level can be read from the table below:

Risk Level	Guide to actions and appropriate timescales
Trivial	No action is required
Moderate	Efforts should be made to reduce the risk level and this should be carried out within the specified time periods.
Substantial	Considerable resources may have to be allocated to reduce the risk level. It may be necessary to limit the occupation of some parts until urgent remedial action is taken.
Intolerable	The building (or the relevant area) should not be occupied until the risk is reduced.

The Overall Risk Level for this asset is:	Trivial