

EMERGENCY LIGHTING COMPLETION CERTIFICATE

For new installations and verification of existing installations

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A1 DETAILS OF THE CLIENT	PURPOSE OF CERTIFICATE
Client/ Address Postcode 	Verification of existing installation <input type="checkbox"/> The installation is <input type="checkbox"/> An addition <input type="checkbox"/> An alteration <input type="checkbox"/>
B1 DETAILS OF THE EMERGENCY LIGHTING INSTALLATION	
Address Postcode Extent of the installation covered by this certificate 	

C1 DECLARATION OF CONFORMITY *Delete as appropriate

In consequence of acceptance of the declarations on Forms 2, 3 and 4 I/we* hereby declare that the emergency lighting installation, as described above, conforms, to the best of my/our* knowledge and belief to the appropriate recommendations and requirements given in BS 5266-1: 2005 *Emergency lighting Part 1: Code of practice for the emergency lighting of premises*, BS EN 1838: 1999 / BS 5266-7: 1999 *Lighting applications – Emergency lighting* and BS EN 50172: 2004 / BS 5266-8: 2004 *Emergency escape lighting systems*, as set out in the declarations on Forms 2, 3 and 4, except as stated in section D1.

To be signed by either:

- a) The **Responsible Person / Competent Person** (England and Wales)
- b) The **Employer or Other Persons** (Scotland)
- c) The **Employer or Nominated Employee** (Northern Ireland)

Signature Date Name (CAPITALS)

D1 DETAILS OF DEVIATIONS FROM THE STANDARD *Deviations MUST be sanctioned by the designer referred to in section 2 of Form 2 and agreed by the person in section C1

Declaration (insert design, installation or verification role)	Requirement No	Details of deviation (If necessary record additional deviations on separate referenced sheet)

E1 VALIDITY REVIEW AND ESSENTIAL RELATED REFERENCE DOCUMENTS

This certificate is not valid unless accompanied by current versions of the following:

i) Signed declaration on Forms 2, 3 and 4 ii) Photometric design data (see note 3) iii) Log book

The contractor issuing this certificate MUST sign to verify that i), ii) and iii) above have been completed and are issued with this certificate and that all essential related reference documents have been recorded below.

Electrical Installation Certificate or Minor Electrical Installation Works Certificate No. (see Note 1) and/or Emergency Lighting Periodic Inspection and Test Certificate (see Note 2)	Design Schedule No(s)
Signature Date 	Other documents if any (please state)
Name (CAPITALS) Contractor	

F1 NEXT INSPECTION § Enter interval in accordance with Clause 7.2 of BS EN 50172: 2004 / BS 5266-8: 2004

I/We*, the designer, RECOMMEND that this installation is further inspected and tested after an interval of not more than §

- Notes:
1. The electrical safety aspects of the emergency lighting installation must also be certified in accordance with BS 7671 Requirements for Electrical Installations by issuing an Electrical Installation Certificate or, where appropriate, a Minor Electrical Installation Works Certificate.
 2. Where this certificate relates to a major alteration or addition, it should be accompanied by an Emergency Lighting Periodic Inspection and Testing Certificate for the entire emergency lighting installation
 3. This can be in any of the following formats (in all cases appropriate de-rating factors must be used), and identified to meet worst case requirements:
 - a) Authenticated spacing data such as ICEL 1001 registered tables; b) calculations as detailed in CIBSE / SLL Guide LG12; c) appropriate computer print of results.

NOTES FOR RECIPIENT
THIS CERTIFICATE IS A VALUABLE DOCUMENT AND SHOULD BE
RETAINED FOR FUTURE REFERENCE

This certificate (Form 1) should be accompanied by Form 2 – Emergency Lighting Design Declaration, Form 3 – Emergency Lighting Construction Declaration and Form 4 – Emergency Lighting Verification Declaration, photometric data and an appropriate Log book. It should be read in conjunction and supported by the documents identified in Section E1 on the reverse of this page.

You should have received Forms 1, 2, 3 and 4 marked 'Original' and the contractor should have retained Forms 1, 2, 3 and 4 marked 'Duplicate'. **Forms 1, 2, 3 and 4 are valuable documents and should be retained for future reference for the purpose of providing evidence of properly maintaining the emergency lighting installation. If you were the person ordering the work, but not the user of the installation, you should pass Forms 1, 2, 3 and 4, including any essential related reference documents (detailed on the reverse of this page), immediately to the Responsible Person or Competent Person (England and Wales), Employer or Other Persons (Scotland), Employer or Nominated Employee (Northern Ireland) for the premises.**

The absence of Forms 2, 3, or 4, or the absence of documentation relating to photometric data or Log book, would render this certificate (Form 1) invalid on issue. The three individual declarations for 'Design', 'Construction' and 'Verification', Forms 2, 3 and 4, must be complete, and the photometric data or Log book must be issued with the certificate. **Where declarations of any of the three elements of the work have not been made, or documentation relating to photometric data or Log book is not included it is recommended that you do not sign section C1 of this certificate and question why those responsible for the particular element of the work have not issued declarations that are in accordance with the recommendations of BS 5266 Parts 1, 7 and 8.**

This certificate (Form 1) and the associated Forms 2, 3 and 4 are intended to be issued for a new emergency lighting installation or for new work associated with an alteration or addition to an existing emergency lighting installation. They may also be used to verify that an existing installation (installed to a previous edition of the standard) complies with the current standards. They should not have been issued for the periodic inspection and testing of an existing emergency lighting installation. An Emergency Lighting Periodic Inspection and Testing Certificate should be issued for such a periodic inspection.

Forms 1, 2, 3 and 4 have been issued to enable the **Responsible Person or Competent Person** acting on their behalf (as required by The Management of Health and Safety at Work Regulations 1992, and the Regulatory reform (Fire Safety) Order 2005 in England and Wales) or the **Employer or Other Persons** who have control over the premises to any extent and any person who through contract or tenancy has obligations in respect of maintenance or safety (as required by the Fire (Scotland) Act 2005) or the **Employer or Nominated Employee** who has special responsibility for fire safety (as required by the Fire Precautions (Workplace) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2001) and the Management of Health and Safety at Work Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2000), to accept the certificate (Form 1) and sign to declare that the emergency lighting installation work to which it relates has been designed, constructed and verified in accordance with the relevant recommendations given in BS 5266 *Emergency Lighting Part 1: 2005 Code of practice for the emergency lighting of premises*, BS EN 1838: 1999 / BS 5266-7: 1996 *Lighting applications - Emergency lighting*, and BS EN 50172: 2004 / BS 5266-8: 2004 *Emergency escape lighting systems*.

The 'Original' Forms 1, 2, 3 and 4 should be retained in a safe place and be shown to any person inspecting or undertaking further work on the emergency lighting installation in the future. If you later vacate the premises, the Forms will demonstrate to the new **Responsible Person or Competent Person** (England and Wales), **Employer or Other Persons** (Scotland) or the **Employer or Nominated Employee** (Northern Ireland) for the premises that the emergency lighting installation complied with the requirements of BS 5266 Parts 1, 7 and 8 and with BS 7671 *Requirements for Electrical Installations*, at the time the certificate was issued. Form 2 Emergency Lighting Design Declaration, Form 3 Emergency Lighting Construction Declaration, and Form 4 Emergency Lighting Verification Declaration identify the organization(s) responsible for the provision of the system and the name and signature of the person issuing the conformity declaration.

The Emergency Lighting Verification Declaration (Form 4) provides an assurance that the installation work has been fully inspected and tested, and that the installation complies with the appropriate recommendations given in BS 5266 Parts 1, 7 and 8 (except for any deviations sanctioned by the person responsible for the design, and agreed by the **Responsible Person or Competent Person** (England and Wales), **Employer or Other Persons** (Scotland) or the **Employer or Nominated Employee** (Northern Ireland) for the premises, and recorded in the appropriate section on the reverse of this page and Forms 2, 3 and 4).

For safety reasons, the emergency lighting installation will need to be inspected and tested at appropriate intervals by a competent person.

EMERGENCY LIGHTING DESIGN DECLARATION

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A2 DETAILS OF THE CLIENT	PURPOSE OF DECLARATION
Client/ Address Postcode	Verification of existing installation <input type="checkbox"/> The installation is: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> New <input type="checkbox"/> An addition <input type="checkbox"/> An alteration <input type="checkbox"/>
B2 DETAILS OF THE EMERGENCY LIGHTING INSTALLATION	
Address Postcode Extent of the installation covered by this declaration	

C2 PARTICULARS OF THE ORGANIZATION RESPONSIBLE FOR THE DESIGN OF THE EMERGENCY LIGHTING INSTALLATION
Organization Postcode Address

D2 DESIGN CONFORMITY DECLARATION		System conforms (indicate with a tick) ✓		
BS 5266-1 clause reference	Requirements	Yes	No*	N/A
4.2	D1- Accurate plans available showing escape routes, fire alarm control panel, fire points and fire extinguishers			
6.6	D2- Fire safety signs in accordance with BS 5499-1 and -5, clearly visible and adequately illuminated			
7.9	D3- The luminaires conform to BS EN 60598-2-22			
6.3.2	D4- Luminaires located at following positions: a) At each exit door intended to be used in an emergency b) Near stairs so each tread receives direct light, and near any other level change c) Near mandatory emergency exits and safety signs d) At each change of direction and at intersections of corridors e) Outside and near to each final exit f) Near each first aid post g) Near fire fighting equipment and call points (NOTE: Near means within 2m horizontally)			
7.4	D5- At least two luminaires illuminating each compartment of the escape route D6- Additional emergency lighting provided where needed to illuminate: a) Lift cars b) Moving stairways and walkways c) Plant facilities larger than 8m ² floor area or without borrowed light, and those for disabled use d) Machine generator, control and plant-rooms e) Covered car parks			
7.8.3				
7.8.4				
7.8.5				
7.8.6				
7.8.7				
10.1	D7- Design document adequate for the application			
11.6 12.3	D8- Operation and maintenance instructions and a suitable log book produced for retention and use by the building occupier			
	D9- Illuminance. Escape routes for any use: 1 lx min. (on the centre line)			
6.3.3	Open areas above 60 m ² : 0.5 lx min. (anywhere in the core area) Permanently unobstructed routes: 0.2 lx min. (on centre line)			

NOTE: If a system was designed to the illuminance levels given in BS 5266-1: 1988, this should be recorded as a deviation.

E2 DETAILS OF DEVIATIONS FROM THE CODE OF PRACTICE (BS 5266 -1: 2005)*	
Requirement No	Details of deviation (If necessary record additional deviations on a separate referenced sheet) (see note 2)

* Deviations MUST be sanctioned by the designer referred to in section F2 and agreed by the person in section C1 of Form 1

F2 DESIGN	I/We** hereby declare that the emergency lighting installation, as described above, has been DESIGNED (see note 1) by me/us** and, to the best of my/our** knowledge and belief, the design complies with the relevant recommendations given in BS 5266 Emergency Lighting Part 1: 2005 Code of practice for emergency lighting, BS EN 1838: 1999 / BS 5266-7: 1999 Lighting applications – Emergency lighting, and BS EN 50172: 2004 / BS 5266-8 Emergency escape lighting systems.
** Delete as appropriate	Signature Date Name (CAPITALS)

Notes: 1 In case of verification of an existing installation, this declaration is being issued by the person checking the relevant design aspects. Form 2 of 4
 2 Deviations to be entered additionally on the Completion Certificate (Form 1)

NOTES FOR RECIPIENT
THIS DESIGN DECLARATION IS A VALUABLE DOCUMENT AND SHOULD BE
RETAINED FOR FUTURE REFERENCE

This declaration (Form 2), should be accompanied by three other Forms: Form 1 – Emergency Lighting Completion Certificate, Form 3 – Emergency Lighting Construction Declaration and Form 4 – Emergency Lighting Verification Declaration, without which it is not valid.

You should have received the declaration (Form 2) marked 'Original' and the contractor should have retained the declaration marked 'Duplicate'. **This declaration is a valuable document and should be accompanied by the original Forms 1, 3 and 4 and retained for future reference for the purpose of providing evidence of properly maintaining the emergency lighting installation. If you were the person ordering the work, but not the user of the installation, you should pass Forms 1, 2, 3 and 4 immediately to the Responsible Person or Competent Person (England and Wales), Employer or Other Persons (Scotland) or the Employer or Nominated Employee (Northern Ireland) for the premises.**

This declaration is intended to be issued for a new emergency lighting installation or new work associated with an alteration or addition to an existing emergency lighting installation. It may also be used to verify that an existing installation (installed to a previous edition of the standard) complies with the current standard (as detailed in the next paragraph). It should not have been issued for the purpose of inspection and testing of an existing emergency lighting installation. An Emergency Lighting Periodic Inspection and Testing Certificate should be issued for such a periodic inspection.

This declaration has been issued by the organization responsible for the Design of the emergency lighting installations, to confirm that it has been designed in accordance with the relevant recommendations given in BS 5266 *Emergency Lighting Part 1: 2005 Code of practice for the emergency lighting of premises*, BS EN 1838: 1999 / BS 5266-7: 1999 *Lighting applications – Emergency lighting*, and BS EN 50172: 2004 / BS 5266-8: 2004 *Emergency escape lighting systems*.

This declaration when used for verification purposes may indicate a number of deviations, which will be recorded in section E2 (by the person detailed in section F2). Some of these deviations may be a result of the limitations of verifying the original designer's intentions.

The 'Original' Forms 1, 2, 3 and 4 should be retained in a safe place and be shown to any person inspecting or undertaking further work on the emergency lighting installation in the future. If you later vacate the premises, this declaration will demonstrate to the new **Responsible Person or Competent Person** (England and Wales), **Employer or Other Persons** (Scotland) or the **Employer or Nominated Employee** (Northern Ireland) for the premises that the design of the emergency lighting installation complied with the relevant recommendations of BS 5266 Parts 1, 7 and 8.

This Emergency Lighting Design Declaration (Form 2) provides details of the client and the emergency lighting installation, and identifies the particulars of the organization responsible for the design of the installation (or verification of an existing installation installed to a previous standard), together with the name and signature of the person issuing the design declaration.

The design declaration for the emergency lighting installation provides an assurance that the installation design complies with the relevant recommendations given in BS 5266 Parts 1, 7 and 8 (except for any deviations sanctioned by the person responsible for the design and agreed by the **Responsible Person or Competent Person** (England and Wales), **Employer or Other Persons** (Scotland) or the **Employer or Nominated Employee** (Northern Ireland) for the premises, and recorded in the appropriate section on the reverse of this page and on Form 1.

EMERGENCY LIGHTING CONSTRUCTION DECLARATION

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A3 DETAILS OF THE CLIENT		PURPOSE OF DECLARATION	
Client/Address	Postcode	Verification of existing installation	<input type="checkbox"/>
The installation is		New	<input type="checkbox"/>
		An addition	<input type="checkbox"/>
		An alteration	<input type="checkbox"/>

B3 DETAILS OF THE EMERGENCY LIGHTING INSTALLATION	
Address	Postcode
Extent of the installation covered by this declaration	

C3 DETAILS OF THE ORGANIZATION RESPONSIBLE FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE EMERGENCY LIGHTING INSTALLATION

Organization	
Address	
	Postcode

D3 CONSTRUCTION CONFORMITY DECLARATION

* If 'No', record the deviation in Section E3.

BS 5266-1 clause reference	Requirements	System conforms (indicate with a tick) ✓		
		Yes	No*	N/A
6.3	C1- The system installed conforms to an agreed design			
7.2	C2- All non-maintained luminaires fed and controlled by the final circuit supply of the local normal mains lighting			
7.5	C3- Luminaires mounted at least 2 m above floor			
7.5	C4- Luminaires mounted at a suitable height to avoid being located in smoke reservoirs or other likely area of smoke accumulation			
6.6	C5- Fire safety signs in accordance with BS 5499-4 and -5, clearly visible and adequately illuminated			
9.2	C6- The wiring of central power systems has adequate fire protection and is appropriately sized			
9.3.5	C7- Output voltage range of central power system is compatible with the supply voltage range of the luminaires taking into account supply cable voltage drop			
7.9	No glow starters in any emergency lighting circuits (see BS EN 60598-2-22)			
9.2.12	C9- All plugs and sockets protected against unauthorized use			
9.3.3	C10- The system has suitable and appropriate testing facilities for the specific site			
12.1	C11- The equipment manufacturers' installation and commissioning procedures satisfactorily completed			
9.1	C12- The installation conforms to BS 7671 (as amended)			

E3 DETAILS OF DEVIATIONS FROM THE CODE OF PRACTICE (BS 5266 -1: 2005)*

* Deviations MUST be sanctioned by the designer referred to in section F2 of Form 2 and agreed by the person in section C1 of Form 1

Requirement No	Details of deviation (If necessary record additional deviations on a separate referenced sheet) (see note 2)

F3 CONSTRUCTION

I/We** hereby declare that the emergency lighting installation, as described above has been CONSTRUCTED (see note 1) by **me/us**** and, to the best of **my/our**** knowledge and belief, the construction complies with the relevant recommendations given in BS 5266 Emergency Lighting Part 1: 2005 Code of practice for emergency lighting, BS EN 1838: 1999 / BS 5266-7: 1999 Lighting applications - Emergency lighting, and BS EN 50172: 2004 / BS 5266-8 Emergency escape lighting systems.

** Delete as appropriate

Signature _____ Date _____ Name (CAPITALS) _____

Notes: 1 In case of verification of an existing installation, this declaration is being issued by the person checking the relevant construction aspects.
2 Deviations to be entered additionally on the Completion Certificate (Form 1).

NOTES FOR RECIPIENT
THIS CONSTRUCTION DECLARATION IS A VALUABLE DOCUMENT AND SHOULD
BE RETAINED FOR FUTURE REFERENCE
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This declaration (Form 3) should be accompanied by Form 1 – Emergency Lighting Completion Certificate, Form 2 – Emergency Lighting Design Declaration and Form 4 – Emergency Lighting Verification Declaration, without which it is not valid.

You should have received the declaration (Form 3) marked 'Original' and the contractor should have retained the declaration marked 'Duplicate'. **This declaration is a valuable document and should be accompanied by the original Forms 1, 2 and 4 and retained for future reference for the purpose of providing evidence of properly maintaining the emergency lighting installation. If you were the person ordering the work but not the user of the installation, you should pass Forms 1, 2, 3 and 4 immediately to the Responsible Person or Competent Person (England and Wales), Employer or Other Persons (Scotland) or the Employer or Nominated Employee (Northern Ireland) for the premises.**

This declaration is intended to be issued for a new emergency lighting installation or for new work associated with an alteration or addition to an existing emergency lighting installation. It may also be used to verify that an existing installation (installed to a previous edition of the standard) complies with the current standards (as detailed in the next paragraph). It should not have been issued for the periodic inspection and testing of an existing emergency lighting installation. An Emergency Lighting Periodic Inspection and Testing Certificate should be issued for such a periodic inspection.

This declaration has been issued by the organization responsible for the construction of the emergency lighting installation, to confirm that it has been constructed in accordance with the relevant recommendations given in BS 5266 *Emergency Lighting Part 1: 2005 Code of practice for the emergency lighting of premises*, BS EN 1838: 1999 / BS 5266-7: 1999 *Lighting applications – Emergency lighting* and BS EN 1838-2: 2004 / BS 5266-8: 2004 *Emergency escape lighting systems*.

This declaration when used for verification purposes may indicate a number of deviations, which will be recorded in section E3 (by the person detailed in section F3) some of these deviations may be a result of the limitations of verifying the original designer's intentions.

The 'Original' Forms 1, 2, 3 and 4 should be retained in a safe place and be shown to any person inspecting or undertaking further work on the emergency lighting installation in the future. If you later vacate the premises, this declaration will demonstrate to the new **Responsible Person or Competent Person (England and Wales), Employer or Other Persons (Scotland) or the Employer or Nominated Employee (Northern Ireland)** for the premises that the construction of the emergency lighting installation complied with the recommendations of BS 5266 Parts 1, 7 and 8.

This Emergency Lighting Construction Declaration (Form 3) provides details of the client and, the emergency lighting installation, and identifies the particulars of the organization responsible for the construction of the installation, (or the verification of an existing installation installed to a previous standard) with the name and signature of the person issuing the construction declaration.

The construction declaration for the emergency lighting installation provides an assurance that the installation construction complies with the relevant recommendations given in BS 5266 Parts 1, 7 and 8 (except for any deviations sanctioned by the person responsible for the design and agreed by the **Responsible Person or Competent Person (England and Wales), Employer or Other Persons (Scotland) or the Employer or Nominated Employee (Northern Ireland)** for the premises, and recorded in the appropriate section on the reverse of this page and on Form 1.

EMERGENCY LIGHTING VERIFICATION DECLARATION

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A4 DETAILS OF THE CLIENT	PURPOSE OF DECLARATION
Client/ Address Postcode	Verification of existing installation <input type="checkbox"/> The installation is: New <input type="checkbox"/> An addition to an existing installation <input type="checkbox"/>
B4 DETAILS OF THE EMERGENCY LIGHTING INSTALLATION Address Postcode Extent of the installation covered by this declaration	

C4 DETAILS OF THE ORGANIZATION RESPONSIBLE FOR THE VERIFICATION OF THE EMERGENCY LIGHTING INSTALLATION
Organization Postcode Address

D4 VERIFICATION CONFORMITY DECLARATION		System conforms (indicate with a tick) ✓		
BS 5266-1 clause reference	Requirements	Yes	No*	N/A
4.2	V1- Plans available and correct			
9.3.3	V2- System has a suitable test facility for the application			
6.6	V3- All escape route safety signs and fire fighting equipment location signs visible with the normal lighting extinguished			
6.3	V4- Luminaires correctly positioned and oriented as shown on the plans			
7.9	V5- Luminaires conform to BS EN 60598-2-22			
7.9	V6- Luminaires have an appropriate category of protection against ingress of moisture or foreign bodies for their location as specified in the installation design			
10.1	V7- Luminaires tested and found to operate for their full rated duration			
Clause 6	V8- Under test conditions adequate illumination provided for safe movement on the escape route and the open area <i>NOTE: This can be checked by visual inspection, checking that the illumination from the luminaires is not obscured and that minimum design spacings have been met.</i>			
13.4	V9- After test the signalling indicators operate correctly			
9.2	V10- Fire protection of the wiring system satisfactory			
9.2.5	V11- Emergency circuits correctly segregated from other circuits			
11.6	V12- Operation and maintenance instructions together with a suitable log book showing a satisfactory commissioning test provided for retention and use by the building occupier			
12.3	V13- Building occupier and their staff trained on suitable maintenance, testing and operating procedures, a suitable maintenance contract agreed			
Additional requirements for verification of an existing installation				
Clause 6	V14- Test records in the log book complete and satisfactory			
Clause 13	V15- Luminaires clean and undamaged with lamps in good condition			
6.3	V16- Original design still valid <i>Note: If the original design is not available, this should be recorded as a deviation.</i>			

E4 TEST INSTRUMENTS USED <small>Where verification requirement V8 is carried out by measurement, details of instruments MUST be recorded.</small>			
Instrument 1 (Light meter) Model	Serial No.	Instrument 2 (if any) Model	Serial No.

F4 DETAILS OF DEVIATIONS FROM THE CODE OF PRACTICE (BS 5266 -1: 2005)*		* Deviations MUST be sanctioned by the designer referred to in section F2 of Form 2 and agreed by the person in section C1 of Form 1
Requirement No	Details of deviation (If necessary record additional deviations on a separate referenced sheet)(see note 2)	

G4 VERIFICATION	
I/We** hereby declare that the emergency lighting installation, as described above has been VERIFIED (see note 1) by me/us** and, to the best of my/our** knowledge and belief, the installation complies with the relevant recommendations given in BS 5266 Emergency Lighting Part 1: 2005 Code of practice for emergency lighting, BS EN 1838: 1999 / BS 5266-7: 1999 Lighting applications - Emergency lighting, and BS EN 50172: 2004 / BS 5266-8 Emergency escape lighting systems.	Signature Date Name (CAPITALS)

Notes: 1 In case of re-verification of an existing installation, this declaration is being issued by the person re-verifying the relevant verification aspects of the system.
 2 Deviations to be entered additionally on the Completion Certificate (Form 1). Form 4 of 4

Original (To the person ordering the work)

NOTES FOR RECIPIENT
THIS VERIFICATION DECLARATION IS A VALUABLE DOCUMENT AND SHOULD BE
RETAINED FOR FUTURE REFERENCE

This declaration (Form 4) should be accompanied by Form 1 – Emergency Lighting Completion Certificate, Form 2 – Emergency Lighting Design Declaration and Form 3 – Emergency Lighting Construction Declaration, without which it is not valid.

You should have received the declaration (Form 4) marked 'Original' and the contractor should have retained the declaration marked 'Duplicate'. **This declaration is a valuable document and should be accompanied by the original Forms 1, 2 and 3 and retained for future reference for the purpose of providing evidence of properly maintaining the emergency lighting installation. If you were the person ordering the work, but not the user of the installation, you should pass Forms 1, 2, 3 and 4 immediately to the Responsible Person or Competent Person (England and Wales), Employer or Other Persons (Scotland) or the Employer or Nominated Employee (Northern Ireland) for the premises.**

This declaration is intended to be issued only for a new emergency lighting installation or for new work associated with an alteration or addition to an existing emergency lighting installation. It may also be issued to verify that an existing installation (installed to a previous edition of the standard) complies with the current standards (as detailed in the next paragraph). It should not have been issued for the periodic inspection and testing of an existing emergency lighting installation. An Emergency Lighting Periodic Inspection and Testing Certificate should be issued for such a periodic inspection.

This declaration has been issued by the organization responsible for the verification of the emergency lighting installation to confirm that it has been verified in accordance with the relevant recommendations given in BS 5266 *Emergency Lighting Part 1: 2005 Code of practice for the emergency lighting of premises*, BS EN 1838: 1999 / BS 5266-7: 1999 *Lighting applications - Emergency lighting*, and BS EN 50172: 2004 / BS 5266-8: 2004 *Emergency escape lighting systems*.

This declaration when used for verification purposes (in the case of an existing installation installed to previous standards) may indicate a number of deviations which will be recorded in section F4 (by the person detailed in section G4). Some of these deviations may be a result of the limitations of verifying the original designer's intentions.

The 'Original' Forms 1, 2, 3 and 4 should be retained in a safe place and be shown to any person inspecting or undertaking further work on the emergency lighting installation in the future. If you later vacate the premises, this declaration will demonstrate to the new **Responsible Person or Competent Person (England and Wales), Employer or Other Persons (Scotland) or the Employer or Nominated Employee (Northern Ireland)** for the premises, that the verification of the emergency lighting installation complied with the recommendations of BS 5266 Parts 1, 7 and 8.

This Emergency Lighting Verification Declaration (Form 4) provides details of the client and the emergency lighting installation, and identifies the particulars of the organization responsible for the verification of the system, (or the verification of an existing installation installed to a previous standard) with the name and signature of the person issuing the verification declaration.

The verification declaration for the emergency lighting installation provides an assurance that the installation complies with the relevant recommendations given in BS 5266 Parts 1, 7 and 8 (except for any deviations sanctioned by the person responsible for the design, and agreed by the **Responsible Person or Competent Person (England and Wales), Employer or Other Persons (Scotland) or the Employer or Nominated Employee (Northern Ireland)** for the premises, and recorded in the appropriate section on the reverse of this page and on Form 1.