

METHOD STATEMENT

- 1. Rake out or cut slots into horizontal mortar joint to specified depth and at required vertical spacing.
- 2. Vacuum out the slots and thoroughly flush with water.
- 3. Using the grout gun insert a bead of Bond Flex cementitious grout into the back of the slot.
- 4. Push the Bar Flex into the grout to obtain good coverage.
- 5. Insert a bead of Bond Flex cementitious grout over the exposed rod and iron into the slot using the finger trowel.
- 6. Point up or fill the joint and leave ready for any decoration.

Guidance Notes: Unless specified otherwise the following criteria are to be used.

- a. Depth of slot to be 25 to 35mm.
- b. Normal vertical spacing is 450 mm (6 brick courses).
- c. Bar Flex to extend a minimum of 500 mm each side of the crack.
- d. Where a crack is within 300 mm of the end of a wall the Bar Flex is to be continue for at least 500 mm around the corner and be fixed into the adjoining wall.