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DESIGN SOFTWARE IS AVAILABLE ON REQUEST FROM THE MANUFACTURER

## TYPICAL FREESTONE ECO RETAINING WALL. SYSTEM GRAVITY NO-FINES CONCRETE WALL SECTION LEVEL

GENERAL NOTES:

1. REFER TO "ISLAND BLOCK & PAVING" FREESTONE ECO BLOCK GRAVITY RETAINING WALL SPECIFICATIONS FOR MAXIMUM WALL HEIGHT AND CONSTRUCTION DETAILS.

- NO FINES CONCRETE SPECIFICATION: 1. AGGREGATE TO GP CEMENT RATIO TO BE 6:1 BY VOLUME
- 2. CONCRETE SLUMP TO BE LOW (APPROX 200mm) NO FINES CONCRETE TO BE WETTED TO SATURATION POINT 3. COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH TO BE GREATER THAN 10MPa
- 4. CONCRETE BULK DENSITY TO BE NOT LESS THAN 1800 kg/m3
- 5. COREFILL BLOCKS WITH NO FINES CONCRETE PRIOR TO BACKFILLING.
- 6. BLOCKS SHOULD BE WETTED PRIOR TO COREFILLING.
- 7. BLOCKS SHOULD BE BACKFILLED WITH NO FINES CONCRETE EVERY 2 COURSES AND ALLOWED TO CURE PRIOR TO BACKFILLING OF NEXT COURSING.
- 8. AT LEAST 25% OF FREESTONE BLOCK LUGS MUST BE REMOVED FROM REAR OF BLOCKS PRIOR TO BACKFILLING.

POSITIONED AS CLOSE AS PRACTICAL TO WALL, ALLOWING FOR FALL.