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By Email

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Dear Ms Williams,

### **Your request under the Freedom of Information Act.**

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### **Request**

I am told that a detailed engineering report was prepared with respect to the works being undertaken there this month by Cormac and that this contains the relevant detailed assessments/calculations and drawings etc of the current safety levels of both the road surface slab and the pavement slab ( which sits over the upper level seating area). I would like to see this documentation please together with the details of the weight of the blocks and concrete to be used to fill in the recesses and the risk assessment / calculations of the effect of such added weights to the overall structure.

### **Response**

Please find attached a report detailing the condition, assessment and design options for works at South Quay Shelters in Newquay as detailed in your Freedom of Information Request above.

In consideration of the implications of undertaking strengthening and replacement works considered in the report it was decided that the road closure required for the works would have a detrimental impact on businesses in the harbour which Cormac wanted to avoid. We have instead developed a solution, in discussion with the Cornwall Council Client, that address the main structural concerns and avoids disruption of the access to the harbour. The infilling option that is to be undertaken was also the cheapest of the options considered and was favoured by the Council.

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Yours sincerely

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