

REGISTRATION, HOW PREPARED ARE YOU?

Are you prepared to apply for your registration with the VBA?

Ask yourself these 5 questions.

Does the idea of collating all the information required for your registration make you a bit concerned?

How do you think you'd manage this?

How are you going to prepare for this?

Does the idea of going into a room full of computers and having to answer questions quickly, make you a bit anxious?

How do you think you'd manage this?

How are you going to prepare yourself for this?

Have you done this recently? How do you know how you'd go, especially when you're nervous?

How do you think you'd go at the VBA exam, when they give you a plan and you have to:

Draw in the roof line

Calculate and annotate the bracing units required

Calculate and annotate the waterproofing needed for a hob bath

Calculate and annotate the footings, lintels and jab studs

Are you often/have you ever been in a situation where you have to sit directly opposite someone for 4 hours, answering their questions?

How do you think you'd manage this?

How are you going to prepare yourself for this?

The face to face exam includes a section where you have to answer rapid-fire questions from the assessor, about all topics like contracts, building permits and the NCC.

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How are you going to prepare yourself for this?

If you are concerned with any of these steps or have any further questions, the registration team can be reached on 03 9411 4555 or registration@mbav.com.au

We have compiled some sample questions for you to test your knowledge

(These are a mixture of computer-based test questions and interview questions)

Technical:

List the steps for the site setup

What is the RL? How would you calculate it?

Calculate and show on the plan the number of bracing units that are required

Can you put ceiling grade insulation for walls? Why or why not?

How do you dispose the water behind the retaining wall?

What is the maximum number of the stairs in the double story house that you have to put the landing?

What is the minimum height of the swimming pool fence?

Can you calculate the require linters and jamb studs needed for a home?

Legislation:

What are prime costs and provisional sums? Name an example

What is BAS and how often do you submit?

What documents do you need to submit to apply for a building permit?

When you do you need to have an OHS coordination plan on site?

What is a SWMS and when you do you need one?

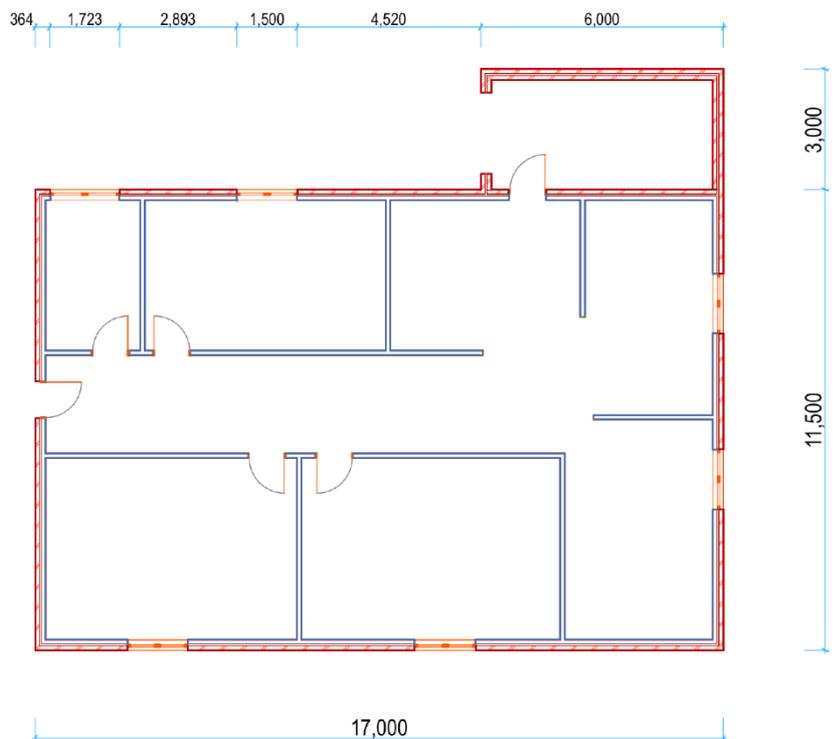
When can a homeowner claim on their Domestic Builder Insurance policy?

Sample technical exercise

Calculate and annotate the bracing units required.

Reference the AS1684.4

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