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Attn. : Mr. I. Smith.

Ref. Underwater Inspection of the Rapid Bay Jetty piles.

Dear Ian,

The following points were noted during our inspection program at Rapid Bay:

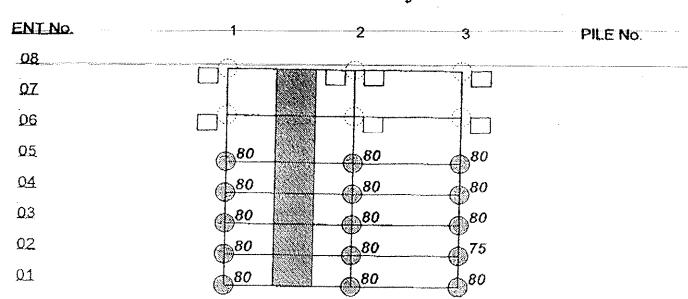
- There was extensive Toredo Worm infestation throughout the timber piled section of the jetty.
- The timber piles had been previously encased in concrete to approximately the low water line.
- This concrete encasement has failed on the majority of piles, as indicated on the accompanying pile % diagram.
- Inspection percentages were of the timber left exposed on each pile.
- The piles in position 4 of the diagram are batter piles.
- The deck had been removed between piles 1 & 2 along the length of the jetty as inspected, with the
 exception of the area between Bents 37 & 39 which has been left as an elevated platform.

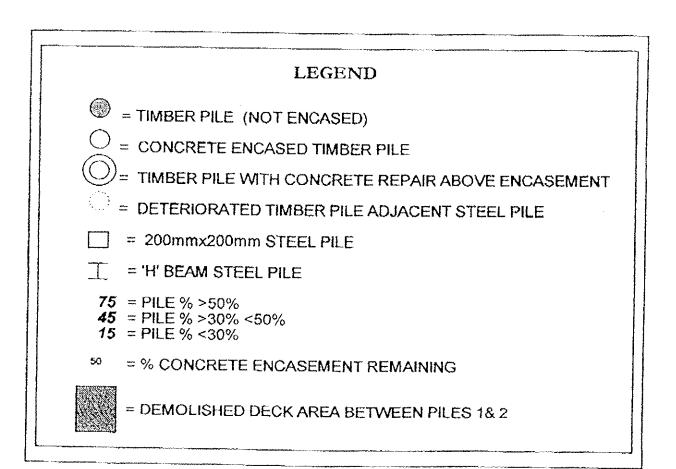
Yours faithfully,

Jim Blair

Manager, Diving and Construction.

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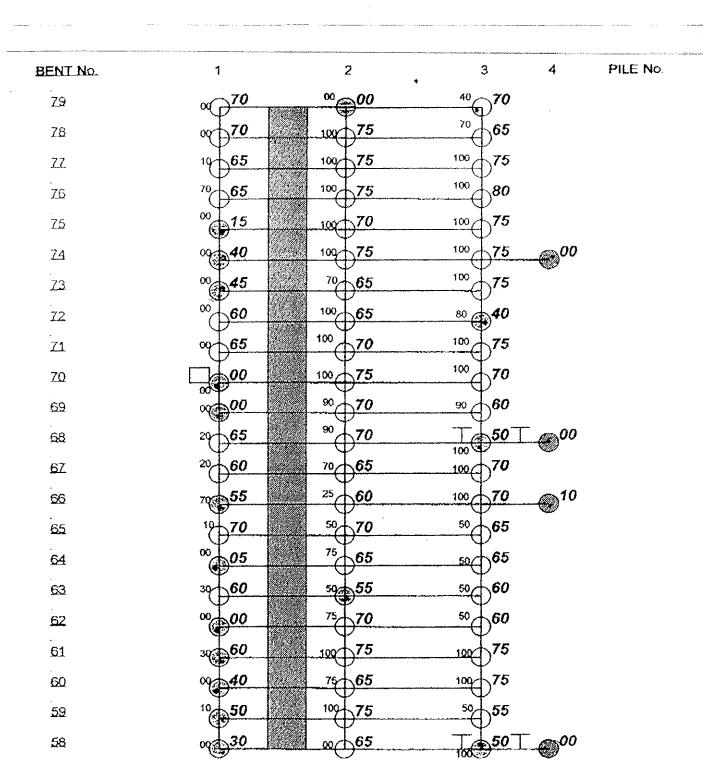
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