

# FAR 4709-C1 ISSUE 3

## Technical Opinion Summary



This is to certify that the specimen described below has been examined by BRANZ on behalf of the sponsor.

### Sponsor

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**Reference BRANZ Reports** FAR 4709 Issue 3

**Referenced Standard** AS 1530.4-2005 and 2014

**Specimen Name:** Inspection Hatch FSC 300

**Specimen Description:** Steel framed inspection hatch up to 300 mm x 300 mm

**Orientation:** From the underside only

### The assessed results were as follows

It is considered that the Hatch FSC 300 would maintain the stated FRR if installed in the following GIB® fire rated floor/ceiling systems if tested in accordance with AS 1530.4-2005 or AS 1530.4:2014 subject to the following conditions:

FRR	System
60/60/60	GBFC 60, GBCJ 60, GBSC 60a, GBUC 60, GBDFA 60b, GBDFA 60d, GBDFA 60e, GBSCA 60a and GBSJA 60
45/45/45	GBFC 45*, GBCJ 45*, GBSCA 45 and GBSJA 45
30/30/30	GBSJ 30*, GBCJ 30*, GBSC 30*, GBUC 30, GBFC 30*, GBDFA 30a and GBDFA 30d*
15/15/15	GBFC 15* and GBUC 15

\* The inspection panels must be independently supported from the plasterboard.

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