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CCN – The Latest Updates, News and Alerts on Combustible Cladding (Breaking News)

COMBUSTIBLE CLADDING STILL A MAJOR CRISIS AFTER COVID-19

NEWSMAKERS: * CAPAX LEGAL™ * CladdingTest * Class Action * Coronavirus * CSV * EXOVA * ExcelPlas * Jesmonite * NSW Govt. * PD Remedial * VIC Govt

Grenfell Tower inquiry: Ex Warrington Exova Fire Engineer Unaware Combustible Cladding Would Pose 'Issues' (Breaking News)

<https://www.bbc.com/news/uk-53305733>

Cladding Safety Victoria Announces Industry Webinar on Combustible Cladding Rectification (July 10) (Breaking News)

<https://www.mbav.com.au/sites/default/files/Cladding%20Safety-20Victoria-20-%20Flyer.pdf>

Coronavirus (COVID-19) and Cladding Safety: Important Information from Cladding Safety Victoria (CSV)

<https://www.vic.gov.au/coronavirus-cladding-safety-important-information>

New Tender for CSV Cladding Rectification – 290 Hawthorn Road, Caulfield VIC (Closing July 15)

<https://app.estimateone.com/s/total-vic/stage/221637>

Australia's Building Industry: Crisis and Solutions with Combustible Cladding (July 31 at 11.30AM)

Continuing Professional Development Course Presented by Mark Zangari (Equitone)

Learning Outcomes:

- Develop an understanding of flammable cladding and the NCC requirements that deem a material non-combustible
- Learn the main causes of cracking and deterioration of cladding materials

<https://www.inhousegroup3.com.au/events/australias-building-industry-crisis-and-solutions/>

PD Remedial Removes All Combustible Cladding on Sydney's iconic Travelodge Hotel (Breaking News)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rygYR-KB0yU>

Ex Exova Fire Safety Engineer Denies Failing to Properly Scrutinise Grenfell Assessment (Breaking News)

<https://www.newschain.uk/news/fire-safety-engineer-denies-failing-properly-scrutinise-grenfell-assessment-18241>

Grenfell Inquiry Hears Cladding Posed 'No Fire Safety Issues' in 2012 (Breaking News)

<https://www.theguardian.com/uk-news/2020/jul/06/grenfell-inquiry-hears-cladding-posed-no-fire-safety-issues-in-2012>

Video of Fireproof Test of Aluminium Composite Panel/A2 Grade Fireproof/ B1 Grade Fireproof (Breaking News)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0QuKBhGkjco>

Councils in the City of Sydney, Bayside, Canada Bay, Liverpool, Willoughby, Chatswood, Hills Shire, Black town and Parramatta issued Fire-Safety Notices in Relation to Combustible Cladding

<https://capaxlegal.com.au/news/>

Jesmonite is also the Only Material in Australia to have Passed AS1530.1 and be Utilized for the Production of Non-Combustible Building Cladding

<http://hgndesign.com.au/grc-perth/>

National Fire Chiefs Council Calls for “Clear Answers on Cladding” at Grenfell Tower Inquiry

<https://www.fsmatters.com/NFCC-calls-for-clear-answers-on-cladding>

CAN BOB THE BUILDER STILL FIX IT? THE DESIGN AND BUILDING PRACTITIONERS ACT 2020 (NSW) AND IMPLICATIONS FOR INSURERS

<https://www.bnlaw.com.au/page/Insights/Insurance-Alerts/Building-Professionals-Negligence/Can-Bob-the-Builder-still-fix-it-The-Design-and-Building-Practitioners-Act-2020-NSW-and-implications-for-insurers/>

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https://www.roscon.com.au/cladding_facade_audits

Australian Essential Services Group are independent auditors and fire safety specialists operating nationwide

AESG's Combustible Cladding reports assist owners in establishing the risk profile and coverage of combustible materials, as well as providing guidance and recommendations to de-risk their building. AESG offer a range of reports to assist with insurance enquires, Council or VBA Notices/Orders and pro-active investigations.

<https://www.aesg.com.au/Services/Combustible-Cladding-Reports>

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Step-by-Step Guide For Evaluating the Combustibility Risk of Cladding

<https://www.claddingtest.com/>

Australian NATA Testing Laboratory Offers Cladding Identification and Testing Services (to determine Combustibility Risk Profile)

<http://www.excelplas.com/>

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Melbourne Testing Lab for Testing of Architectural Cladding Materials and Combustibility Risk

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