

## Q26 Special surfacing/ pavings for sport/ general amenity

### IMPACT ABSORBING SURFACINGS FOR PLAY AREAS

- 300 EXTENT OF IMPACT ABSORBING SURFACING
- General: Lay to the impact areas shown in the relevant parts of BS EN 1176.
- 301 EXTENT OF IMPACT ABSORBING SURFACING
- General: Lay impact absorbing surfacing as indicated on drawings.
- 340A RUBBER MAT AND TILE SURFACING
- Base: Topsoil and turf
  - Surface Course: Impact absorbing rubber mats and/ or tiles.
    - Standard: To BS 7188
    - Manufacturer: Soft Surfaces Ltd, 35 Water Lane, Wilmslow, SK9 5AR
    - Tel: 01625 445760, Fax: 01625 525619
    - Email: info@softsurfaces.co.uk Website: www.softsurfaces.co.uk
    - Product reference: Soft Surfaces Grass Mats / [Grass Protection Mats](#)
    - Colour: Black
    - Critical Fall Height when tested to BS EN 1177: TBC
    - Health and Safety: CHAS accredited, API accredited, CONSTRUCTIONLINE accredited
    - Substance known to be toxic or carcinogenic on skin or released as vapour or dust during normal use: Not permitted.
  - Submit:
    - Resistance to abrasive wear, slip resistance, resistance to indentation and ease of ignition: Evidence of testing to BS 7188.
    - Critical Fall Height: Evidence of testing to BS EN 1177.

### COMPLETION

- 920 PLAY SURFACE TESTING
- Standard: To BS EN 1177 and BS 1177, where applicable.
  - Testing Body: A United Kingdom Accreditation Service (UKAS) independent laboratory.
  - Timing: Within ten days of completing the surface works.
  - Test Results: Submit.
- 930 DOCUMENTATION
- General: For all types of surfacing, provide the following:
    - Name and contact details of installer.
    - Date of installation.
    - Name and contact details of manufacturer.
    - Type/ description/ reference of products used.
    - Manufacturer's recommended inspection and maintenance procedures to maintain safety and impact absorbing performance.
    - Manufacturer's recommended cleaning and maintenance methods, where relevant.
- 940 LABELLING
- Signs: Provide permanent labelling in approved locations on all types of surfacing stating:
    - [Critical Fall Height](#);
    - Date of Installation
    - Manufacturer's name and contact details; and
    - Product name.