

## CONTROL JOINTS

### Alternative Slip Joint design

#### Construction:

Control joints controlling wall movement shall be achieved by providing a bond break between blocks and mortar at the specified locations.

#### Installation:

At each control joint a thin layer of suitable polythene tape or similar shall be placed on top and at ends of each unit covering at least 75% of its width. The polythene layer must cover any cavities or frogs within the units.

Mortar shall then be placed on the horizontal bed and the end of the unit to be laid.



#### Location:

Control joints shall be located as per the Bowers Brick Spec book or as detailed on the plans.

#### Application:

This alternative control joint is suitable for all Bowers veneers.