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Producer statements show that your project complies with the the New Zealand Building Code (NZBC), as verified by a Chartered Professional Engineer (CPEng).

They are not referenced in the Building Act (2004), but have been a preferred method of establishing compliance with seismic regulations by city councils since the revision of the Building Act (1991). Because councils still require them, so do many clients and contractors.

You need to provide a producer statement if your council, client, or any relevant party has requested one. Without one, liability for a poor design is likely to be higher and more complex.

The cost of each statement depends on the complexity and associated risk of the project but indicative rates can be supplied by an experienced engineer in many cases.

There are four different statements. Which ones you need to provide will depend on your project and client.

PRODUCER STATEMENT TYPES:

PS1

A CPEng's opinion on whether or not a design is compliant with the relevant standards.

PS2

A second CPEng's review and verification of the first engineer's work.

PS3

The contractor's word that the system has been installed/built as per the PS1.

PS4

A CPEng's check that the installed/built system aligns with the PS1.



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