# Unsafe cladding and design defects: *'replace now, claim*



# later'

Appendix

LIMITATIONS FOR DESIGN DEFECTS NOT CAUSING PHYSICAL DAMAGE			
CAUSE OF ACTION		STARTING DATE	LIMITATION PERIOD
Claims in contract		From completion	6 years (contract by hand)
		From completion	12 years (contract by deed)
Claims in negligence	for patent defects	From completion	6 years
	for <i>latent</i> defect	From knowledge	3 years
Claims under the DPA 1972 (applicable to proceedings already commenced and currently ongoing)		From completion (before 28 June 2022)	30 years
		From completion (since 28 June 2022)	15 years
Claims under the CL(C)A 1978		From the trial date	2 years

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