

Bridge Approaches

Providing a Smooth Transition

A connection to a concrete barrier is also known as a transition or bridge approach system. They are required to provide continuity of protection when two different barrier systems are connected.

The function of a bridge approach system is to gradually increase the lateral stiffness of the safety barrier system and reduce the potential for vehicle pocketing.

Specifications

- Manufactured in accordance with state road agency specifications
- Hot dip galvanised components in accordance with AS/NZS 4680.

Features

- Provides continuity of protection between two barrier systems.
- Gradually increases the stiffness from a semi-rigid barrier to a rigid barrier.
- Reduces the potential for vehicle pocketing at the abutment of the rigid barrier.

