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Reference Project

Industrial Coatings

Location: Hawkins Hill Radar Dome
Wellington

Date: 1997

Client: Airways Corporation

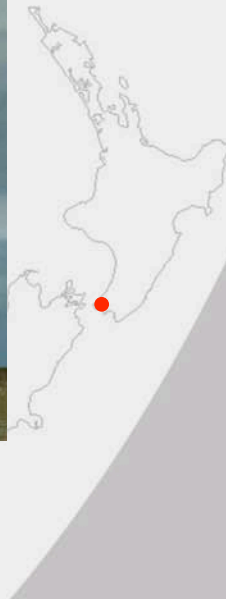
Abseil Access Ltd were chosen for the full repaint of NZ primary Radome that is positioned on top of Hawkins Hill, Wellington

The spherical surface is glass fibre reinforced resin. The existing coating is 15 years old. Two of the geodesic panels were replaced prior to painting.

Due to operational requirements all the preparation work had to be done over night between the hours of 10pm and 5am.

The 8 man team had to battle the extreme weather of the Cook Strait as well as darkness.

Polysiloxane PSX 700 was chosen as the best coating. This was supplied by Resene paints. The 2 coat application was during daylight hours with a coatings inspector present at all times.



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