SCOTTISH TYPE APPROVAL SCHEME (STAS)
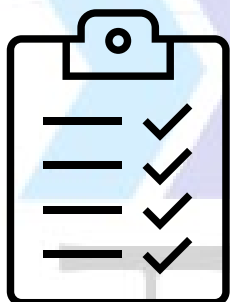*Administered by the Scottish Building Standards Hub (SBSH)*

Scottish Type Approval Scheme (STAS) provides assessments and approvals of designs of standard buildings or elements of buildings that are to be constructed in Scotland. A customer focused national approval system for domestic and non-domestic designs. STAS offers real time and financial savings in the Building Warrant approval process for both the applicant and the verifier.

If you are seeking national approval for a building type, an innovative project, or a specific building element, please refer to the general checklist below to assist with your submission.

STAS is a Local Authority Building Standards Scotland (LABSS) service which is now fully administered and assessed within the Scottish Building Standards Hub (SBSH). This provides a consistent assessment approach and a main contact throughout.

If you would like to know more about STAS and the process, please contact The Scottish Building Standards Hub – sbsh@fife.gov.uk

Further information can be found

on our webpage:

www.sbsh.scot/stas

General Checklist for Domestic STAS applications
Please note this list is not exhaustive.

- *Application Form*
- *Statement of structural adequacy*
- *Climatic conditions statement*
- *General arrangement plans for all house types- inclusive of elevations and sections*
- *Timber frame plans*
- *Structural plans*
- *Standards details including junction details for separation*
- *Standard specification*
- *Performance-based specification document (if applicable)*
- *U-value calculations, condensation risk assessments and SAP calculations*
- *Psi values*
- *Overheating risk assessment information*
- *Fire resistance performance information for relevant elements*
- *Relevant manufacturers data (tests/BBA etc)*
- *Subcontractor information such as:*
  - *Ventilation*
  - *Electrical, Fire detection, emergency lighting*
  - *Plumbing and heating*
  - *Stair details*
  - *Suppression (where applicable)*
  - *PV array*
- *Completed Annex A - Future Shower Provision Template*
- *Up to date with current Domestic Technical Handbook*
- *Details on any proposed alternative to guidance routes to compliance*