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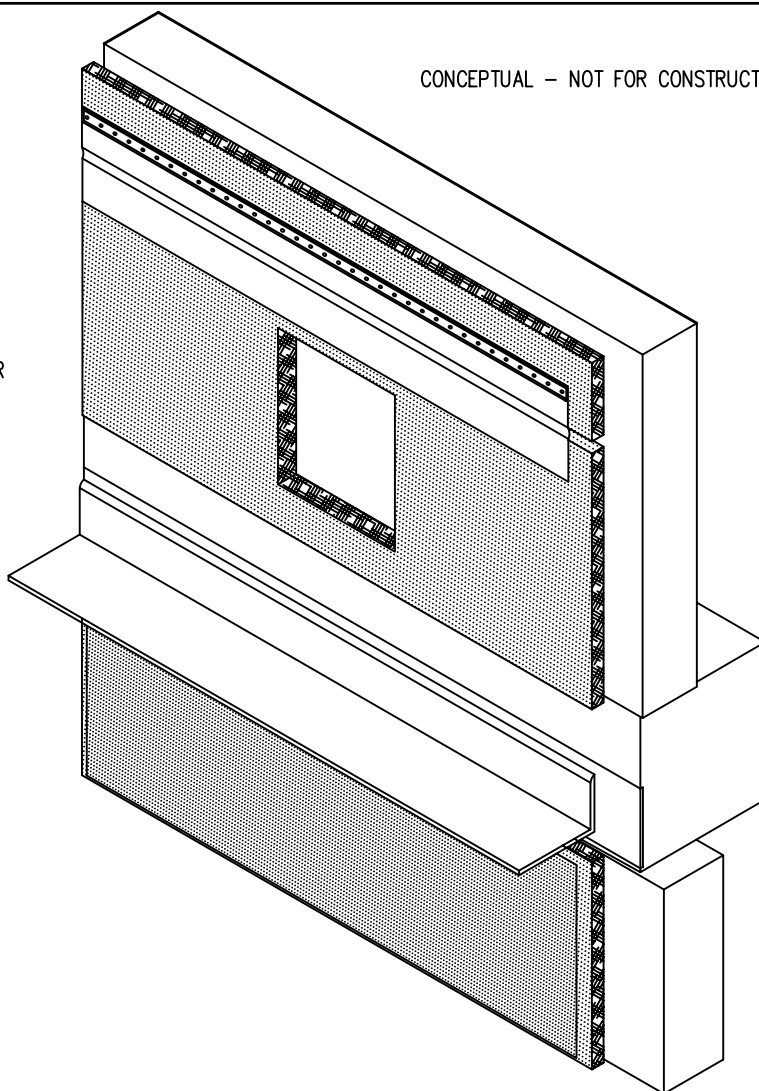
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STEP 1:  
INSTALL GLASS MAT FACED EXTERIOR SHEATHING OVER BACK-UP WALLS. INSTALL FOLLOWING ALL MANUFACTURER INSTRUCTIONS.

INSTALL HORIZONTAL JOINT SEAL (PEEL-AND-STICK MEMBRANE SHOWN) SECURE PER MANUFACTURER INSTRUCTIONS. ENSURE ALL SURFACES ARE PRIMED PRIOR TO INSTALLING HORIZONTAL JOINT SEAL. THE LOCATION OF THE JOINTS SHOWN ARE FOR INFORMATIONAL PURPOSES ONLY AND ARE INTENDED TO CONVEY EXTERIOR SHEATHING JOINT SEALING CONCEPTS. MAKE CUTOUT FOR PENETRATION. MINIMIZE SIZE OF OPENING WHILE ALLOWING FOR ADJUSTMENT OF EQUIPMENT/DUCT/ETC.

INSTALL WALL MEMBRANE PRODUCT BELOW THE RELIEVING ANGLE OR INDIVIDUAL RELIEVING CONNECTIONS. INDIVIDUAL CONNECTIONS ARE TYPICALLY USED INSTEAD OF A FULL RELIEVING ANGLE. THE WALL DRAINAGE PLANE PRODUCT SHOULD BE CARRIED BEHIND THESE CONNECTIONS AND CARRIED ABOVE THEM A MINIMUM OF 6-INCHES. SEE THE 2-DIMENSIONAL DETAILS CONTAINED WITHIN THE STONE SECTION IN THE WBDG FOR MORE INFORMATION. THE JOINT BETWEEN THE SHEATHING AND SLAB IS TO BE SEALED WITH A HORIZONTAL JOINT SEAL (SELF-ADHESIVE FLASHING) TO PROVIDE AIR BARRIER CONTINUITY AT THIS INTERFACE. DEPENDING ON THE DRAINAGE PLANE PRODUCT, THIS PRODUCT MAY BE USED TO PROVIDE FOR THE AIR BARRIER CONTINUITY AT THIS INTERFACE. A DETAIL SHOULD BE INCLUDED IN THE DRAWINGS FOR THE PROJECT SHOWING WHAT METHOD IS TO BE USED AT THIS INTERFACE TO PROVIDE AIR BARRIER CONTINUITY. THE DETAILS IN THIS SET SHOW THIS USING THE DRAINAGE PLANE PRODUCT.

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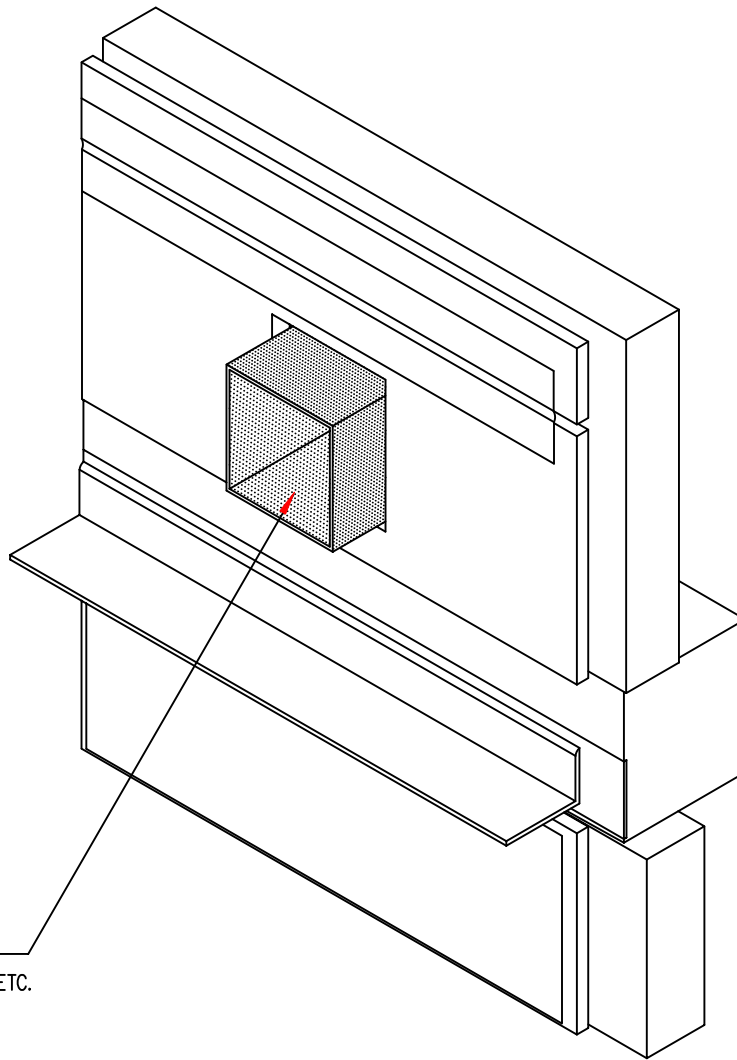
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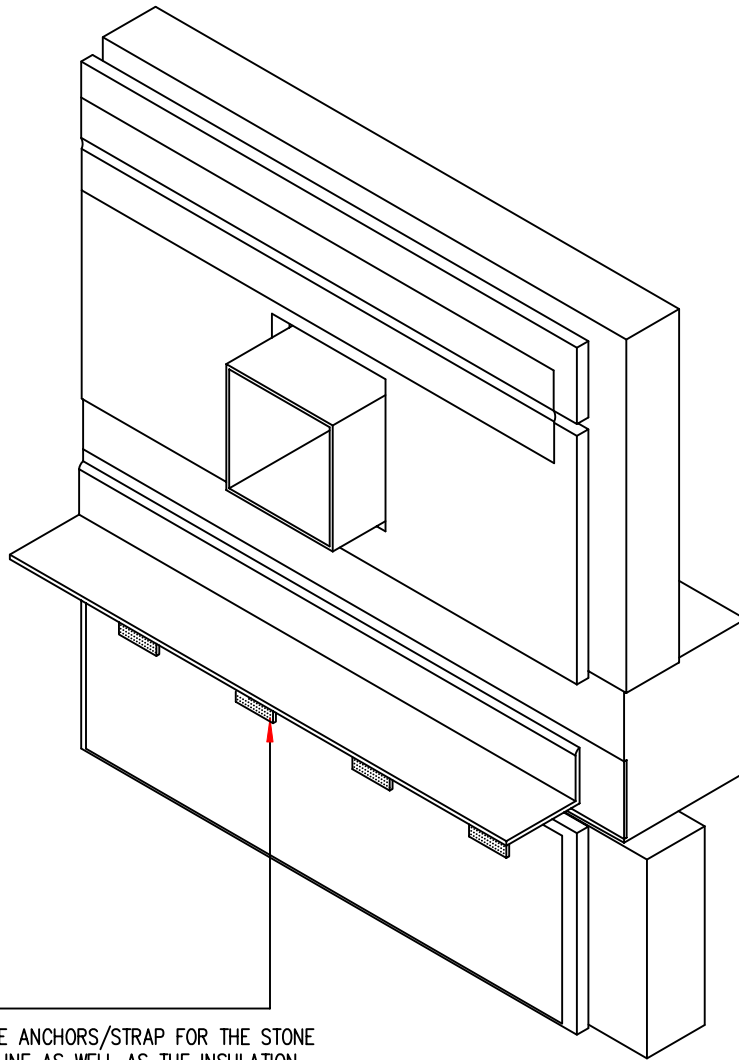
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INSTALL THE STONE ANCHORS/STRAP FOR THE STONE BELOW THE SLAB LINE AS WELL AS THE INSULATION SECUREMENT DEVICES (IMPALING PINS OR OTHER APPROVED METHOD). IF A TROWEL-APPLIED PRODUCT IS USED INSTEAD OF A WALL MEMBRANE OR SHEET PRODUCT, THE TROWEL-APPLIED PRODUCT MAY BE USED AS AN INSULATION ADHESIVE IN ADDITION TO THE MECHANICAL ADHESION METHOD SHOWN. CHECK WITH THE MANUFACTURER FOR ALL REQUIREMENTS. ALL METAL ACCESSORIES IN DIRECT CONTACT WITH NATURAL STONE VENEERS SHALL BE NON-CORROSIVE, 300 SERIES STAINLESS STEEL OR AN EQUIVALENT MATERIAL.

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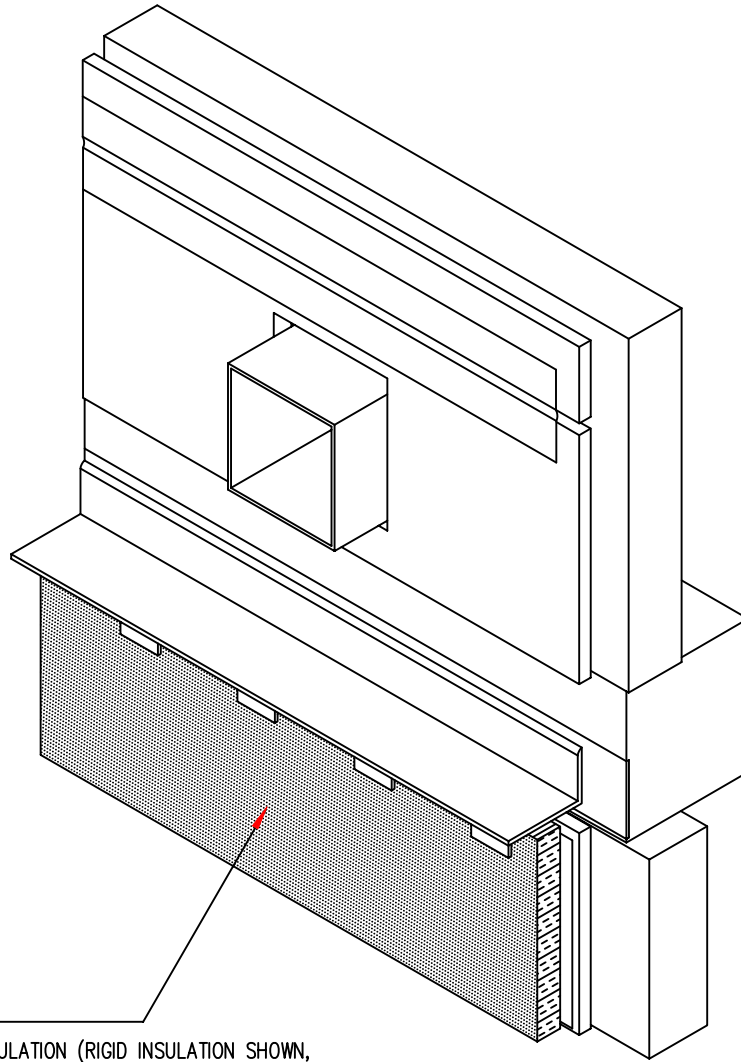
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STEP 4:  
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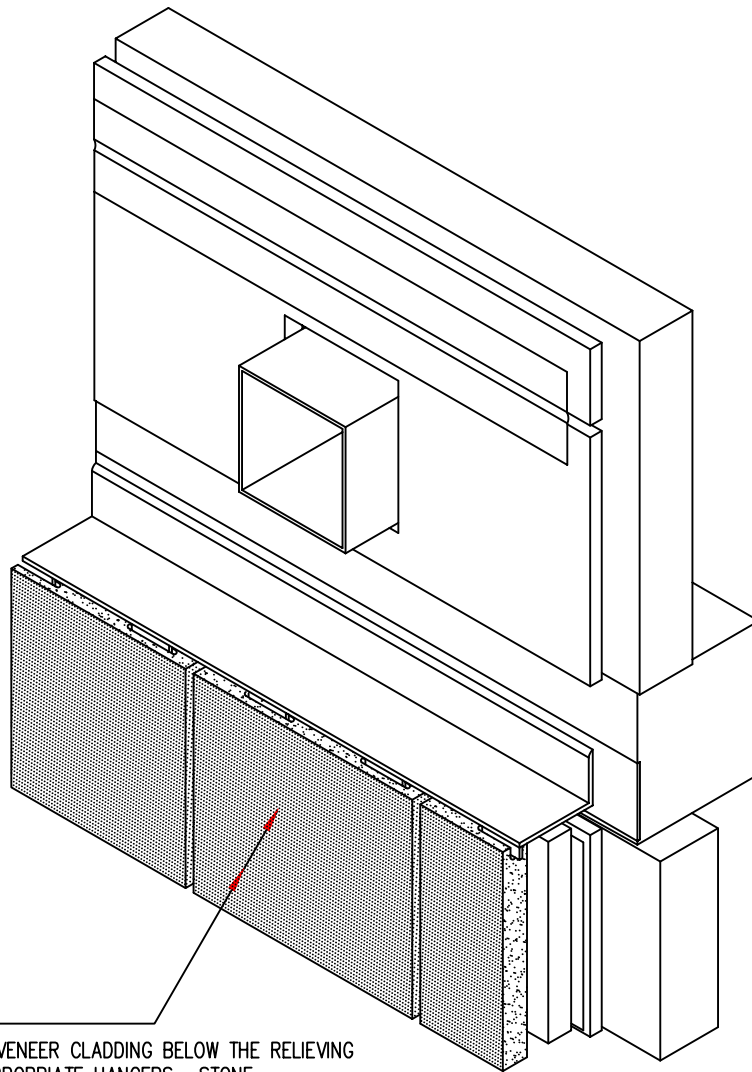
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STEP 5: INSTALL STONE VENEER CLADDING BELOW THE RELIEVING ANGLE WITH APPROPRIATE HANGERS. STONE ANCHORING ASSEMBLY TO BE DESIGNED BY A STRUCTURAL ENGINEER REGISTERED IN THE STATE WHERE THE PROJECT IS LOCATED. PROVIDE ALLOWANCE FOR THERMAL MOVEMENT OF THE STONE BOTH VERTICALLY AND HORIZONTALLY, INCLUDING SUFFICIENT GAP BETWEEN THE STONE AND THE RELIEVING ANGLE.

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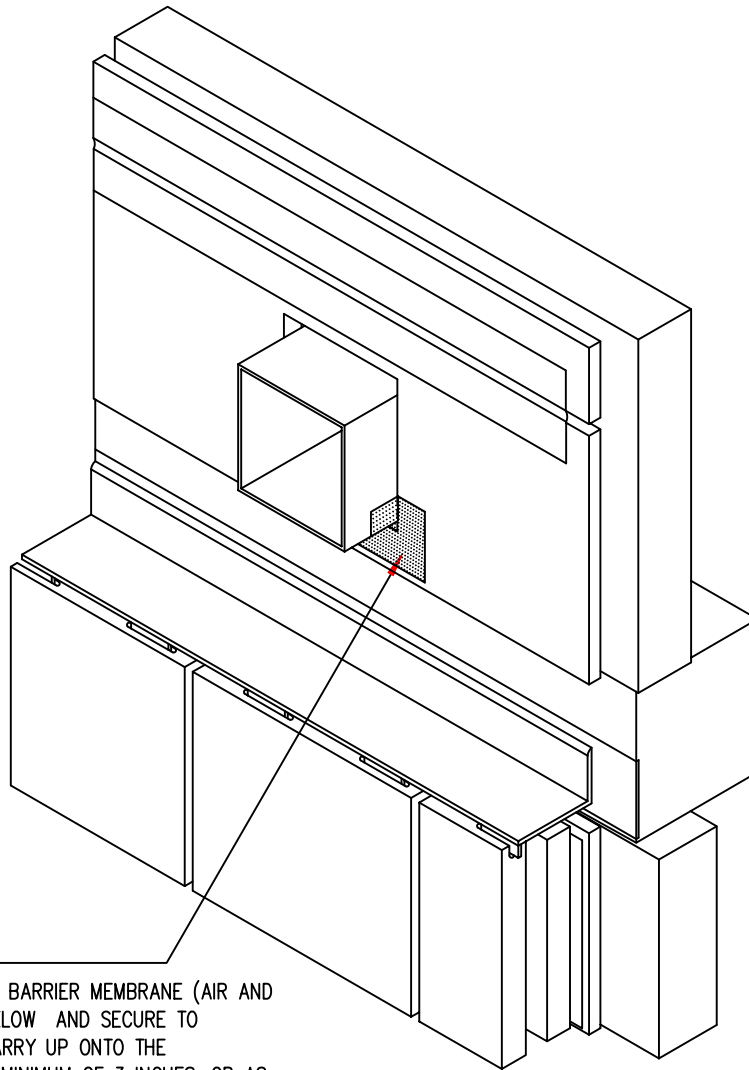
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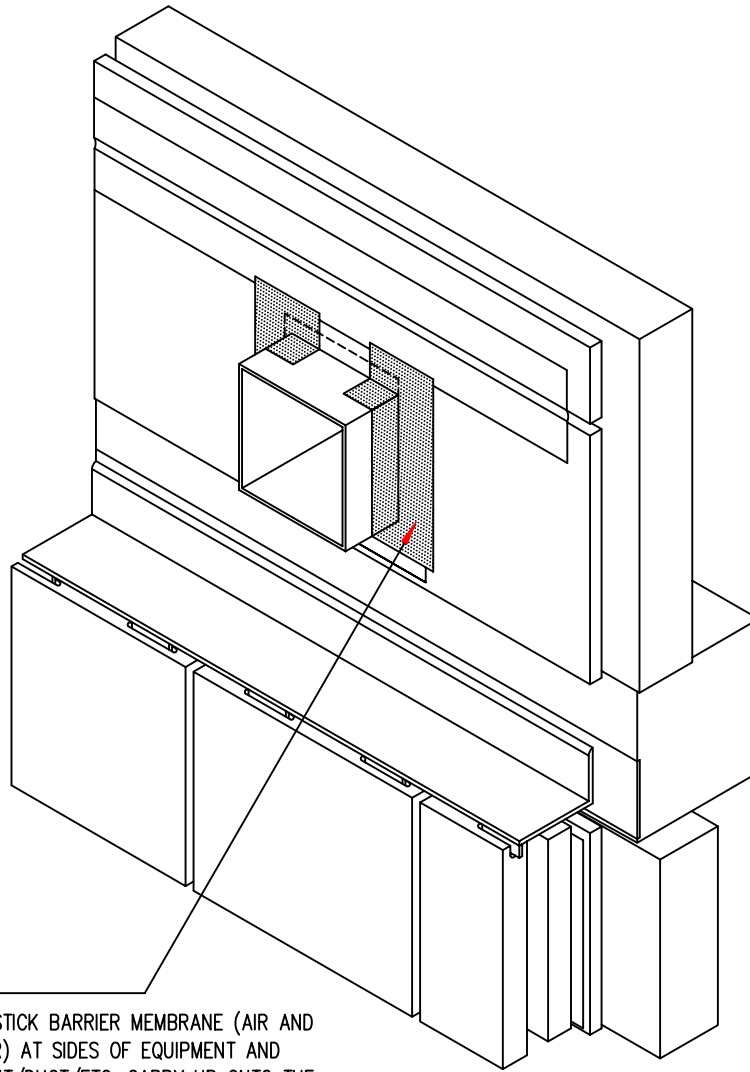
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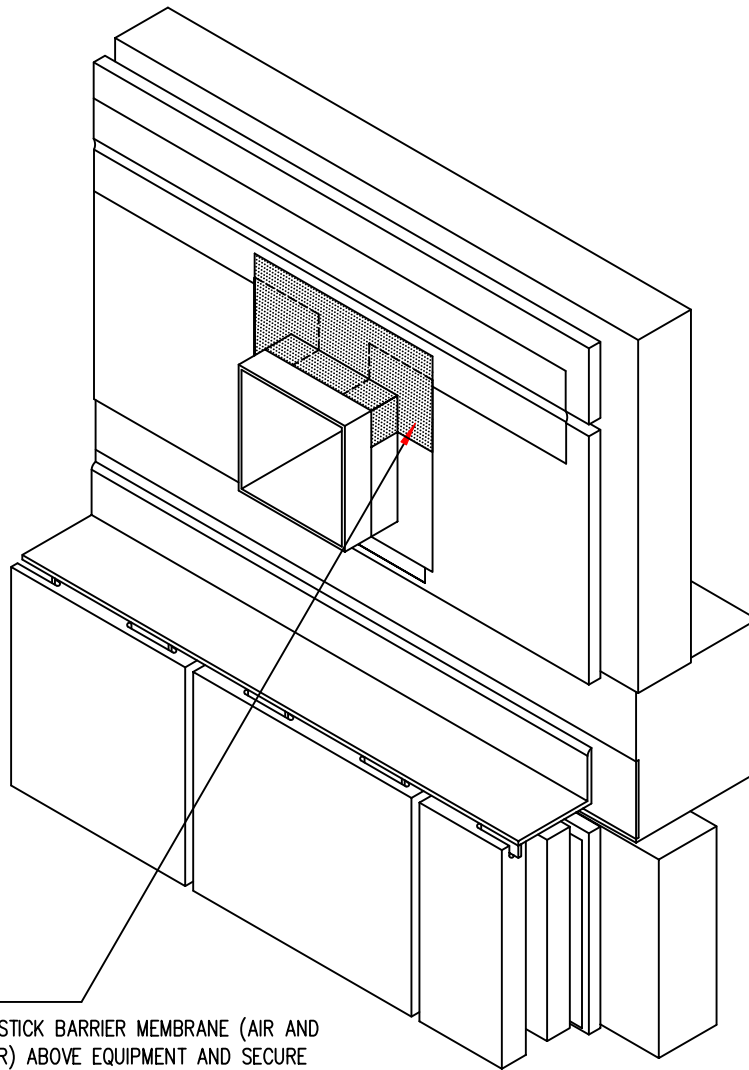
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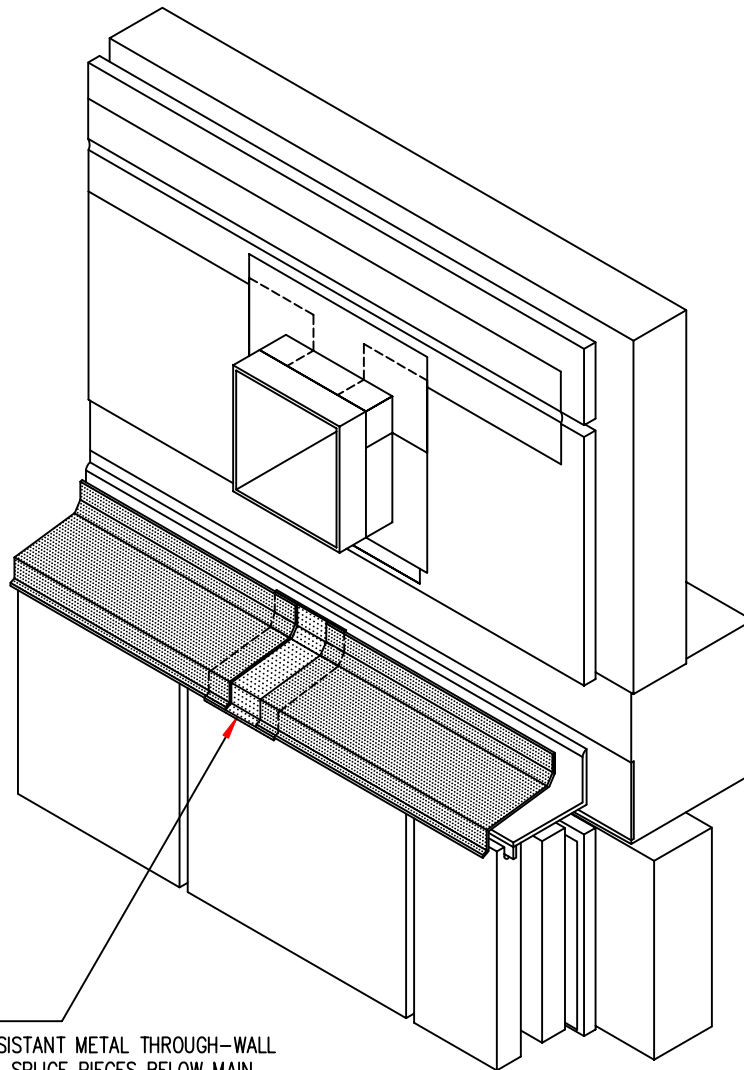
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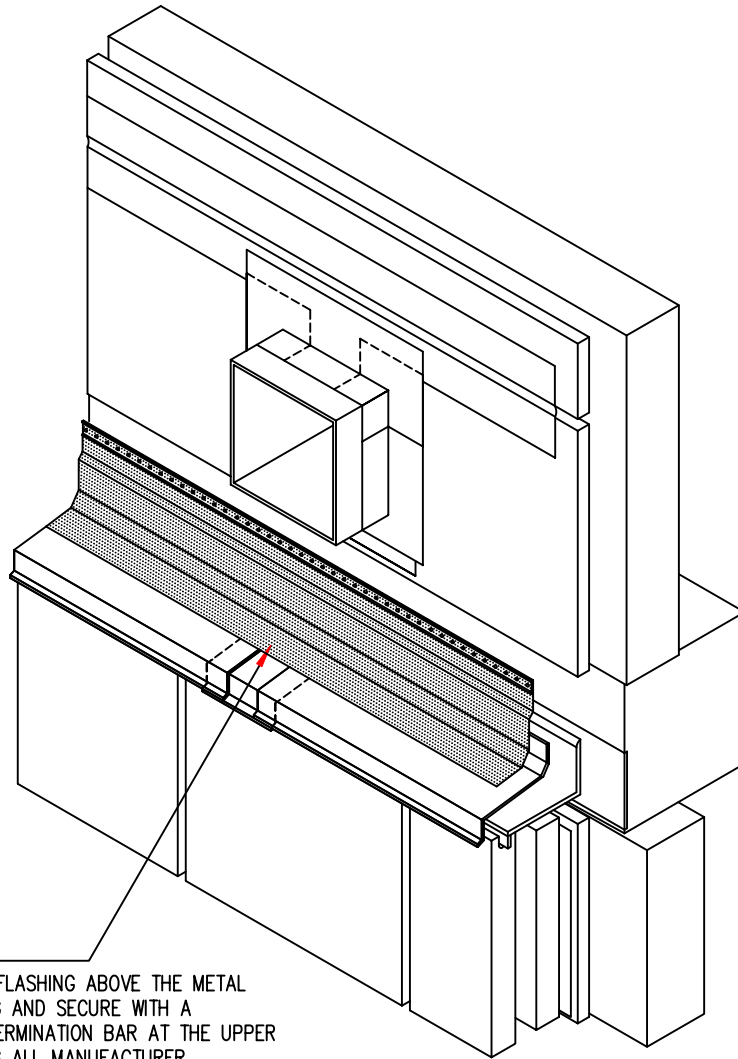
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STEP 10: \_\_\_\_\_  
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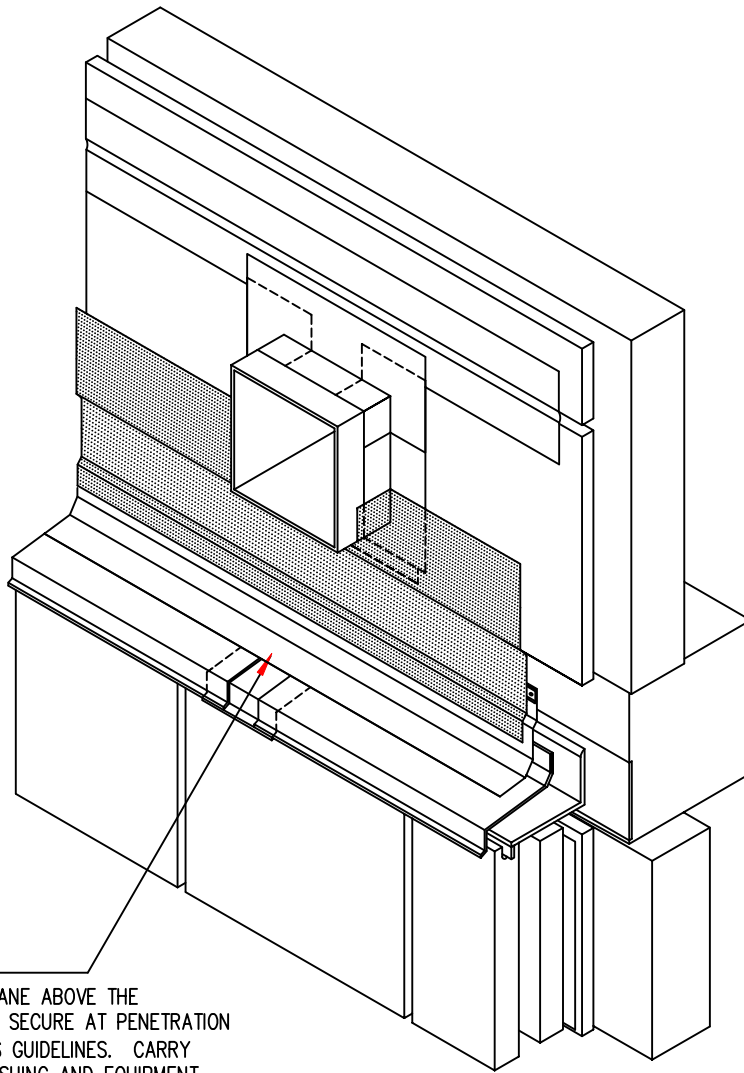
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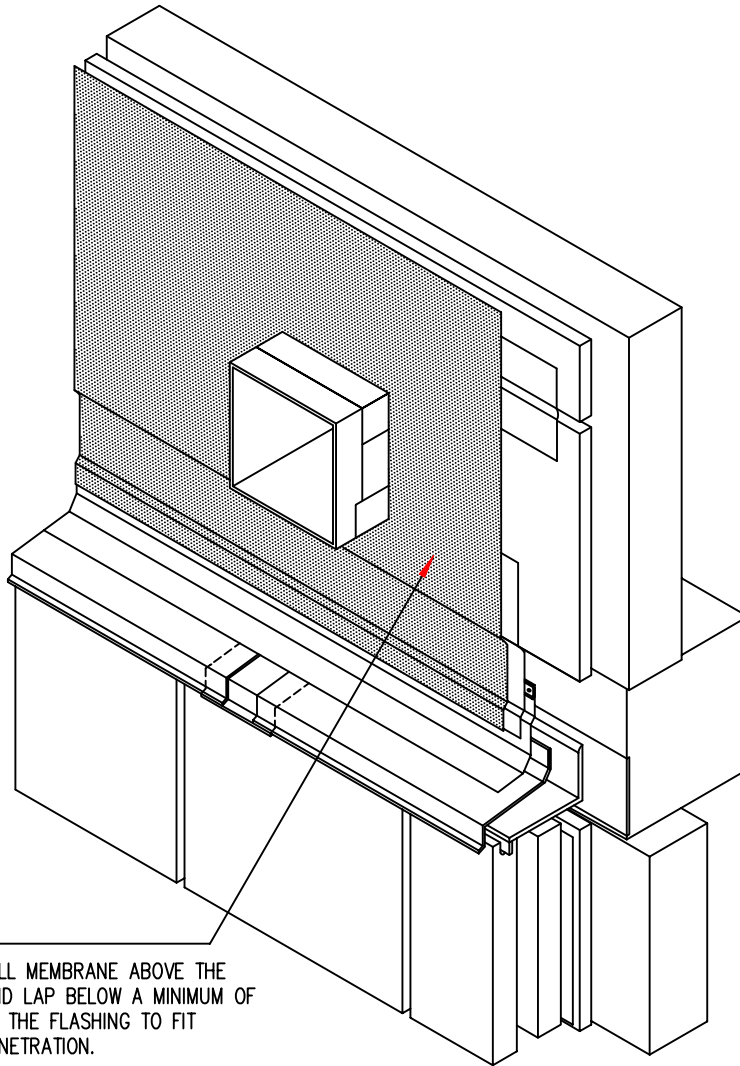
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STEP 12:  
 INSTALL THE WALL MEMBRANE ABOVE THE PENETRATION AND LAP BELOW A MINIMUM OF 3-INCHES. CUT THE FLASHING TO FIT AROUND THE PENETRATION.

NOTE: ENSURE ALL SHEATHING/CONCRETE/CMU SURFACES ARE PROPERLY PREPARED AND PRIMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE MANUFACTURER REQUIREMENTS PRIOR TO INSTALLING THE WALL DRAINAGE PLANE PRODUCT. DETAIL THE DRAINAGE PLANE PRODUCT TO PREVENT WATER INFILTRATION AT THE STONE VENEER ANCHORS AND OTHER PENETRATIONS. THE VARIOUS PRODUCTS THAT CAN BE USED FOR THE DRAINAGE PLANE MATERIAL HAVE A WIDE RANGE OF AIR AND VAPOR PERMEANCE VALUES; SEE THE TABLES AND THE GENERAL SECTION CONTAINED WITHIN THE WALL PORTION OF THE WBDG FOR MORE SPECIFIC INFORMATION WITH REGARDS TO VAPOR RETARDERS AND AIR BARRIERS.

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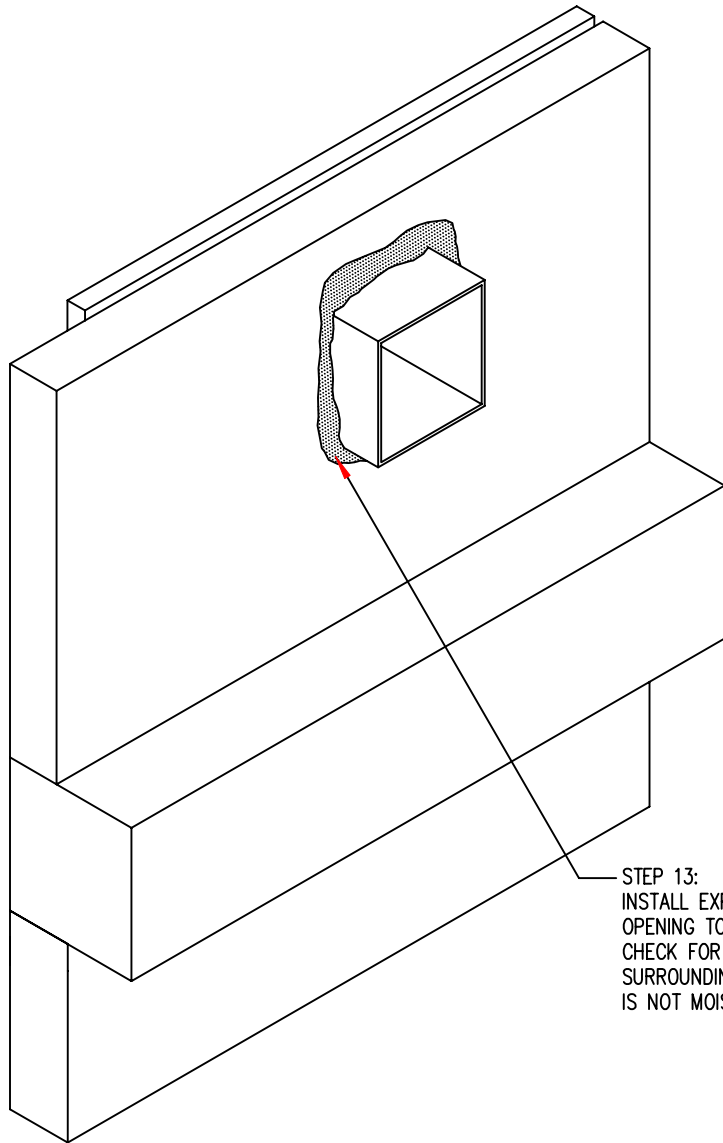
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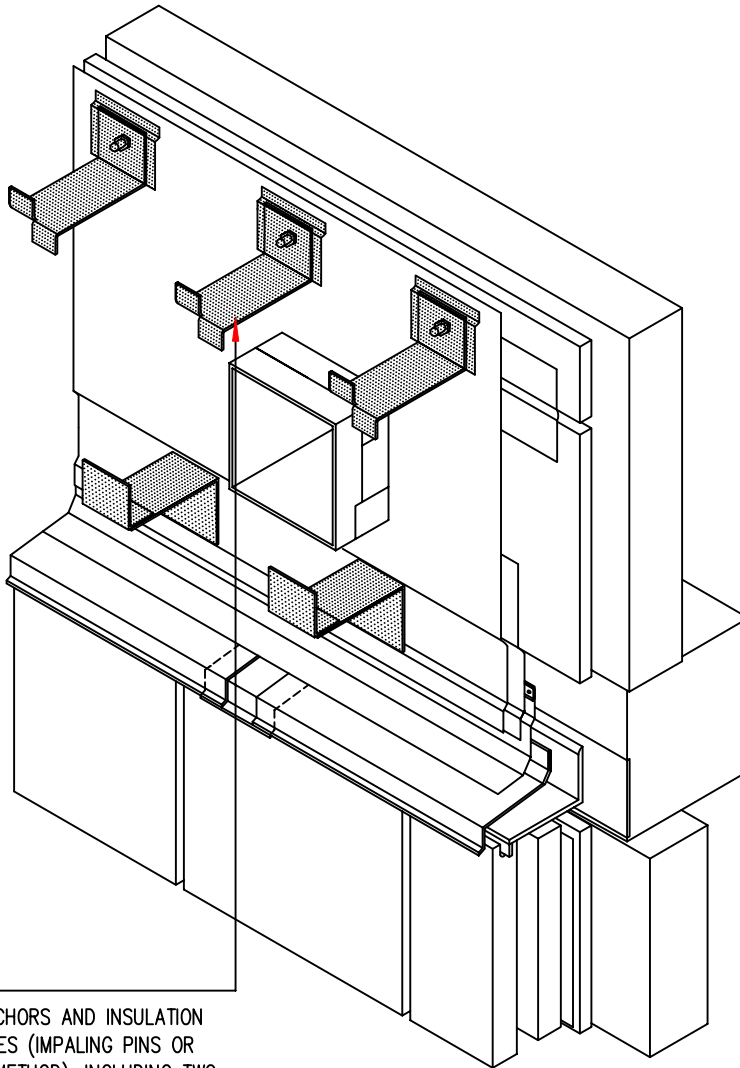
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STEP 13:  
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CHECK FOR MATERIAL COMPATIBILITY WITH  
SURROUNDING SUBSTRATES. ENSURE FOAM  
IS NOT MOISTURE SENSITIVE.

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STEP 14:  
 INSTALL STONE ANCHORS AND INSULATION  
 SECUREMENT DEVICES (IMPALING PINS OR  
 OTHER APPROVED METHOD), INCLUDING TWO  
 REVERSE ANGLES. THE UPPER ANGLE MAY  
 BE SECURED TO THE STONE FIRST. BOLTED  
 CONNECTIONS ARE TYPICALLY USED.

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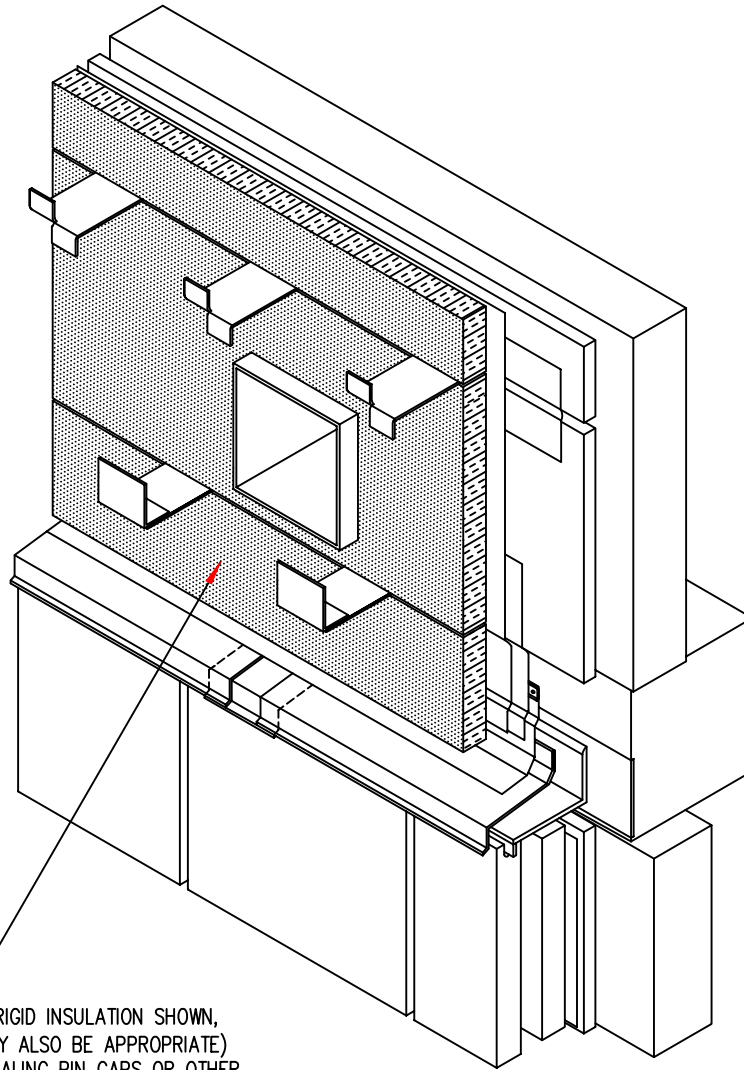
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STEP 15:  
 INSTALL THE INSULATION (RIGID INSULATION SHOWN, SEMI-RIGID INSULATION MAY ALSO BE APPROPRIATE) AND SECURE WITH THE IMPALING PIN CAPS OR OTHER APPROVED METHOD, MAKING SURE ALL SHARP ENDS ARE CUT. SOME IMPALING PIN PRODUCTS ELIMINATE THE SHARP END CONCERN. SOME FOAM-APPLIED AND OTHER INSULATION PRODUCTS MAY BE APPROPRIATE FOR USE IN THE DRAINAGE CAVITY. CHECK WITH THE MANUFACTURER TO DETERMINE THE APPROPRIATENESS OF THE PRODUCT FOR USE WITHIN THE WET ZONE OF THE ASSEMBLY. INSULATING OUTBOUND OF THE BACK-UP WALL WITH THE FULL R-VALUE OF THE WALL IS MUCH MORE THERMALLY EFFICIENT.

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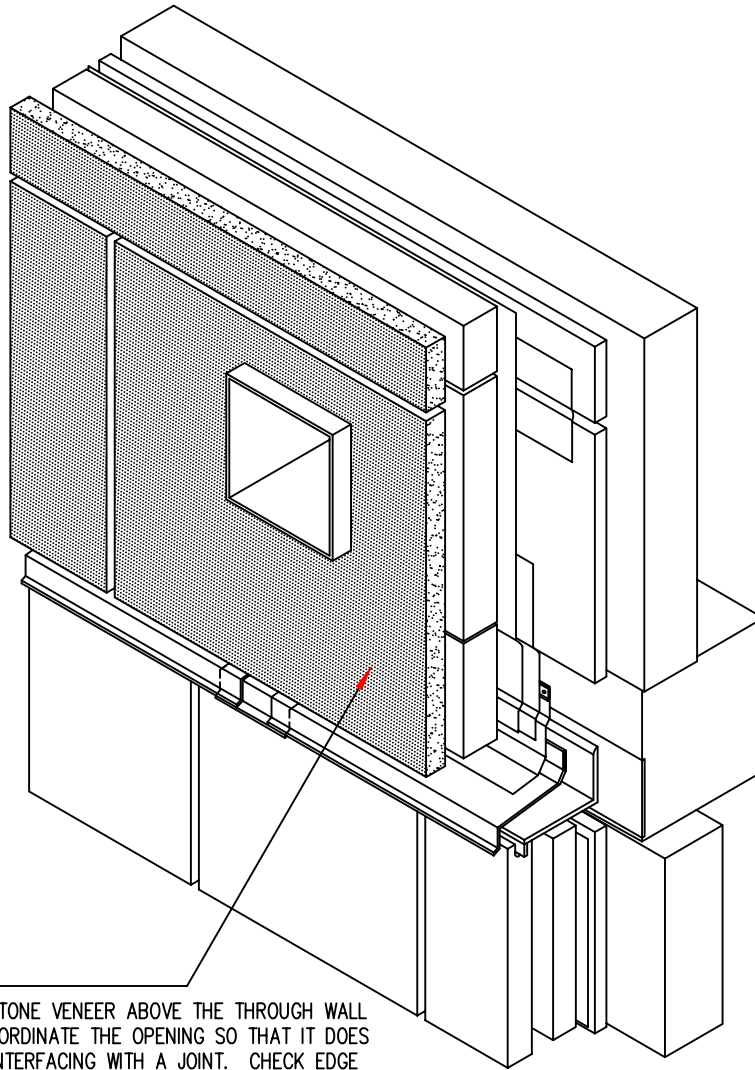
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STEP 16: INSTALL THE STONE VENEER ABOVE THE THROUGH WALL FLASHING. COORDINATE THE OPENING SO THAT IT DOES NOT END UP INTERFACING WITH A JOINT. CHECK EDGE DISTANCE ON THE STONE TO ENSURE SUFFICIENT MATERIAL REMAINS. PROVIDE ALLOWANCE FOR THERMAL MOVEMENT OF THE STONE BOTH VERTICALLY AND HORIZONTALLY.

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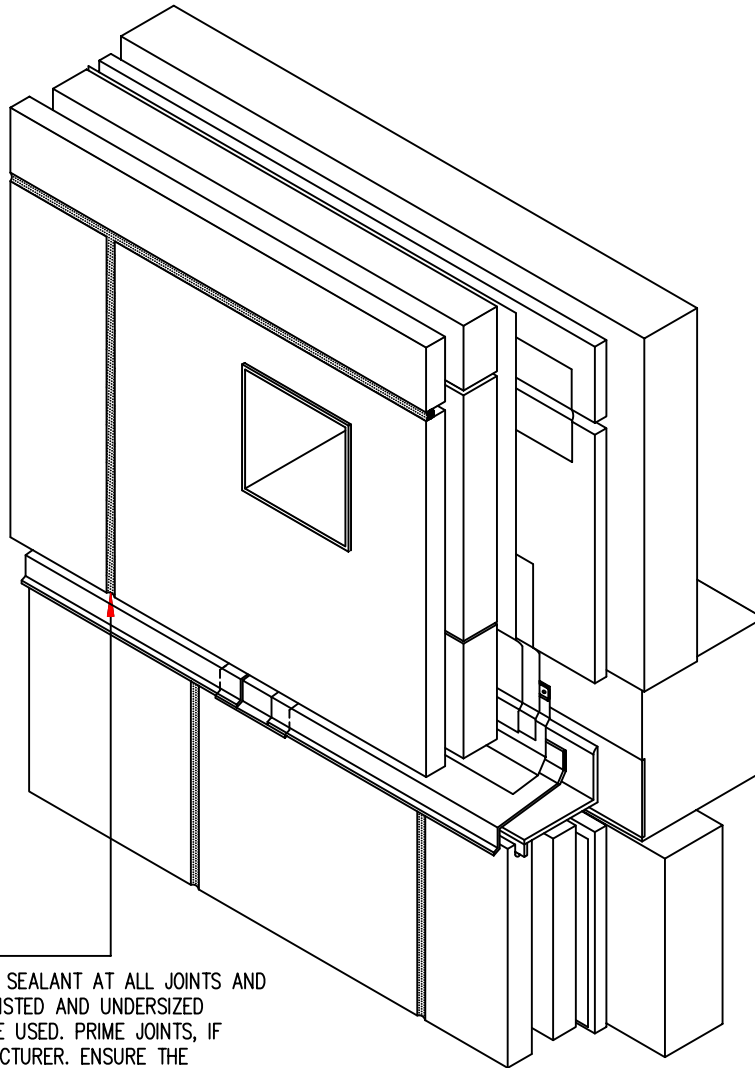
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 INSTALL BACKER ROD AND SEALANT AT ALL JOINTS AND AT THE PENETRATION. TWISTED AND UNDERSIZED BACKER ROD MUST NOT BE USED. PRIME JOINTS, IF REQUIRED BY THE MANUFACTURER. ENSURE THE SEALANT PROFILE WILL MEET THE MANUFACTURER REQUIREMENTS. THE JOINT AT THE FLASHING WILL REQUIRE WEEP HOLES, APPROXIMATELY EVERY 2- FEET. VENTED WEEPS MAY BE USED AT VERTICAL STONE JOINTS. ALTERNATIVELY, THE JOINT CAN BE LEFT OPEN. ENSURE ANY UV SENSITIVE MEMBRANE MATERIAL IS BACK FAR ENOUGH TO NOT UV DEGRADE IF THE JOINT IS LEFT OPEN. ALL JOINT SEALANT IN CONTACT WITH NATURAL STONE CLADDING SHALL BE TESTED PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION FOR ADHESION, MOVEMENT CAPACITY, AND STAIN RESPONSE IN ACCORDANCE WITH APPLICABLE ASTM STANDARDS. CONDUCT FIELD PEEL-ADHESION TESTING OF INSTALLED JOINT SEALANT BY A QUALIFIED TECHNICAL REPRESENTATIVE OF THE SEALANT MANUFACTURER.

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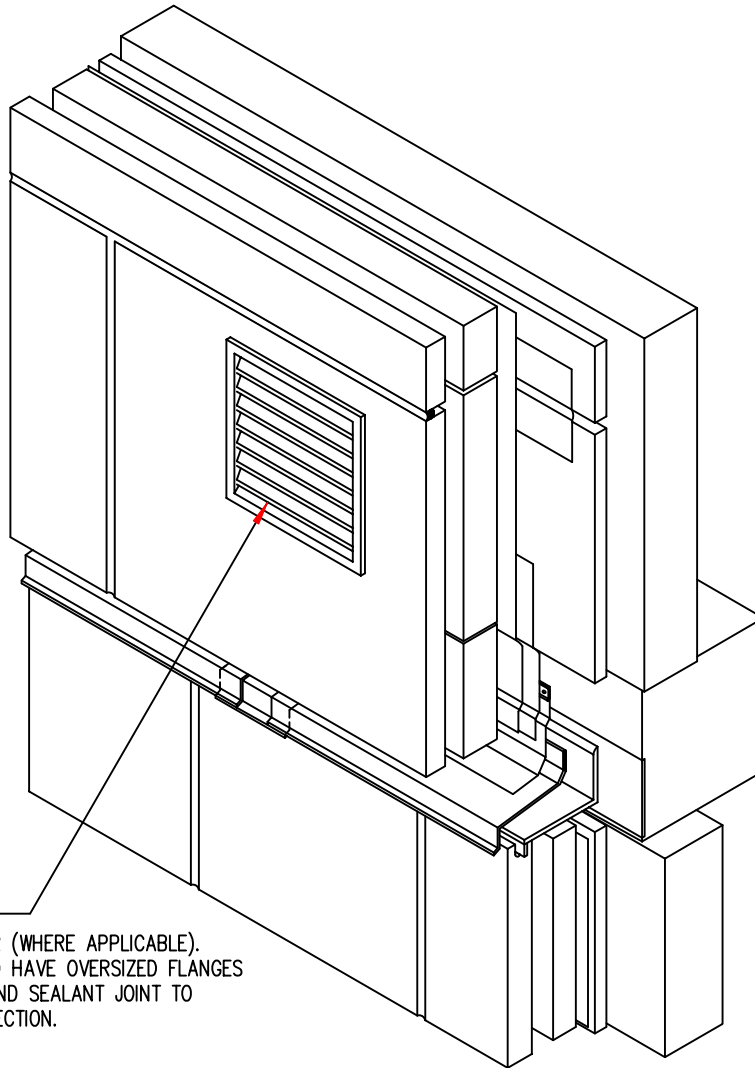
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 INSTALL LOUVER OR COVER (WHERE APPLICABLE).  
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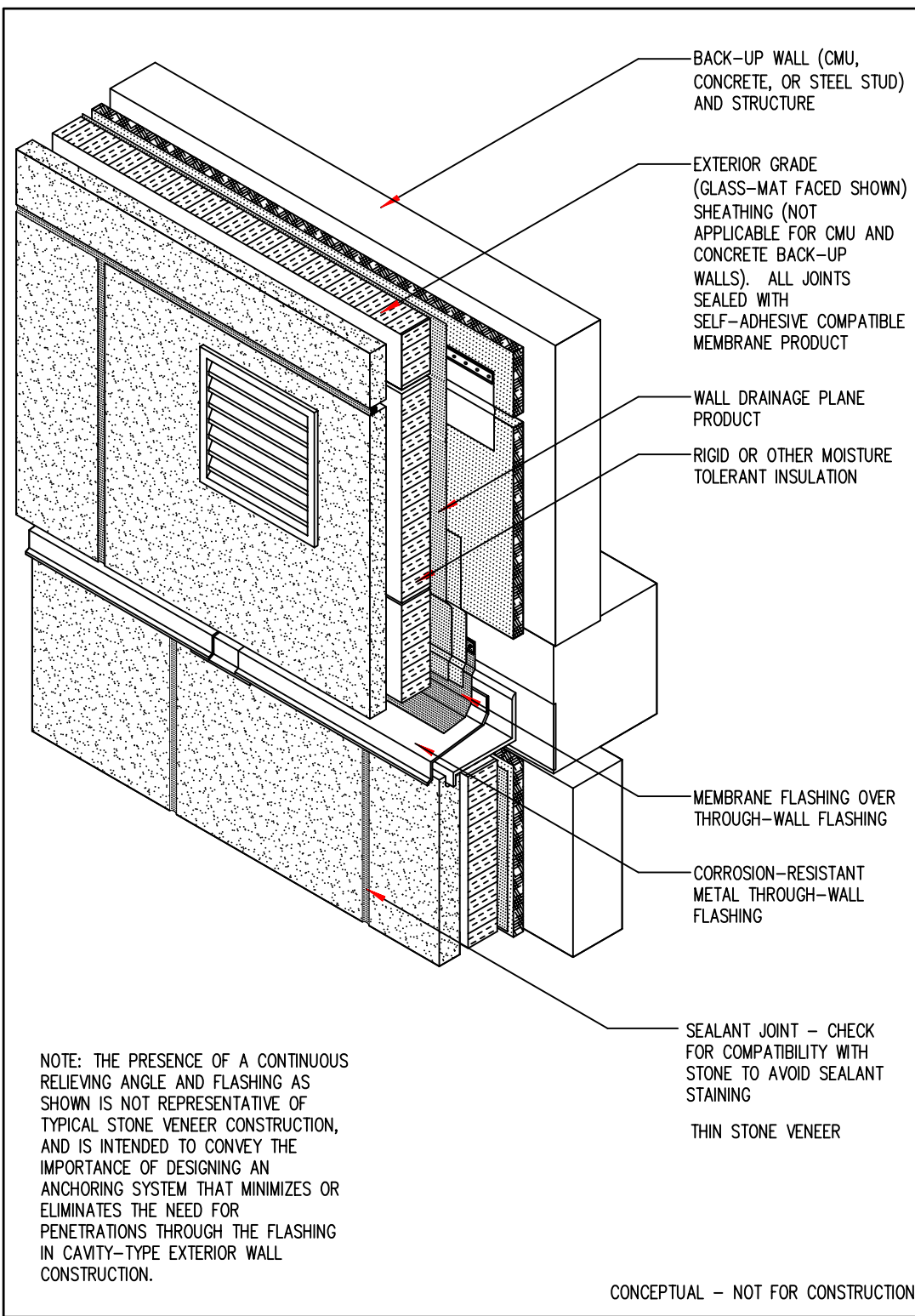
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