

PROJECT SNAPSHOT

APARTMENTS

No.1 HOBSON STREET APARTMENTS, AUCKLAND

FireFinder™

OVERVIEW

Now known as “President’s Plaza”, this 19 storey building operates as a fully managed hotel and apartments. It is located in Auckland’s prime CBD overlooking the Viaduct Harbour (home of the America’s Cup for 6 years).

It’s striking design makes good use of a difficult site and is set to become a prominent Auckland landmark.



SYSTEM SUMMARY

A 5 loop **FireFinder™** utilising Apollo XP95 Analogue Addressable Smoke Detectors, Ampac Series 90 Manual Call Points and Ampac I/O Devices. The system also incorporates the Ampac Apartment Sounder system for use in “Type 5” fire alarm systems.

INSTALLER’S STATEMENT

“This job has run extremely well for us. Using the **FireFinder™** Panel and associated software was definitely the right choice for this job and we look forward to doing more installations with it.”

George McGoram – Singer Fire Systems

SITE SPECIFIC CHALLENGES

The developers wanted to open the building in stages. This meant that there would be occupied areas while construction was still taking place. The fire system would have to remain operative during all stages of construction.

SITE SPECIFIC SOLUTIONS

Utilising **ConfigManager** software the installation company found it easy to add new devices as they were installed onto loops. This meant that at the end of each day all new detectors became active and maximum protection was afforded to the building at all times.

SPECIFICATION

Panels / Network Nodes	1
Loops	5
Zones	32
Panel Relays	8
Fire Fan Controls	1
LCD Repeaters	0
Detectors	365
Devices	100
Door Holders	32
Sounders / Speakers	400
Detector Model	XP95