## Old Manse, Guilsfield, Welshpool. Percolation Test

Date of tests – week commencing 4<sup>th</sup> March 2024 Weather conditions – Intermittent rainfall. Ground conditions – See photographs below. Depth of test hole – c. 900mm below ground level. Water table – not encountered Tests conducted in accordance with BS6297 on behalf of Mr Martin Mitten Test location in position of intended soakaway system. Test 1 5400/250 = 21 60 sec/mm Test 2 5560/250 = 22.24 Test 3 5600/250 = 22.40

Average test result (Vp) = 22.08 sec/mm

## Septic Tank

To be minimum 5 person capacity bottle tank. Klargester 2800 litre Alpha tank or similar approved.

## Size of Soakaway

3 Bedroom house = Design capacity = 5 people For a design population of 5 people, minimum soakaway area = 5 \* 22.08 \* 0.25 = **27.6sq.m** Trench length, based on 600mm width trench = 27.6/0.6 = **46m** Soakaway trench. Invert of soakaway to average 900mm.



G D Humphreys FRICS Dated this 11<sup>th</sup> Day of March 2024



Trial excavation



Excavated spoil

