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## **Ballistic Resistance Evaluation Test Report**

Nexus Body Armour supplied hard armour plates, NIJ III+, to be used in conjunction with soft body armour, AP00167A, for testing in accordance to the NIJ Standard 0101.06 level III. However, the ammunition used for this test was  $7.62 \times 39 \text{ mm}$  MSC at a velocity of 710 m/s.

The standard allows up to 44mm of back-face signature (trauma) into a clay block. The range temperature at the time of testing was 21°C and the relative humidity 48%. The results are tabulated below.

Hard Armour Plate Serial No: 169 431 Weight Hard Armour Plate: 1.35 kg

**Soft Armour Serial No: 525111** 

| Shot | Shot  | Velocity | Held/      | Trauma | Comments |
|------|-------|----------|------------|--------|----------|
| No   | Angle | (m/s)    | Perforated | (mm)   |          |
| 1    | 0°    | 700      | Held       | 19     |          |
| 2    | 0°    | 698      | Held       | 25     |          |
| 3    | 0°    | 707      | Held       | 23     |          |
| 4    | 0°    | 706      | Held       | 28     |          |
| 5    | 0°    | 704      | Held       | 25     |          |
| 6    | 0°    | 701      | Held       | 30     |          |

