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Station Frontage & Approach

Signs & Poster Cases	OK
Pigeon Nets	All areas directly over pavement OK
 Station Frontage	Wall to the left of the entrance is reasonably clean. The brickwork of walls to the right of the entrance is very slimy and needs to be cleaned.





Entrance & Lower Stairway

Litter Bin	Damaged but still in-situ.
Poster Cases	OK. FOWS have filled the vacant case with winter-themed poetry.
Stairs	OK.
Walls (whitewashed)	OK.
Walls (above whitewash)	Generally dirty.
 Roof	Dirty. Two damaged planks in ceiling near street wall are leaking into entrance way when raining. In need of general repair and cleaning.
Lights	OK

Booking Hall

Poster Cases	OK.
Walls (lower)	OK
 Walls (upper)	Dirty.
 Roof	In need of general repairs. Booking Office staff report severe leaking from roof in office during rain. No plans for Network Rail to repair until FY 2009.
Lights	OK

Upper Stairway

 Poster Cases	Damaged Police poster case has been replaced.
 Stairs	Because of the leaking roof the stairs get wet during rain and passengers have been seen slipping on the greasy surface.
Walls (whitewashed)	Badly stained by water from leaking roof.
 Walls (above whitewash)	Dirty.
 Roof	Leaks badly onto stairs and walls during rain due to theft

	of flashing from roof in May.
Lights	OK

Platform & Canopy

☹	Litter Bin	Still missing.
☹	Shelter & Seats	Some new graffiti on shelter panes (see Photo B).
	Canopy	OK
☹	Pillars	3 rd pillar on up platform showing fresh signs of rusting since recent repainting.
	Platform Surface	Possible signs of long-term subsidence by 3 rd pillar on South (down) platform (see Photo A). A bike ramp has been constructed on the platform – reported to Northern Rail today (see Photo C).
	Platform Edge	White line OK
	North (Up) Flower Beds	OK – no damage this period.
	South (Down) Flower Bed	OK – no damage this period.
	Free-standing Planters	OK – no damage this period.
	Platform Signs	OK.
	North (Up) platform walls.	Yellow safety sign missing.
	South (Down) platform walls.	OK.

Photographs

Photo A

Subsidence on down (Wigan) platform.



Photo B

New graffiti on platform shelter.



Photo C

Bike ramp on platform.

