TESTING THE EARTHING CONDUCTOR

WHEN DO YOU TICK THE EARTHING CONDUCTOR?

You *can* test the earthing conductor the same way — disconnect it, then from its far end to the MET. But you can't test past the cut-out: beyond it is the supplier's equipment and, eventually, the transformer's star point.

So most people leave its **"continuity verified"** box until the live tests. A sensible $\mathbf{Z_e}$, taken with your lead on the earthing conductor itself, proves the earth path all the way back to the source — earthing conductor included.

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