

INTERNAL ILLUMINANCE ANALYSIS

in connection with the proposed redevelopment at

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

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- 1.3 Within Paragraph 1.6 of the *BRE Second Edition 2011* it states, *inter alia*, "*The advice given here (sic BRE Second Edition 2011) is not mandatory and the guide should not be seen as an instrument of planning policy; its aim is to help rather than constrain the designer. Although it gives numerical guidelines, these should be interpreted flexibly since natural lighting is only one of many factors in site layout design*".
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- 1.5 The technical analysis, carried out in accordance with *Appendix C* of the *Building Research Establishment* Guidance "*Site Layout planning for daylight and sunlight: A guide to good practice*" *Second Edition* issued *October 2011*, confirms that the internal illuminance for the proposals accord with the guidance provided by *Appendix C*.

INTRODUCTION

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- 2.2 I would confirm that I am a Chartered Building Surveyor working predominately in the field of rights of light including daylight and sunlight assessments. I have an extensive and highly specialised knowledge, in these areas having worked in the past for both Anstey Horne & Co. for five years and Schatunowski Brooks (formerly known as Michael Brooks Associates as it was when I joined, then known as GVA Schatunowski Brooks and now part of Avison Young) for three years, as well as Delva Patman Associates - now known as Delva Patman Redler LLP - for four years prior to joining in Partnership Dixon Payne in 2001. All are acknowledged Experts in these fields; I now act under my own banner.
- 2.3 I regularly provide Expert Witness advice in respect of Planning Applications in respect of daylight and sunlight at Planning Inquiries acting for both Appellants and Planning Authorities. I was consulted by the *Building Research Establishment* prior to the revision of their guidelines in 2011 and am part of the further consultation about further revisions currently being considered following the publication of *BS EN 17037:2018*.
- 2.4 The analysis and assessments are described in more detail in subsequent sections of this Report.
- 2.5 The proposals considered are for the refurbishment of the existing building to create 20nr residential units on four floors as shown on drawings prepared by Messrs. JDW Architects.
- 2.6 The technical analysis has used a 3D model of the property which has been constructed from the Architects' drawings with a 3D survey model of the surrounding contextual buildings provided by Messrs. ZMapping Limited.

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- 3.2 The criteria against which internal illuminance is considered is detailed within *Appendix C* of the *BRE Second Edition 2011* which is used in conjunction with *BS 8206-2 Code of practice for daylighting* and the *CIBSE Lighting Guide LG10 Daylighting and window design*. The guide states that where a predominately daylit appearance is required, the *ADF* should be at least 5% or more if there is no supplementary electric lighting or 2% or more there is. In respect of kitchens, living rooms and bedrooms there are additional recommendations of 2%, 1.5% and 1% respectively. *BS8206-2* further advises that achieving 2% if in living room will give an improved daylight provision whilst 3% - 4% would improve the situation further.
- 3.3 For the detailed technical analysis, in accordance with the *BRE Second Edition 2011*, the 3D model as previously described was utilized and, using specialist computer programmes, calculated the quantum of daylight received to the proposed fenestration of property and individual flats calculated by way of Waldram analysis as detailed within *Appendix B* of the *BRE Second Edition 2011*.

3.4 By way of explanation, Percy J. Waldram invented the Waldram diagram as a method of showing on a 2d image the curved and three-dimensional view of the sky from a fixed point. The area of a Waldram diagram drawn to scale is 396cm² which represents the total amount of unobscured sky that can be seen from a vertical plane. The vertical edges of any obstructions are plotted as vertical lines on the diagrams by reference to their angle from the reference point. The head of any obstruction are plotted along the droop line corresponding to their altitudes above the horizontal measured in the section perpendicular to the reference point.

3.5 The *ADF* of a room is calculated using the following formula:-

$$ADF = \frac{TM A_w \Theta}{A(1-R_{sq})}$$

T = Diffuse visible transmittance of the glazing; assumed 0.68 for clear double glazing

M = Maintenance factor 0.8

A_w = Area of glazing

A = Total surface area of room

R = Average reflectance; 0.5 for assumed light coloured surfaces

Theta = Vertical sky component of window in average daylight factor.

3.6 The detailed results are attached and provides that all units comply with the guidance of *Appendix C* in respect of internal illuminance.

CONCLUSION

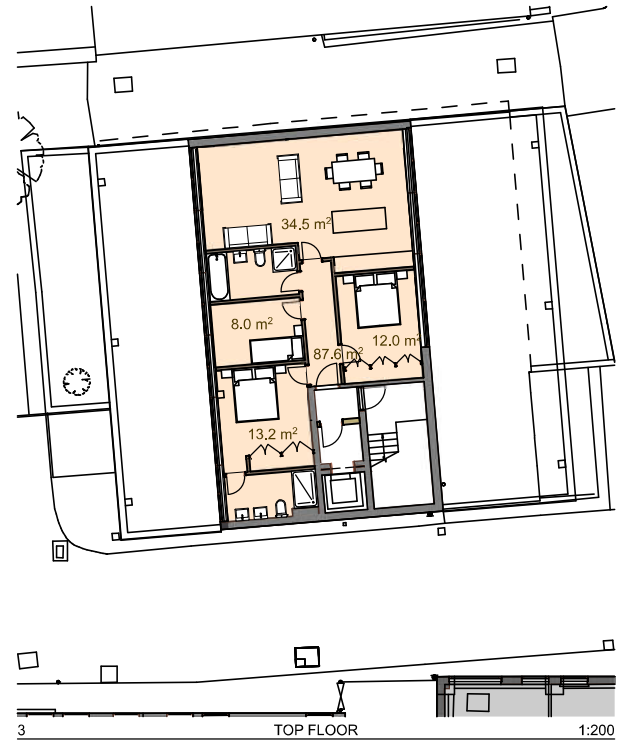
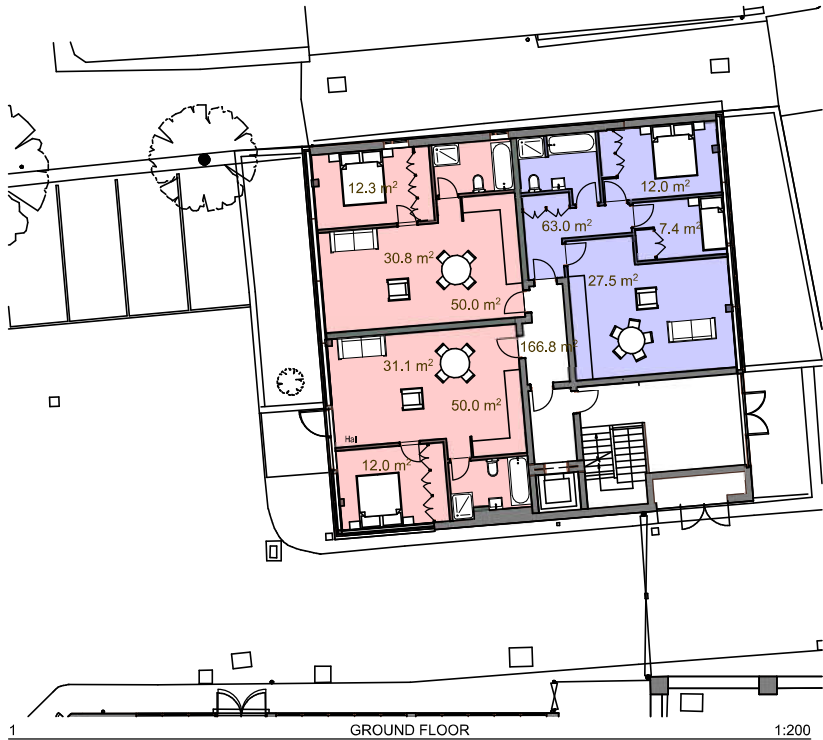
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APPENDIX – LAYOUT DRAWING & RESULTS



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Title
BUILDING C - 3 STORY PD
OPTION A

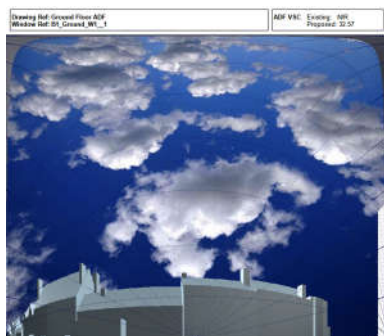
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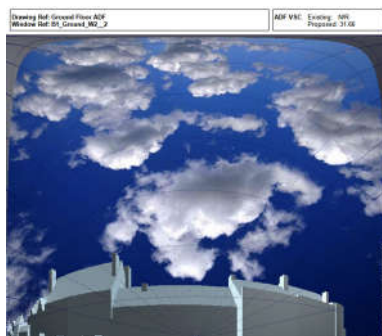
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INTERNAL ILLUMINANCE

Building Name	Floor Name	Room Name	Room Use	Window Ref	Glass Transmittance	Glazed Area	Clear Sky Pr	Room Surface Area	Average Surface Reflectance	Below Working Plane Factor	ADF Pr	Reqd Val	Meets BRE Criteria
B1	Ground	R1	LKD	W1	0.68	6.104541	72.890135	114.208751	0.5	1	3.249809		
B1	Ground	R2	Bedroom	W2	0.68	6.478601	74.049836	42.266633	0.5	1	3.249809	2	YES
B1	Ground	R2	Bedroom	W1	0.68	6.104541	74.399732	42.266633	0.5	1	9.467671		
B1	Ground	R3	Bedroom	W2	0.68	6.478601	72.691401	59.472717	0.5	1	8.963182	1	YES
B2	Ground	R1	LKD	W2	0.68	10.771082	35.415898	124.088812	0.5	1	18.430854		
B2	Ground	R2	Bedroom	W2	0.68	10.771082	36.569244	60.954256	0.5	1	6.605139	1	YES
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B3	Ground	R1	LKD	W1	0.68	1.916171	34.56577	124.647565	0.5	1	2.56425		
B3	Ground	R1	LKD	W2	0.68	10.771082	36.569244	124.647565	0.5	1	2.56425	2	YES
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B2	First	R1	LKD	W1	0.68	6.311139	84.281526	119.839479	0.5	1	1.444156		
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B3	First	R1	LKD	W2-L	0.68	9.712768	83.143057	129.810328	0.5	0.15	3.991425		
B3	First	R1	LKD	W2-U	0.68	20.288781	84.865419	129.810328	0.5	1	3.991425	2	YES
B3	First	R2	Bedroom	W2-L	0.68	9.719045	83.130495	60.442979	0.5	0.15	8.925266		
B3	First	R2	Bedroom	W2-U	0.68	20.282504	84.857118	60.442979	0.5	1	8.925266	1	YES
B3	First	R3	Bedroom	W2-L	0.68	9.701557	83.142184	71.262795	0.5	0.15	6.684063		
B3	First	R3	Bedroom	W2-U	0.68	20.299992	84.865419	71.262795	0.5	1	6.317473	1	YES
B1	Second	R1	LKD	W1	0.68	10.750936	83.099267	136.948966	0.5	1	13.001535		
B1	Second	R1	LKD	W2	0.68	18.392622	86.374296	136.948966	0.5	1	3.702335	2	YES
B1	Second	R2	Bedroom	W1	0.68	10.750936	86.315197	53.846409	0.5	1	21.612956		
B1	Second	R3	Bedroom	W2	0.68	18.392622	83.744592	45.864197	0.5	1	0.778371		
B1	Second	R4	Bedroom	W2	0.68	18.392622	86.374296	61.375139	0.5	1	11.06402	2	YES
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B1	Second	R2	Bedroom	W1	0.68	10.750936	86.315197	53.846409	0.5	1	23.751961		
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B1	Second	R4	Bedroom	W2	0.68	18.392622	86.374296	61.375139	0.5	1	1.416207		
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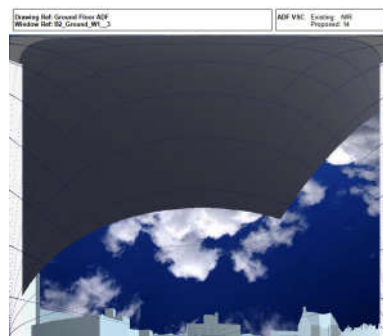
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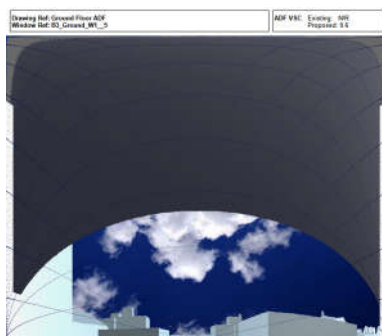
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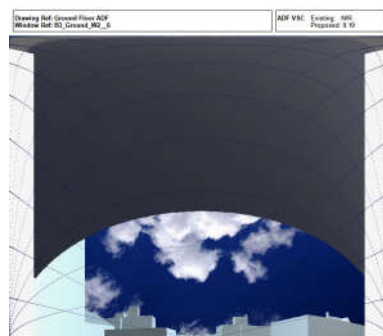
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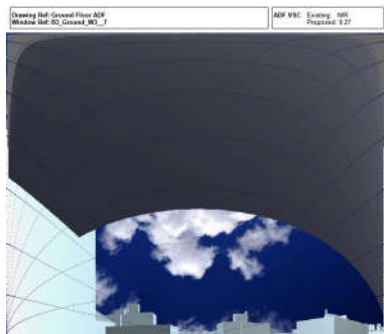
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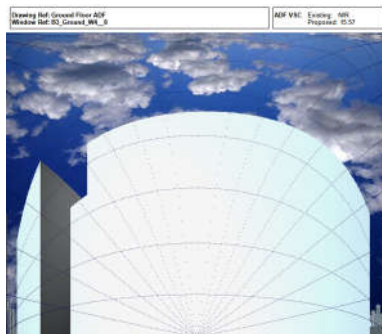
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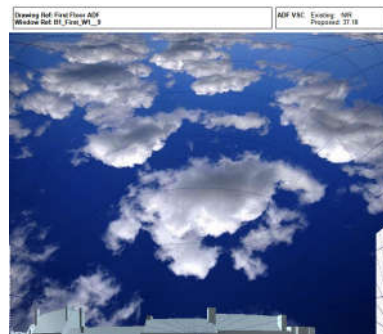
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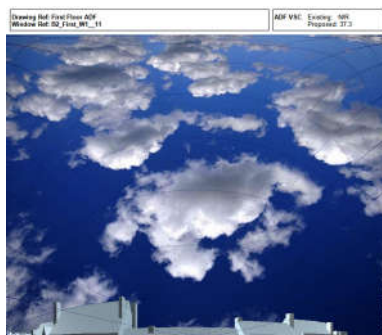
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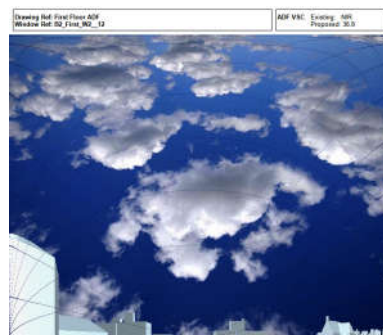
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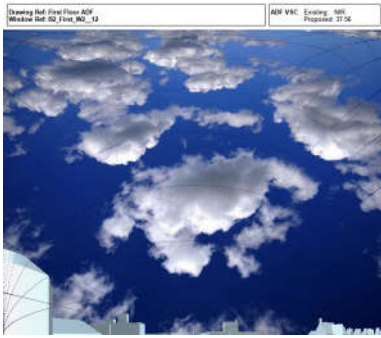


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