Replacement of French doors to 1st floor rear- 107 Castlenau

The existing two pairs of French doors are not original and are warped and suffering from rot in areas, which means water is able to penetrate into the wood during the varying seasons and the doors are subject to thermal movement. Security and locking the doors is very difficult and results in the doors having to be forcibly closed causing further damage to the doors and fabric of the house. Our clients revery aware of the importance of retaining the aesthetic of these doors a with slimline frames and dividing bars and so we are proposing to match the existing with specialist Histoglass product.

The proposals include the installation of specialist Listed building Histoglass Thin Double Glazing. The 10mm slim double glazing is specially designed to work with the same sized timber door frames, therefore there will be no changes to the external appearance.

The main reason that Conservation officers are concerned with the use of double glazing are:

a) Larger timber frames/ glazing bars to accommodate the thicker double glazed units typically 16-20mm wide. b) The use of applied external Astragal and internal Georgian spacer bars to replicate small panes of glass and multiple glazing bars of Period houses. Neither a) nor b) are applicable on this property. A detailed description and drawings of the Histoglass product have been included in the typical glazing details, submitted as part of the application documents.

We have referred to the Historic England's guidance on the application of energy efficiency to historic buildings (online source: https://historicengland.org.uk/imagesbooks/publications/eehb-how-to-improve-energy-efficiency/).

This guide states that (i) "balances [that] need to be struck in reaching reasonable solutions that suit all parties." (pg 1), and (ii) exemption from L1B is appropriate (only) if proposed efficiency measures would "unacceptably alter the characteristics and appearance of the building". It is our contention that the changes will not alter the appearance of the building at all, and that the only characteristic which will be altered (improved) is its very poor thermal envelope. It is requested that the Planning officers strike a reasonable balance in complying with this guidance.

The Government has introduced in October 2021 the new heat and buildings strategy to de-carbonise homes and changes to Part L of the Building regulations are coming into force this month. Councils have a responsibility to comply with these targets and in a situation like 28 Durand Gardens where the aesthetic would not change, this would be a specific project where the double glazed solution should be agreed.

As stated above, the internal walls cannot be thermally insulated due to the Listed status of the Architectural internal details. Secondary glazing would have a far higher negative impact on the aesthetic of the windows internally and externally and the installation would cause far more damage to the Historic fabric than replacing the French doors.









D1 & D2



D1 & D2	Timber French Door				
Glazing	Histoglass Thin Double Glazing 10 mm thick (3-4-3), with black spacer bar				
Decoration - Exterior - Internal	Microporous paint, colour to match existing Microporous paint, colour to match existing				
Details	Refer to drawing 0638(31)23				
U-Value	Whole Door U-Value: 1.4 W/m ² K				
Ironmongery	To match existing				

GENERAL NOTES:

 New replacement windows and doors in existing masonry openings. All sizes to be confirmed with site dimensions, all openings to be surveyed prior to manufacture.
All windows and doors to fully comply with Building Regulations.
Shop drawings to be provided before manufacture.
Ironmongery to be specified by Architect and factory fitted.
Paint colour samples to be provided to Architect for aproval prior to decoration.





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Thin Double Glazing for the Restoration of Period Properties

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The benefits of Thin Double Glazing

There's no better solution for fitting double-glazing to a historic property, including Grade-I listed buildings. Planning departments in some of the UK's most historically sensitive areas insist on our products.

Quite simply, Histoglass Thin Double Glazing is streets ahead of anything else available in the UK, and our products are unique in complying with all 6 parts of BS EN 1279.

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- Available in a wide range of thicknesses from 10mm
- Available in a wide range of authentic glass types to suit the period · Aluminium spacer bars are supplied in black or white as standard, but can be matched to any RAL colour
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Glazing bar dimensions for Histoglass Standard Systems For indication only. Please contact us for specific systems and projects





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