

Design brief for the insertion of fire doors Bedford Hotel.

As per requirements relating to fire safety legislation it was necessary to insert two solid hard wood doors with a one hour fire rating into our front façade. This was done to enable our staff and guests to escape safely in the event of an emergency. This work was undertaken without prior planning as a matter of urgency.

As we have since been notified that planning is required, we now ask for retrospective permission for these doors.

There are two doors measuring 6 foot by 6 foot in a solid hard frame they are painted white to minimise any impact on the surrounding façade.

The doors are not on the main hotel front or in any part of the hotel façade but placed in the loading bay area to allow safe egress in the event of emergencies.

We have tried to keep them in line with the rest of this faced by keeping them as plain as is possible, except for the fire signage which is legal requirement.

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