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1. Introduction to the project

1.1 Design and Access Statement

Description of the scheme:

The project consists, of the general renovation of the church building and of the enlarging of the main hall space by foreshortening the gallery and concentrating the new spaces at the street end of the church, adding a new floor under the existing ceiling. The intervention is thoroughly described in the Listed Building Application from 14/01/2008 delivered simultaneously to this Planning application.

The main external interventions consist of:

- renovating and repainting the front facade
- replacing the light on top of the front entrance door
- adapting the original door to the new height of the floor (see Listed Building Application from 14/01/2008)
- adding a new AHU plant and ducts at the back of the church
- reglazing the rooflights
- adding a safety handrail to the accessible unprotected part of the roof
- local repointing of the boundary brick walls
- replacing the access ladders on the roof

All these interventions, as well as some minor additional external interventions are indicated on the plans attached.

Justification of the project:

The Church needs renovation having had very little repair or alteration work undertaken since 1988.

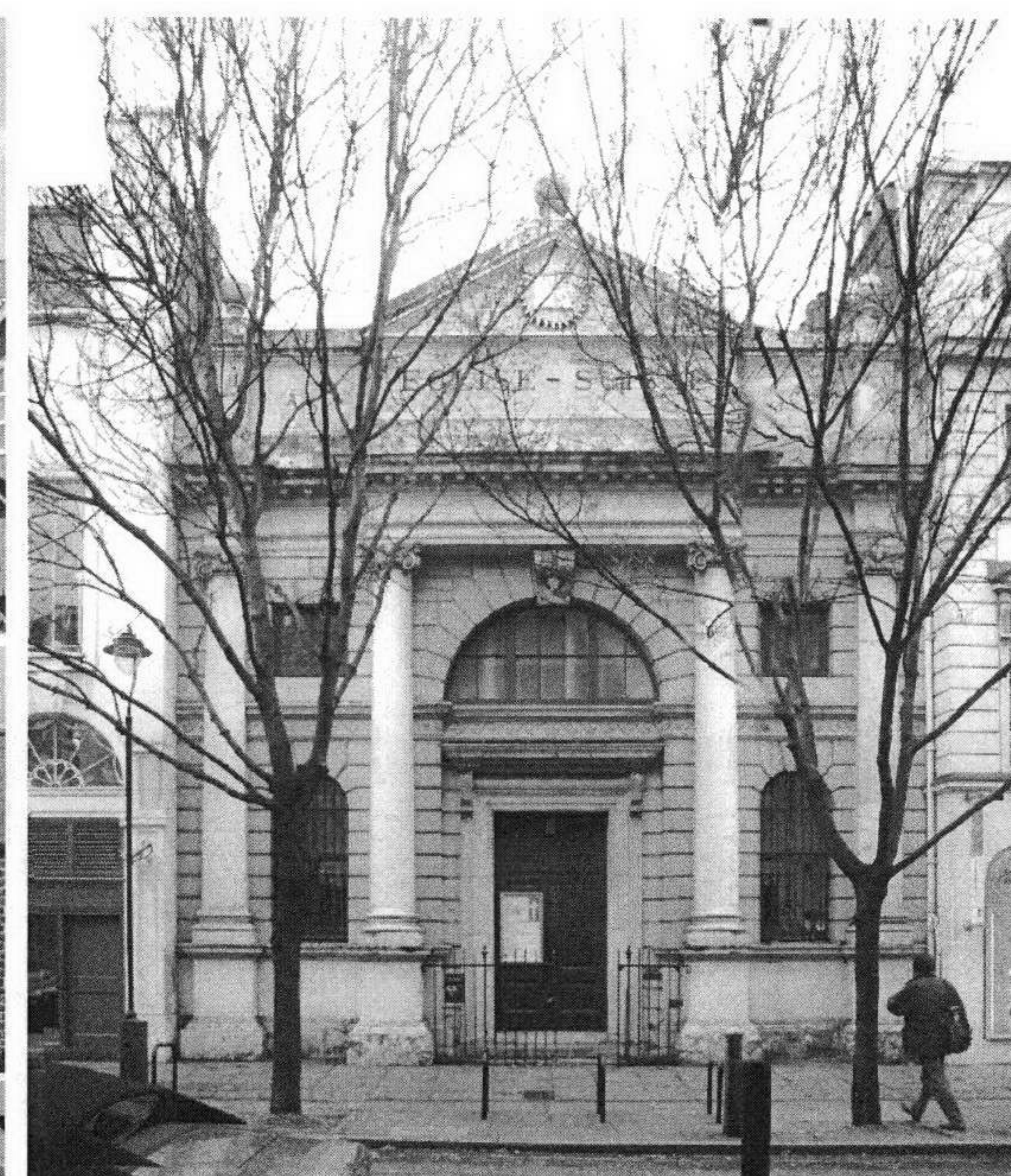
Response to context:

All external interventions to the existing building aim to reduce the impact on the surroundings as much as possible and provide the most discrete changes.

This Design and Access statement is an addendum and a summary of the Design and Access statement of the Listed Building Application from 14/01/2008 delivered simultaneously to this Planning Application.

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2. Introduction to the building

2.1 Pictures of the building and its surroundings





North part of the roof
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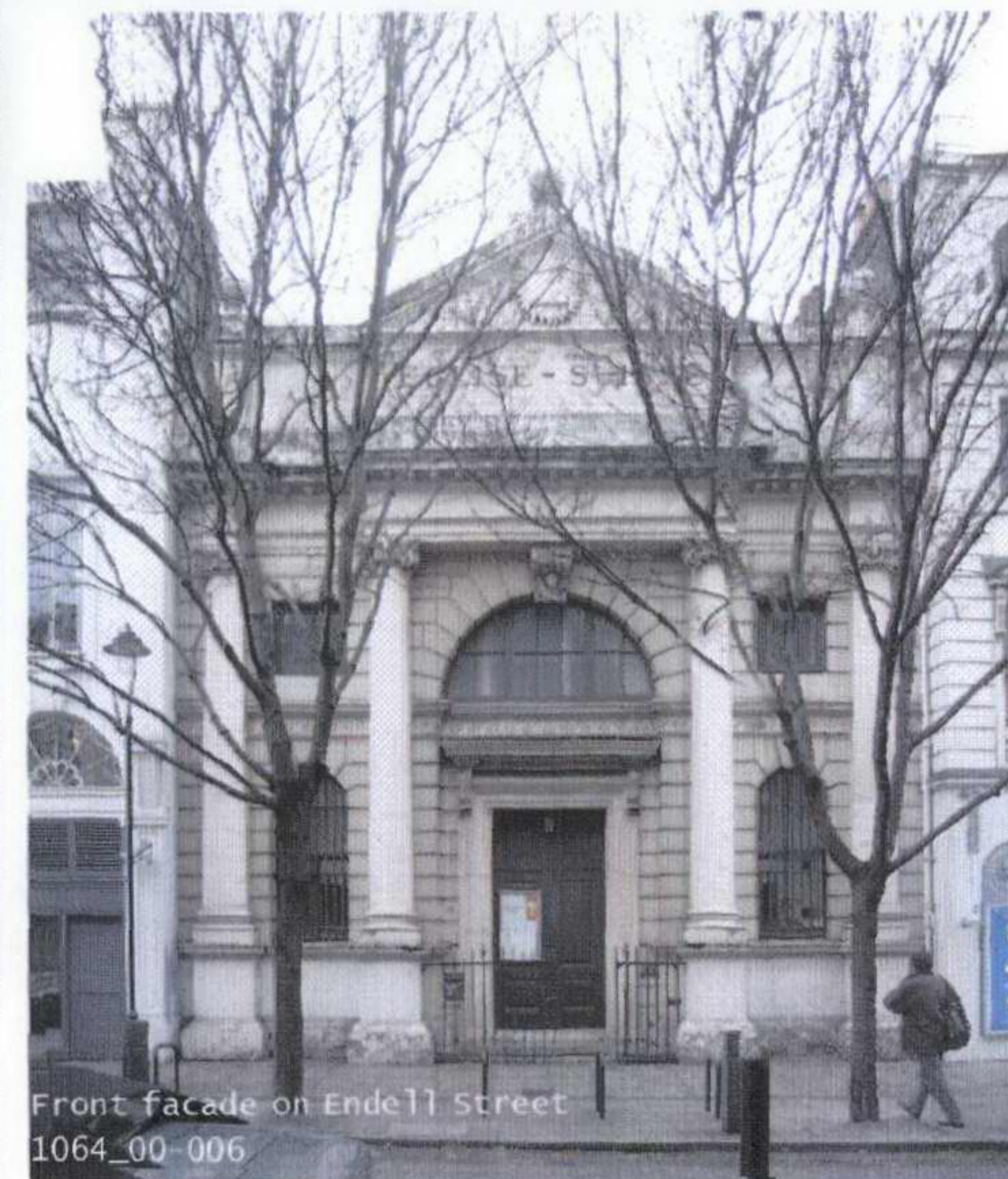
Ridge of the roof
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South part of the roof
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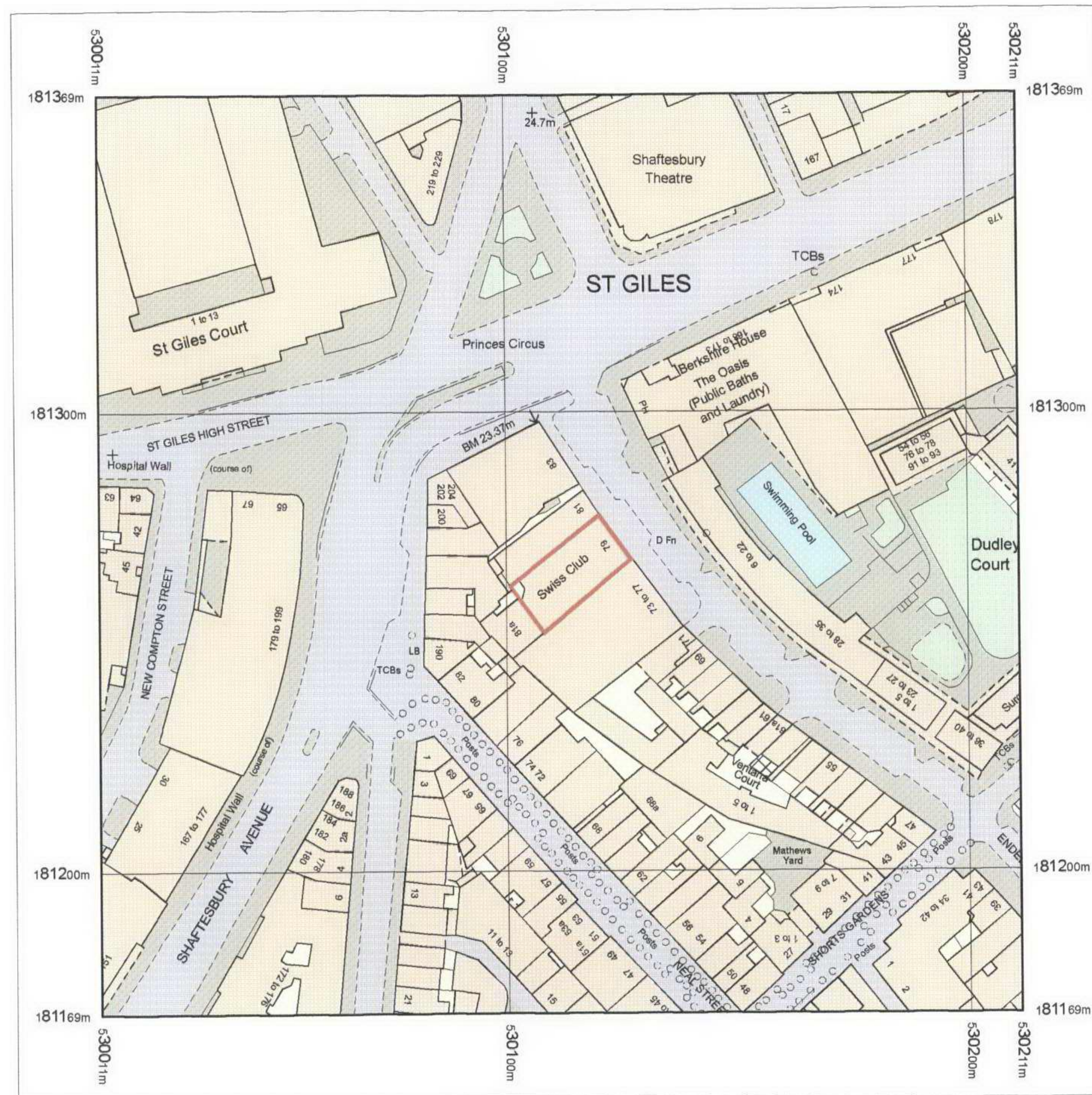


Detail of the front door
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Front facade on Endell Street
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2.2 Location plan



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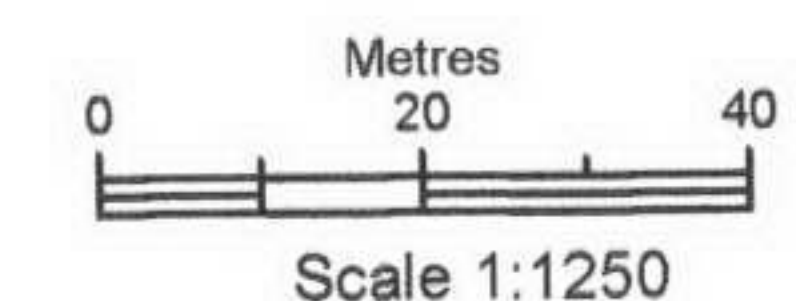
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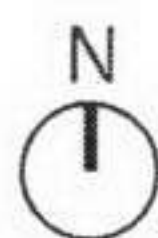


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2.3 site plan

Endell Street

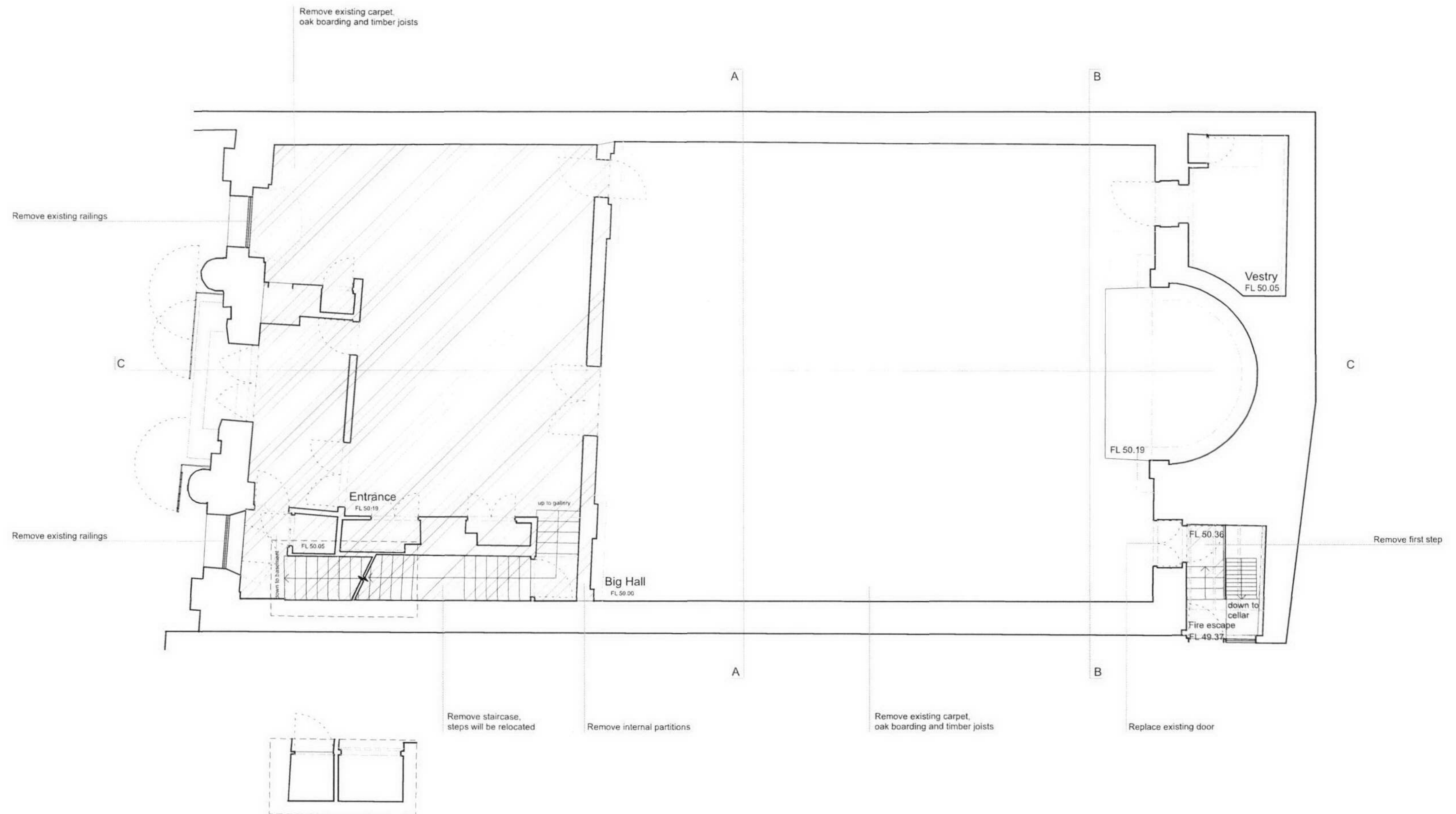
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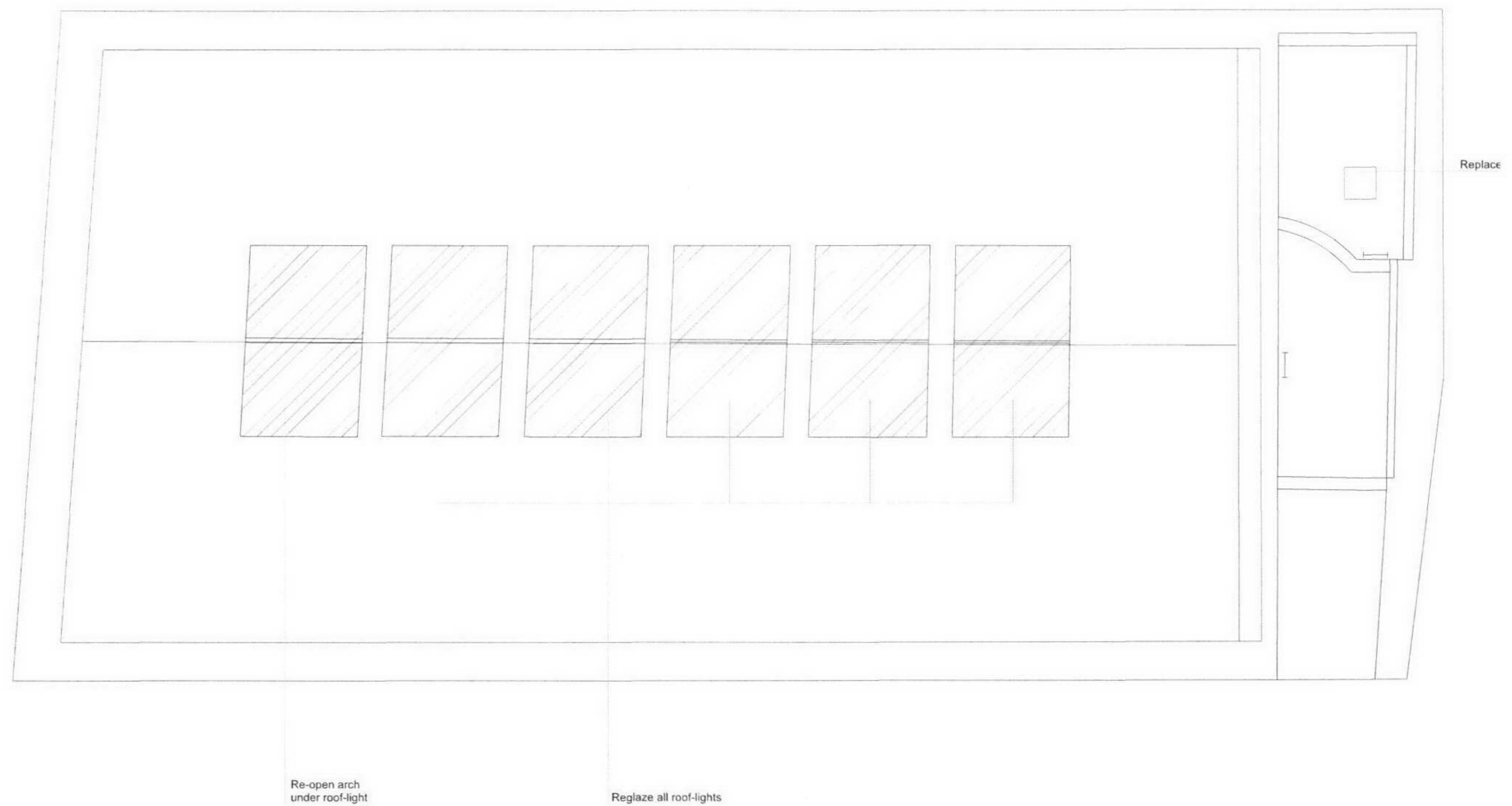
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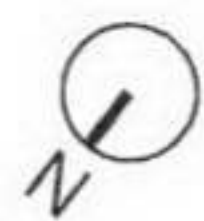
2.4 survey plans Existing ground floor



Existing roof



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