## **BREEAM Domestic Refurbishment Pre-Assessment**



# Cock Tavern

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#### **1** Introduction

#### **1.1 Scope of report**

A BREEAM Domestic Refurbishment rating of "Excellent" has been targeted and the client is committed to achieving this rating.

The purpose of this strategy is to analyse the method of achieving a "Excellent"\* rated BREEAM Domestic Refurbishment Assessment (BDR). Determining which credits will be achieved and any implications of achieving the proposed credits will be highlighted if known at this time. If any site issues are found and they affect other units this will be advised upon.

The report provides conclusions as to the best methods of meeting the requirements of BREEAM Domestic Refurbishment.

The project is being assessed under the BREEAM Domestic Refurbishment Technical Manual (2.0). Should it be registered under a subsequent version, the pre-assessment will have to be reviewed.

## 2 BREEAM Domestic Refurbishment Strategy

BREEAM Domestic Refurbishment is the national environmental standard to be used in the refurbishments, extensions, conversions and changes of use of homes in England. Sustainable design principles cover performance in seven key areas:

- □ □ Management
- □ □ Health & Wellbeing
- □ □ Energy
- □ □ Water
- □ □ Materials
- □ □ Waste
- □ □ Pollution

BREEAM Domestic Refurbishment uses a rating system of "Pass"\* to "Outstanding"\*, "Outstanding"\* being the highest level. Dwellings are assessed and rated individually in two stages:

1. A Design Stage Assessment - an interim 'design stage' certificate is issued by the BRE once they have checked the report and evidence submitted and confirmed the design stage information complies with all relevant criteria in the BDR Technical Manual;

2. A Post Construction Stage Assessment - the dwellings are reviewed to ensure that the information provided at design stage has been incorporated. The report and post construction stage evidence must be submitted to the BRE, and checked for compliance prior to issue of the final certificate.



Minimum mandatory standards must be met for energy efficiency, internal water use, ventilation, safety, flooding and responsible sourcing of materials before even a Pass can be achieved.

Minimum Standards by rating level are:

BREEAM issue	Minimum star	ndards by rating			
	Pass	Good	Very Good	Excellent	Outstanding
Ene 02: Energy Efficiency Rating Post Refurbishment	0.5 Credits	1.0 Credits	2 Credits	2.5 Credits	3.5 Credits
Wat 01: Internal Water use		-	1 Credit	2 Credits	3 Credits
Hea 05: Ventilation	1 Credit				
Hea 06:Safety	1 Credit				
Pol 03: Flooding		-		2 Credits	2 Credits
Mat 02: Responsible sourcing of materials	Criterion 3 only				

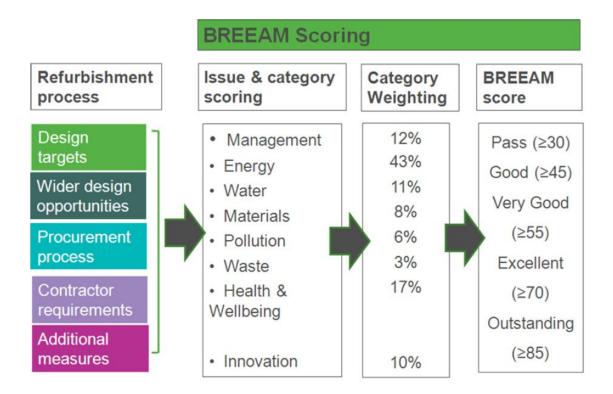
#### Table - 6: Minimum BREEAM Domestic Refurbishment standards by rating level



In addition to the seven areas above, Innovation Credits are available. These are worth 10% (1% each for the 10 credits) and are achieved on top of the 100% of the assessment weighting. These are:

- Ene 2 Energy Efficiency Rating (2 credits available)
- Ene 8 Display Energy Devices (1 credit available)
- Wat 1 Internal Water Use (1 credit available)
- Was 2 Refurbishment Site Waste Management (1 credit available)
- Pol 2 Surface Water Run-off (1 credit available)
- Man 2 Responsible Construction Practices (1 credit available)
- Man 5 Protection and Enhancement of Ecological Value (1 credit available)
- Man 6 Project Management (2 credits available)
- Hea 4 Inclusive Design (1 credit available)

For the normal assessment weighting, each of the seven categories is weighted differently with the main focus on Energy. Full weightings are as follows:





Once credits in the above sections are achieved, the total rating is then calculated. The BREEAM rating benchmarks for a Domestic Refurbishment Assessment are set out as follows:

Table - 5: BREEAM Ra	% score
OUTSTANDING	≥85
EXCELLENT	≥70
VERY GOOD	≥55
GOOD	≥45
PASS	≥30

#### Following the Pre-Assessment, the Site scores 70.93% i.e. an "Excellent" Rating

#### The Full Pre-Assessment can be found on the following pages.

#### 3. Document Control Sheet

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Section		Credits Awarded	Out of	Evidence to be provided
MAN 1	HOME USER GUIDE	3	3	To all dwellings a simple guide that covers information relevant to the 'non-technical' occupant on the operation and environmental performance of the dwelling as well as information on the Site and Surrounding Area will be supplied. Full content requirement of the Home User Guide can be found <u>here</u> .
MAN 2	RESPONSIBLE CONSTRUCTION PRACTICES	2	2	The Considerate Constructors Scheme (2013) is to be followed on this development and a Beyond Best Practice score is to be achieved. To achieve 2 Credits, a score of 35 will be required with a minimum of 7 to be achieved in each section.



MAN 3	CONSTRUCTION SITE IMPACTS	1	1	The project is a large scale project so 4 items from Checklist A-4 need to be followed. The 4 items most suited to this job are a. The Site Water usage is to be recorded. b. An Environmental Materials Policy is required from Developer (Air & Water) c. COC Certificates for all Site Timber need to be provided. d. Environmental Management Company to be ISO14001 Compliant.
				The new doors and windows being installed as part of the refurbishment will not meet the following standards due to the Site's listed status; therefore the first Credit cannot be achieved.
				- Doors – PAS-24 - Windows – BS7950
				The requirements of Secure by Design section 2 are to be complied with and the recommendations of the Secure by Design Officer are to be incorporated into the development; therefore, the second Credit in this section is available.
MAN 4	SECURITY	1	2	
	PROTECTION OF ECOLOGICAL			No Site Survey/Ecology Report is to be commissioned on this development; therefore no Credits can be awarded in this section.
MAN 5	FEATURES	0	1	



				The Developer is to write a project implementation plan. This needs to contain: An initiation meeting to assign individual and shared responsibilities amongst the project team including all trades on site.
				It is the joint responsibility of the whole project team, to ensure the production and/or completion of the outlined tasks:
				<ul> <li>a) End user requirements and building usage</li> <li>b) Design aims.</li> <li>c) Particular installation and construction requirements.</li> <li>d) Usability and manageability of design solutions for the installer and end user of the building.</li> <li>e) Project team communication methods.</li> <li>f) Supply chains.</li> <li>g) Documents as required in schedule of evidence sections</li> <li>Full details can be found in the BREEAM Manual in the far right hand box.</li> </ul> An Innovation Credit has also been awarded for employing a BREEAM Domestic Assessor at an early stage, prior to the production of a refurbishment specification.
MAN 6	PROJECT MANAGEMENT	2	2	
				A preliminary inspection shows that the development should result in a neutral impact on the dwellings daylight levels in the Kitchen, Living Room, Dining Room and Study, meaning that 1 Credit can be taken in this section.
HEA 1	DAYLIGHTING	1	2	The second Credit has been withheld for now until full Daylight Calculations are completed at Design Stage but it looks unlikely that this credit will be achieved due to project constraints.



HEA 2	SOUND INSULATION	2	4	2 Credits have been awarded based on 5b improvement over Part E to be confirmed by Pre-Completion Sound Testing.
HEA 3	VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS	0	1	Credit not currently sought due to the complicated nature of achieving this Credit. Can be sought at a later date if extra Credits become necessary. If the Client wishes to achieve this Credit, then the standards contained in <u>Table 15</u> must be met.
HEA 4	INCLUSIVE DESIGN	0	2	Retention of existing staircase means that residential Flats cannot achieve this Credit. Appropriate Checklists to be completed at Design Stage in order to confirm this.



				<ul> <li>For 1 Credit, the ventilation must comply with the following standards:</li> <li>Background – all habitable rooms – Section 7, Building Regulations Approved Document Part F (2010)</li> <li>Extract – all wet rooms – Section 5, Building Regulations Approved Document Part F (2010)</li> <li>Purge – all habitable rooms &amp; wet rooms - Section 7, Building Regulations Approved Document Part F (2010)</li> <li>The above credit is a mandatory credit under BREEAM Domestic Refurbishment.</li> <li>The second credit cannot be sort as the properties do not meet the requirements of Section 5 of the Building Regulations Approved Document Part F (2010).</li> </ul>
HEA 5	VENTILATION	1	2	The second credit could be achieved if MVHR was to be installed.
				A fire detection and alarm systems will be installed be in accordance with BS 5839–6:2004 and to at least a Grade D Category LD3 standard. Furthermore, a Carbon Monoxide detector and alarm system will be installed in accordance with and positioned in accordance to BS EN 50291–1:2001 and BS EN 50292:2002 and should carry a British or European approval mark. The above credit is a mandatory credit under BREEAM Domestic Refurbishment.
HEA 6	SAFETY	1	1	



ENE 1	IMPROVEMENT IN ENERGY EFFICIENCY RATING	3	6	An improvement to the dwelling's EER of at least 26 is to be achieved in order to gain 3 Credits. Full SAP Calculations to confirm this score at Design Stage
ENE 2	ENERGY EFFICIENCY RATING POST- REFURBISHMENT	3	4	The minimum average Energy Efficiency Rating of the dwellings Post-Refurbishment is to be 75. This meets and exceeds the minimum standards for an 'Excellent' rating, scoring 3 Credits. Full SAP Calculations to confirm this score at Design Stage
ENE 3	PRIMARY ENERGY DEMAND	4	7	The primary energy demand post-refurbishment is to be an average of <240 kWh/m²/year across the dwellings for a score of 4 Credits. Full SAP Calculations to confirm this score at Design Stage
ENE 4	RENEWABLE TECHNOLOGIES	0	2	It is currently unknown whether renewable energy is to be installed on Site; therefore this Credit has been withheld for now. This section can be revisited at Design Stage if necessary.



	ENERGY LABELLED	2	2	The following White Goods from the <u>Energy Saving Trust Labelling Scheme lists</u> are to be provided to each dwelling: • Fridge/Freezer • Washing Machine • Dishwasher In addition, an <u>EU Energy Efficiency Labelling Scheme Information Leaflet</u> is to be provided to each dwelling. If all the above items are provided, 2 Credits can be awarded in this section.
ENE 5	WHITE GOODS	-	2	
				A Tidy Drier of at least 6m in length is to be installed in the Bathroom of each dwelling.
				This will be an internal heated space with adequate, controlled ventilation, complying with Building Regulations Approved Document F Ventilation 2006.
ENE 6	DRYING SPACE	1	1	



				The following Lighting is to be provided:
				External Lighting
				<b>Space Lighting</b> – All to be equipped with fluorescent fittings. Lobby, entrance and steps or pathway lighting to be controlled by a time clock or daylight sensor. Hallway, landing, stairwell, internal corridor and garage lighting to be controlled with push button timers/PIR sensors. Communal room lighting to be controlled by manual switches or occupant sensors.
				<b>Security Lighting</b> – To have a maximum wattage of 150 W and movement control devices (PIR) and daylight-cut off sensors.
				Internal Lighting
				Internal Lighting is also to be supplied to a maximum average wattage across the total floor area of <u>9</u> watts/m2 is to be installed in order to achieve the second Credit.
ENE 7	LIGHTING	2	2	



				An Energy Display Device is to be installed in order to achieve 2 Credits. The device must be fixed to the mains supply and be capable of displaying the following:
				<ul> <li>Current mains energy consumption (kilowatts and kilowatt hours)</li> <li>Current emissions (g/kg CO2)</li> </ul>
				Current emissions (g/kg CO2)
				Current tariff
				<ul> <li>Current cost (in pounds and pence)</li> </ul>
				<ul> <li>Projected cost (£ per month and £ per year)</li> </ul>
				In addition, an <b>Innovation Credit</b> is available if the device is also capable of <b>recording</b> consumption data in
				addition to all criteria above.
				The <u>Ewgeco H300</u> achieves all Credits, as well as a Credit for <b>WAT 3</b> should this exact unit be specified.
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	ENERGY DISPLAY	2	2	As an alternative, certain energy companies such as E.ON and British Gas also supply compliant devices as part of service arrangements.
ENE 8	DEVICE	-	-	



ENE 9	CYCLE STORAGE	2	2	Cycle Storage to achieve 2 Credits is to be supplied. This consists of 16 spaces across the Flats. Cycles are to be secured within spaces in racks or fixtures to allow cycle to be free standing and locked. Storage must be located in a locked structure or part of a permanent structure. Storage must also be weatherproof and accessible only to the residents. It also has direct access to the Highway.
ENE 10	HOME OFFICE	1	1	<ul> <li>A Home Office is to be provided in the Living Room/Second Bedroom (for 3 bed dwellings) of each dwelling. This is to consist of:</li> <li>Two double power sockets,</li> <li>A telephone point,</li> <li>A Window of a width and height of at least 450mm.</li> <li>1.8m of wall space is to be provided in order to fit in a desk, a chair, and a filing cabinet or bookcase.</li> </ul>



				Internal Water Usage	/ater Usage will be kept to a maximum of 107 litres/person/day to meet and exceed the m standards for an Excellent Assessment and achieve 2.5 Credits.				
					<107ltrs/person/day (2.5 credits)	Option 1			
					W/C	6/4			
					Basin Taps (Litres Per Min)	6			
					Kitchen Taps (Litres Per Min)	8			
					Shower (Litres Per Min)	7			
					Bath (Litres to Overflow)	156			
WAT 1	INTERNAL WATER USE	2.5	3						
					TOTAL	104.9			
				According to curren	t Drawings no dwellings have Private Space default.	e; therefore, this Cred	it can be awarded		
WAT 2	EXTERNAL WATER USE	1	1						



				If the Energy Display Device specified in ENE 08 (the <u>Ewgeco H300</u> ) is installed to measure and record water consumption then this credit can be achieved.
				If the Ewgeco model is not installed, the Water Meter must be capable of the following:
				- Recording and displaying historic water consumption
				- Monitor water consumption over time
				- Displaying current consumption levels either instantaneously or at half hourly intervals
		1	1	
WAT 3	WATER METER			
				Based on a standard masonry and timber construction, 12 Credits have been preliminarily awarded.
				Full Construction Notes should be provided at Design Stage to confirm this.
	ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT OF	12	25	
MAT 1	MATERIALS	±£	25	



MAT 2	RESPONSIBLE SOURCING OF MATERIALS	8	12	Materials will be responsibly sourced (i.e. FSC, PEFC, EMS, BES:6001 certification) so as to achieve 8 Credits. All new Timber products are to be legally sourced.
				4 Credits can be awarded where >80% of the insulation in the following areas is responsibly sourced: - External Walls - Ground Floor - Roof - Building Services
				- The second 4 Credits are to be achieved by: • Ensuring the Insulation Index for new insulation is >2 Where the Green Guide Ratings are determined using the <u>Green Guide</u> tool Based on the Construction Notes as supplied by PRP Architects, all 8 credits can be awarded.
MAT 3	INSULATION	8	8	



WAS 1	HOUSEHOLD WASTE	2	2	The Local Authority provides a pre-collection sorting recycling service. Internal Recycling Facilities comprising of 3 bins of at least 7ltrs each and at least 30ltrs in total are to be supplied in the Kitchen of each dwelling. The bins are to be placed in a fixed location and be in addition to the normal refuse bin. The second Credit can also be achieved as the Local Authority provides a Food Waste Collection Service. A 7ltr caddy is to be supplied in the kitchen of each dwelling.
WAS 2	REFURBISHMENT SITE WASTE MANAGEMENT	3	3	A full Site Waste Management Plan is to be provided in order to achieve 3 Credits. SWMP is to cover resource efficiency, minimising hazardous waste, sorting and recycling construction waste, and measuring the amount of waste diverted from landfill. Full license details for the waste carrier and permit details for the site the waste is taken to are to be provided if waste is removed off site.
POL 1	NOX EMISSIONS	3	3	Gas Boilers with NOx emissions of <40 mg/kWh are to be installed in the dwellings in order to achieve 3 Credits. The Make and Model of the Boiler will be confirmed at As-Built Stage.



				As the site has a Neutral Impact on Surface Water Run-Off by: a) The non-creation of any new hard standing areas b) No extension of buildings onto permeable surfaces. Therefore, 1 credit can be awarded.
POL 2	SURFACE WTER MANAGEMENT	1	3	
POL 3	FLOODING	2	2	A Flood Risk Assessment is to be provided to confirm that the Sites are within a Low Flood Risk Zone and that, therefore, 2 Credits can be achieved. This is mandatory to achieve an Excellent rating
INN	INNOVATION	2	10	Innovation Credits have been achieved in • ENE 08 – Energy Display Device • MAN 06 – Project Management



FINAL SCORE: 70.93%

#### **BREEAM EXCELLENT**



BREEAM Domestic Refu	rbishment								
Summary Score Sheet		Site	The Cock Tav		ern				
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								essment	
			Score	Credits available	Sub- total	Credits available	% achiev'd	Weighting factor	Credits Score
Management	Man 1	Home User Guide	3	3	9	11	81.8182	0.12	9.81818182
	Man 2	Responsible Construction Practices	2	2					
	Man 3	Construction Site Impacts	1	1					
	Man 4	Security	1	2					
	Man 5	Protection of Ecological Features	0	1	L _				
	Man 6	Project Management	2	2					
Health & Wellbeing	Hea 1	Daylighting	1	2	5	12	41.7	0.17	7.08
	Hea 2	Sound Insulation	2	4					
	Hea 3	Volatile Organic Compounds	0	1					
	Hea 4	Inclusive Design	0	2					
	Hea 5	Ventilation	1	2					
	Hea6	Safety	1	1					
Energy	Ene 1	Improvement in Energy Efficiency Rating	3	6	20	29	69.0	0.43	29.66
	Ene 2	Energy Efficiency Rating Post Refurbishment	3	4					
	Ene 3	Primary Energy Demand	4	7					
	Ene 4	Renew able Technologies	0	2					
	Ene 5	Energy Labelled White Goods	2	2					
	Ene 6	Drying Space		1					
	Ene 7		2	2					
	Ene 8	Energy Display Device	2	2					
	Ene 9	Cycle Storage	2	2					
14/	Ene 10	Home Office	1	1	1.5	-	00.0	0.44	0.00
Water	Wat 1	Internal Water Usage	2.5	3	4.5	5	90.0	0.11	9.90
	Wat 2	External Water Usage	1	1					
Mataziala	Wat 3	Water Meter	1	1		45	<u> </u>	0.00	4.00
Materials	Mat 1	Environmental Impact of Materials	12	25	28	45	62.2	0.08	4.98
	Mat 2	Responsible Sourcing of Materials	8	12					
10/	Mat 3	Insulation	8	8	-	-	400.0	0.00	2.00
Waste	Was 1	Household Waste	2	2	5	5	100.0	0.03	3.00
	Was 2 Pol 1	Refurbishment Site Waste Managment			6		75.0	0.00	4.50
Pollution	Pol 1 Pol 2	Nitrogen Oxide Emissions Surface Water Run Off	3 1	3	0	8	75.0	0.06	4.50
Foliution	Pol 2 Pol 3	Flooding	2	2					
Innovation	Inn 1	Innovation	2	10	2	10	20.0	0.1	2.00
Innovation				10	Total	125	20.0	Score:	70.93
					Total	125		Rating:	
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								Rating	Score
								Good	45
								Very Good	55
								Excellent	70
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