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### **WAC ARTS CENTRE**

## **MECHANICAL AND ELECTRICAL SERVICES PROPOSALS**

The existing services in the refurbished and remodelled areas will be replaced with new energy efficient systems, designed to be in keeping with the building's listed status.

Ventilation will be a significant aspect, due to the anticipated large number of café users, the brief for acoustic separation of the Council Chamber and the creation of 'inner' rooms with no external windows.

The café will be naturally ventilated by making use of the existing vent and rooflight void above the main staircase. A proprietary natural ventilation terminal will be installed in the roof, hidden from view, allowing warm air from the staircase to exhaust to outside. Fresh air will enter the café from the existing high level ocular windows which will be fitted with automatic actuators. In summer, additional ventilation will be available by opening the doors onto the new terrace. The café will be heated by new radiators connected to the existing heating system.

A new commercial kitchen ventilation system will be provided in the new café kitchen, with its fresh air intake on the north elevation and exhaust cowl on the roof behind a parapet.

Since the Council Chamber will be now be used for performances, an acoustically-treated mechanical ventilation system will be provided. An air handling unit will incorporate heating, cooling and heat recovery and will be at high level on the ground floor, ducted to traditional style floor grilles in the Chamber. The supply duct will run through the basement offices within wall lining, and extract via a new grille at high level in the Chamber adjacent to the chimney breast. The existing basement mechanical ventilation system will need to be modified to accommodate the supply duct, with 4 new external wall vents being introduced for the existing offices.

The new multi-purpose rooms formed out of the existing cafeteria will have local fan-coil heating and cooling units. Fresh air will be by opening windows, and via a fan-assisted ventilation unit connecting to the adjacent atrium space.

Heat pump heating and cooling to the Council Chamber and multi-purpose rooms will be from two outdoor heat pumps in the basement lightwell adjacent to the South lift.

Electrical services will be supplied from existing distribution boards. Wiring will be concealed in walls and ceilings. Where this is impractical, soft cable will be used and routed to be as inconspicuous as possible.

New lighting will use low energy LED sources. Controls will include scene-setting dimmers in the Café and Council Chamber, and occupancy sensing in circulation areas and WC's.

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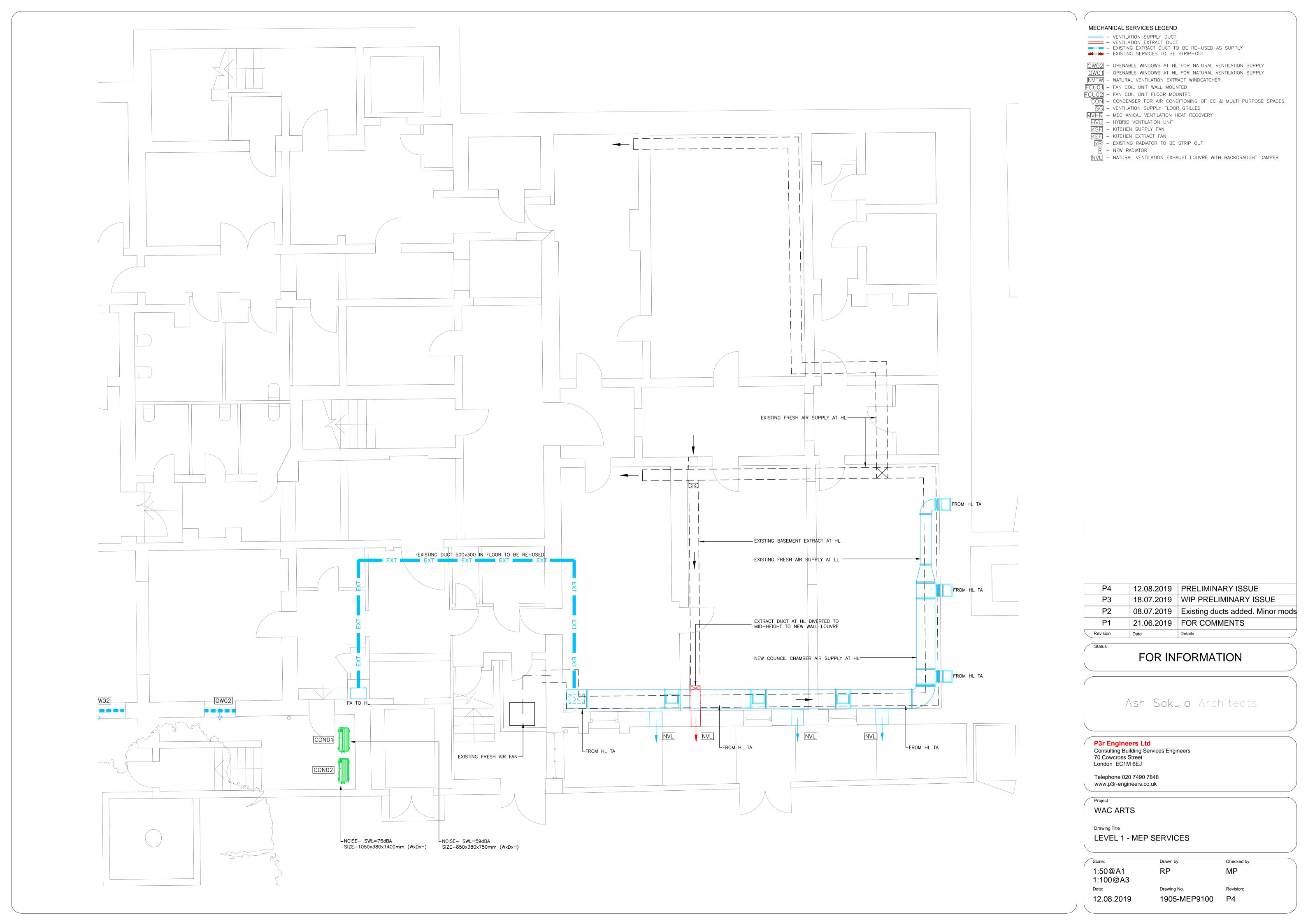
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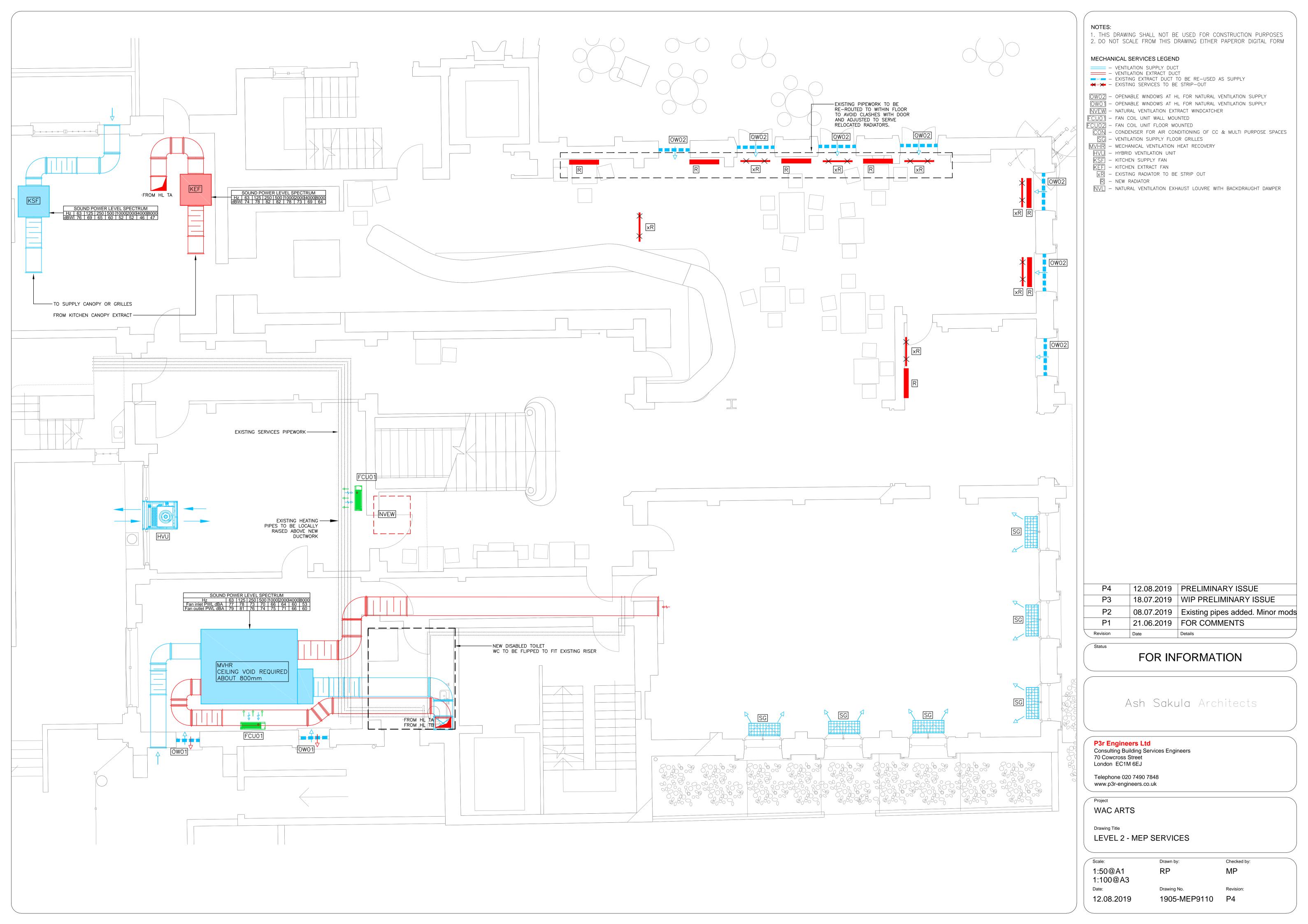


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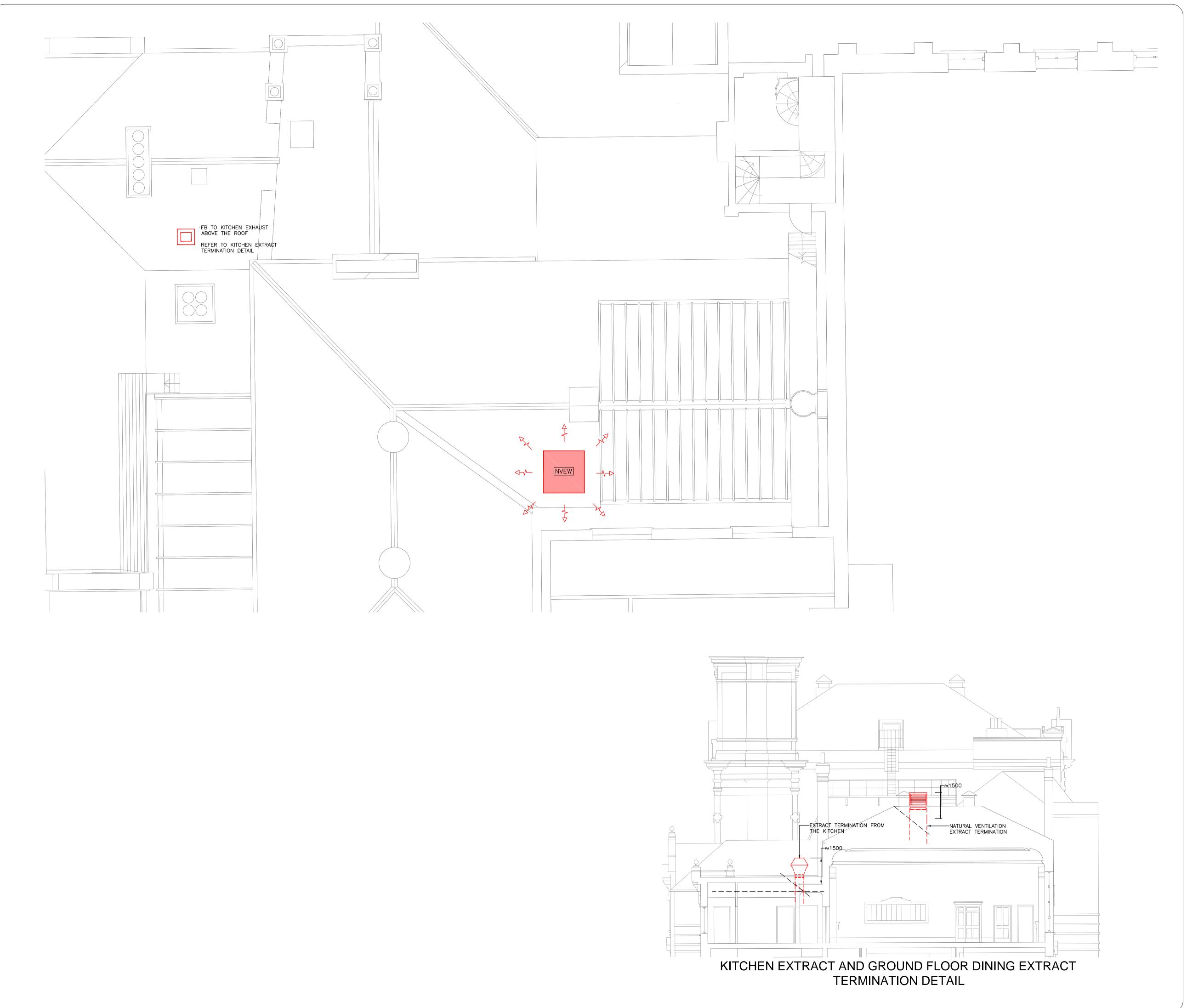
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MECHANICAL SERVICES LEGEND

− VENTILATION SUPPLY DUCT
 − VENTILATION EXTRACT DUCT
 − EXISTING EXTRACT DUCT TO BE RE-USED AS SUPPLY
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OWO2 - OPENABLE WINDOWS AT HL FOR NATURAL VENTILATION SUPPLY OWO1 - OPENABLE WINDOWS AT HL FOR NATURAL VENTILATION SUPPLY

NVEW - NATURAL VENTILATION EXTRACT WINDCATCHER

FCUO1 - FAN COIL UNIT WALL MOUNTED
FCUO2 - FAN COIL UNIT FLOOR MOUNTED
CON - CONDENSER FOR AIR CONDITIONING OF CC & MULTI PURPOSE SPACES

- VENTILATION SUPPLY FLOOR GRILLES

MVHR - MECHANICAL VENTILATION HEAT RECOVERY HVU - HYBRID VENTILATION UNIT

KSF - KITCHEN SUPPLY FAN

KEF – KITCHEN EXTRACT FAN

R - EXISTING RADIATOR TO BE STRIP OUT

R - NEW RADIATOR

NVL - NATURAL VENTILATION EXHAUST LOUVRE WITH BACKDRAUGHT DAMPER

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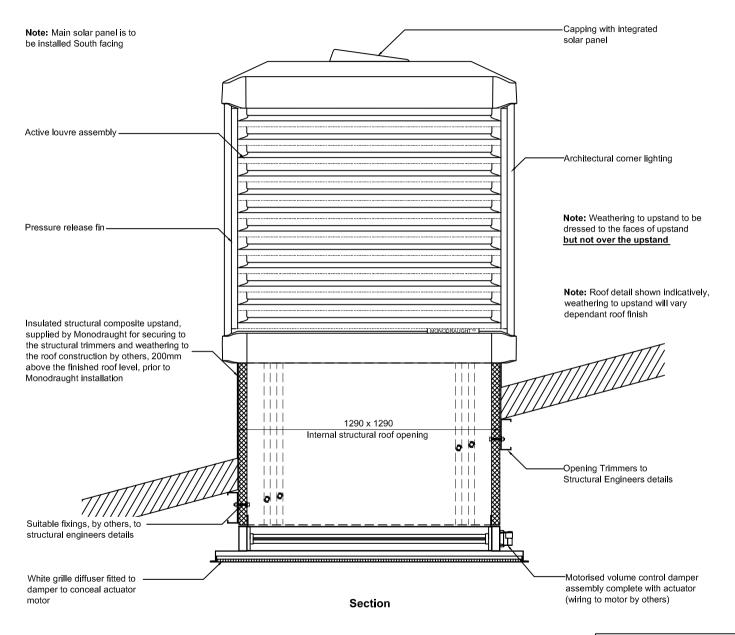
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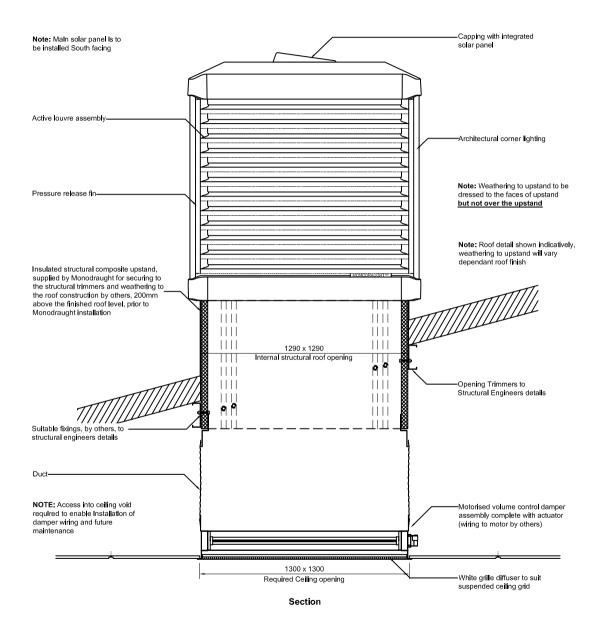


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