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INTERNAL DAYLIGHT, SUNLIGHT AND OVERSHADOWING REPORT

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1 EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

1.1 EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The purpose of this report is to ascertain whether the proposed scheme at Branch Hill House, NW3 7LS, will provide residential accommodation considered acceptable in terms of daylight, sunlight and overshadowing.

GIA have worked alongside the design team to maximise daylight and sunlight within the proposed scheme. To this end, a number of design strategies have been incorporated to enhance the quality of light within the proposed accommodation. Further details can be found in paragraph 5.1.

This report contains the final results of the assessments undertaken for all the proposed habitable rooms and the communal open space.

Overall, the results of the daylight analysis show that the proposed development will provide future occupants with excellent levels of daylight, with 87% of all the habitable rooms meeting or exceeding the levels of Average Daylight Factor (ADF) recommended by BRE. In addition, 98% of all rooms will also see good levels of No-Sky Line (NSL) and all of them have been designed in accordance with the Room Depth Criterion (RDC) where applicable. Further detail can be found in section 5.2.

In terms of sunlight, 27 (96%) out of all 28 living areas suitable for testing meet or exceed the recommendations by BRE and receive excellent levels of sunlight. Further detail can be found in section 5.3.

The overshadowing assessments of the communal open spaces show that, whilst not technically meeting the BRE recommendation, the proposed areas will be excellently sunlit throughout the summer. Further detail can be found in section 5.4.

GIA therefore conclude that the proposed scheme makes the most of the available daylight and sunlight and will offer overall excellent levels of daylight and sunlight amenity to future occupants.

2 INTRODUCTION

2.1 INTRODUCTION AND OBJECTIVE

GIA has been instructed to provide a report upon the potential availability of Daylight and Sunlight to the proposed accommodation within the residential scheme prepared by Stanhope Gate Architecture. GIA was specifically instructed to carry out the following:

- To create a 3D computer model of the proposal based upon drawings prepared by Stanhope Gate Architecture.
- Carry out a daylight assessment using the methodologies set out in the BRE guidance for Average Daylight Factor, No-Sky Line and Room Depth Criterion.
- Carry out a sunlight assessment using the methodologies set out in the BRE guidance for Annual Probable Sunlight Hours (APSH) to the fenestration facing within 90° of due south.
- Carry out an overshadowing assessment using the methodology set out in the BRE guidance for Sun Hours On Ground (SHOG) for all relevant amenity areas.
- Prepare a report setting out the analysis and our findings.



з BRE GUIDELINES

The Building Research Establishment (BRE) have set out in their handbook 'Site Layout Planning for Daylight and Sunlight a Guide to Good Practice (2011)', guidelines and methodology for the measurement and assessment of daylight and sunlight within proposed buildings.

The guide also provides advice on site layout planning to determine the quality of daylight and sunlight within open spaces between buildings.

It is important to note, however, that this document is a guide and states that its aim *"is to help rather than constrain the designer"*.

The document provides advice, but also clearly states that it "is not mandatory and this document should not be seen as an instrument of planning policy." The report also acknowledges in its introduction that "in special circumstances the developer or planning authority may wish to use different target values. For example, in a historic city centre a higher degree of obstruction may be unavoidable if new developments are to match the height and proportions of existing buildings."

It is an inevitable consequence of the built up urban environment that daylight and sunlight will be more limited in these areas. It is well acknowledged that in such situations there may be many other conflicting and potentially more important planning and urban design matters to consider other than just the provision of ideal levels of daylight and sunlight.

3.1 DAYLIGHT

The BRE set out various methods for assessing the daylight within a proposed building within section 2.1 and Appendix C of the handbook. These are summarised below.

Vertical Sky Component (VSC)

This method of assessment can be undertaken using a skylight indicator or a Waldram diagram. It measures from a single point, at the centre of the window (if known at the early design stage), the quantum of sky visible taking into account all external obstructions. Whilst these obstructions can be either other buildings or the general landscape, trees are usually ignored unless they form a continuous or dense belt of obstruction.

The VSC method is a useful 'rule of thumb' but has some significant limitations in determining the true quality of daylight within a proposed building. It does not take into account the size of the window, any reflected light off external obstructions, any reflected light within the room, or the use to which that room is put. Appendix C of the guide goes into more detail on these matters and sets forward alternative methods for assessment to overcome these limitations.

Appendix C of the BRE guide: Interior Daylighting Recommendations, states:

"The British Standard Code of practice for daylighting (BS 8206-2) and the CIBSE Lighting Guide LG 10 Daylighting and window design contain advice and guidance on interior daylighting. The guidance contained in this publication (BR 209) is intended to be used with BS 8206-2 and LG 10. Both these publications refer to BR 209.

For skylight BS 8206-2 and LG 10 put forward three main criteria, based on average daylight factor (ADF); room depth; and the position of the no sky line."

These assessments are set out below.

Average Daylight Factor (ADF)

"If a predominantly daylit appearance is required, then the ADF should be 5% or more if there is no supplementary electric lighting, or 2% or more if supplementary electric lighting is provided. There are additional recommendations for dwellings of 2% for kitchens, 1.5% for living rooms and 1% for bedrooms. These additional recommendations are minimum values of ADF which should be attained even if a predominantly daylit appearance is not achievable."

This method of assessment takes into account the total glazed area to the room, the transmittance quality of the glazing proposed, the total area of the room surfaces including ceilings and floors, and the internal average reflectance for the room being assessed. The method also takes into account the Vertical Sky Component and the quantum of reflected light off external surfaces.

This is, therefore, a significantly more detailed method of assessment than the Vertical Sky Component method set out above.

Room Depth Criterion (RDC)

Where it has access to daylight from windows in one wall only, the depth of a room can become a factor in determining the quantity of light within it. The BRE guidance provides a simple method for examining the ratio of room depth to window area. However, whilst it does take into account internal surface reflections, this method also has significant limitations in that it does not take into account any obstructions outside the window and therefore draws no input from the quantity of light entering the room.

No Sky Line (NSL)

This third method of assessment is a simple test to establish where within the proposed room the sky will be visible through the windows, taking into account external obstructions. The assessment is undertaken at working plane height (850mm above floor level) and the method of calculation is set out in Appendix D of the BRE handbook.

Appendix C of the BRE handbook states "If a significant area of the working plane (normally more than 20%) lies beyond the no sky line (ie it receives no direct skylight) then the distribution of daylight in the room will look poor and supplementary electric lighting will be required." To guarantee a satisfactory daylight uniformity, the area which does not receive direct skylight should not exceed 20% of the floor area, as quantified in the BS 8206 Part2 2008.

Summary

The Average Daylight Factor gives a more detailed assessment of the daylight within a room and takes into account the highest number of factors in establishing a quantitative output.

However, the conclusion of Appendix C of the BRE guide states:

"[All three of] the criteria need to be satisfied if the whole of the room is to look adequately daylit. Even if the amount of daylight in a room (given by the Average Daylight Factor) is sufficient, the overall daylight appearance will be impaired if its distribution is poor."

In most urban areas it is important to recognise that the distribution of daylight within a room may be difficult to achieve, given the built up nature of the environment. Consequently, most local authorities seek to ensure that there is sufficient daylight within the room as determined by the Average Daylight Factor calculation. However, the additional recommendations of the BRE and British Standard for residential accommodation, set out above, ought not to be overlooked.



3.2 SUNLIGHT

The BRE provide guidance in respect of sunlight quality for new developments within section 3.1 of the handbook. It is generally acknowledged that the presence of sunlight is more significant in residential accommodation than it is in commercial properties, and this is reflected in the BRE document.

It states, "in housing, the main requirement for sunlight is in living rooms, where it is valued at any time of the day, but especially in the afternoon. Sunlight is also required in conservatories. It is viewed as less important in bedrooms and in kitchens where people prefer it in the morning rather than the afternoon."

The BRE guide considers the critical aspects of orientation and overshadowing in determining the availability of sunlight at a proposed development site.

The guide proposes minimizing the number of dwellings whose living room face solely north unless there is some compensating factor such as an appealing view to the north, and it suggests a number of techniques to do so. Further more, it discusses massing solutions with a sensitive approach to overshadowing, so as to maximize access to sunlight.

At the same time it acknowledges that the site's existing urban environment may impose orientation or overshadowing constraints which may not be possible to overcome.

To quantify sunlight access for interiors where sunlight is expected, it refers to the BS 82606-2 criterion of Annual Probable Sunlight Hours. APSH is defined as "the total number of hours in the year that the sun is expected to shine on unobstructed ground, allowing for average levels of cloudiness at the location in question." In line with the recommendation, APSH is measured from a point on the inside face of the window, should the locations have been decided. If these are unknown, sunlight availability is checked at points 1.6m above the ground or the lowest storey level on each main window wall, and no more than 5m apart. If a room has multiple windows on the same wall or on adjacent walls, the highest value of APSH should be taken into account. If a room has two windows on opposite walls, the APSH for each can be added together.

The summary of section 3.1 of the guide states as follows:

"In general, a dwelling or non-domestic building which has a particular requirement for sunlight, will appear reasonably sunlit provided that:

- At least one main window faces within 90 degrees of due south, and
- The centre of at least one window to a main living room can receive 25% of annual probable sunlight hours, including at least 5% of annual probable sunlight hours in the winter months between 21 September and 21 March. "

In paragraph 3.1.11 the BRE guidance suggests that if a room faces significantly North of due East or West it is unlikely to meet the recommended levels proposed by the BS 8206-2. As such, it is clear that only windows facing within 90 degrees of due South can be assessed using this methodology.

It is also worth noting how paragraph 5.3 of the BS 8206-2 suggests that with regards to sunlight duration "the degree of satisfaction is related to the expectation of sunlight. If a room is necessarily north facing or if the building is in a densely-built urban area, the absence of sunlight is more acceptable than when its exclusion seems arbitrary".

3.3 OVERSHADOWING

The BRE guidance in respect of overshadowing of amenity spaces is set out in section 3.3 of the handbook. Here it states as follows:

"Sunlight in the spaces between buildings has an important impact on the overall appearance and ambiance of a development. It is valuable for a number of reasons, to:

- provide attractive sunlit views (all year)
- make outdoor activities, like sitting out and children's play more pleasant (mainly warmer months)
- encourage plant growth (mainly spring and summer)
- dry out the ground, reducing moss and slime (mainly in colder months)
- melt frost, ice and snow (in winter)
- dry clothes (all year)"

Again, it must be acknowledged that in urban areas the availability of sunlight on the ground is a factor which is significantly controlled by the existing urban fabric around the site in question and so may have very little to do with the form of the development itself. Likewise there may be many other urban design, planning and site constraints which determine and run contrary to the best form, siting and location of a proposed development in terms of availability of sun on the ground.

The summary of section 3.3 of the guide states as follows:

"3. 3 .17 It is recommended that for it to appear adequately sunlit throughout the year, at least half of a garden or amenity area should receive at least two hours of sunlight on 21 March. If as a result of new development an existing garden or amenity area does not meet the above, and the area which can receive two hours of sun on 21 March is less than 0.8 times its former value, then the loss of sunlight is likely to be noticeable. If a detailed calculation cannot be carried out, it is recommended that the centre of the area should receive at least two hours of sunlight on 21 March."

3.4 FURTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION

Further information can be found in The Daylight in Urban Areas Design Guide (Energy Saving Trust CE257, 2007) which provides the following recommendation with regards to VSC levels in urban areas:

"If 'theta' (Visible sky angle) is greater than 65° (obstruction angle less than 25° or VSC at least 27 percent) conventional window design will usually give reasonable results.

If 'theta' is between 45° and 65° (obstruction angle between 25° and 45°, VSC between 15 and 27 percent), special measures such as larger windows and changes to room layout are usually needed to provide adequate daylight.

If 'theta' is between 25° and 45° (obstruction angle between 45° and 65°, VSC from 5 to 15 percent), it is very difficult to provide adequate daylight unless very large windows are used.

If 'theta' is less than 25° (obstruction angle more than 65°, VSC less than 5 percent) it is often impossible to achieve reasonable daylight, even if the whole window wall is glazed."



4 METHODOLOGY

In order to undertake the daylight and sunlight assessments set out in the previous pages, we have prepared a three dimensional computer model and used specialist lighting simulation software.

The three dimensional representation of the proposed development has been modelled using the scheme drawings provided to us by Stanhope Gate Architecture. This has been placed in the context of its surrounding buildings which have been modelled from survey information, photogrammetry, OS and site photographs. This allows for a precise model, which in turn ensures that analysis accurately represents the amount of daylight and sunlight available to the building facades, internal and external spaces, considering all of the surrounding obstructions and orientation.

4.1 SIMULATION ASSUMPTIONS

Where no values for reflectance, transmittance and maintenance factor were specified by the designer the following values from *BS 8206-2:2008, Annex A, tables A.1-A.6* were used for the calculation of Average Daylight Factor values. These values are shown in Table 1.

Table 01: Typical reflectance, transmittance and maintenance factors

REFLECTANCE VALUES:

Surrounding	0.2
Pavement	0.2
Grass	0.1
Water	0.1
Yellow brick	0.3
Red brick	0.2
Portland Stone	0.6
Concrete	0.4
Internal walls (light grey)	0.68
Internal ceiling (white paint)	0.85
Internal floor (medium veneer)	0.3
Internal floor (light veneer)	0.4

TRANSMITTANCE VALUESTVTriple glazing (Low-E):
Pilkington K Glass
4/12/4/12/4 Argon filled 90%0.63Double glazing (Low-E):
Pilkington K Glass
4/16/4 Argon filled 90%0.75Single glazing:
Pilkington Optifloat Clear
4mm Annealed0.90Translucent glazing (Low-E):
Pilkington Optifloat Opal -
4mm K /16/4mm Opal0.74

MAINTENANCE FACTORS: GLAZING TYPE	TV (Normal)	A.3	A.4	A.5	A.6	TV (Total)
Triple Low-E (frames modelled)	0.63	8	1	1	1	0.58
Triple Low-E (frames not modelled)	0.63	8	1	1	0.8	0.46
Triple Low-E (inclined, frames modelled)	0.63	8	2	1	1	0.53
Triple Low-E (inclined, frames not modelled)	0.63	8	2	1	0.8	0.42
Triple Low-E (horizontal, frames modelled)	0.63	8	З	1	1	0.48
Triple Low-E (horizontal, frames not modelled)	0.63	8	3	1	0.8	0.38
Double Low-E (frames modelled)	0.75	8	1	1	1	0.69
Double Low-E (frames not modelled)	0.75	8	1	1	0.8	0.55
Double Low-E (inclined, frames modelled)	0.75	8	2	1	1	0.63
Double Low-E (inclined, frames not modelled)	0.75	8	2	1	0.8	0.50
Double Low-E (horizontal, frames modelled)	0.75	8	3	1	1	0.57
Double Low-E (horizontal, frames not modelled)	0.75	8	3	1	0.8	0.46
Single						0.0-
(frames modelled)	0.9	8	1	1	1	0.83
Single (frames not modelled)	0.9	8	1	1	0.8	0.66
Single (inclined, frames modelled)	0.9	8	2	1	1	0.76
Single (inclined, frames not modelled)	0.9	8	2	1	0.8	0.60
Single (horizontal, frames modelled)	0.9	8	3	1	1	0.68
Single (horizontal, frames not modelled)	0.9	8	3	1	0.8	0.55
Double Translucent Low-E (frames modelled)	0.74	8	1	1	1	0.68
Double Translucent Low-E (frames not modelled)	0.74	8	1	1	0.8	0.54
Double Translucent Low-E (inclined, frames modelled)	0.74	8	2	1	1	0.62
Double Translucent Low-E (inclined, frames not modelled)	0.74	8	2	1	0.8	0.50
Double Translucent Low-E (horizontal, frames modelled)	0.74	8	3	1	1	0.56
Double Translucent Low-E (horizontal, frames not modelled)	0.74	8	3	1	0.8	0.45



5 CONCLUSIONS

5.1 **DESIGN EVOLUTION**

In order to ascertain the levels of daylight and sunlight within the proposed scheme at Branch Hill House, NW3 7LS, technical assessments have been undertaken within all proposed habitable rooms (i.e. Living rooms, Living/Kitchen/Dining rooms, Kitchens and Bedrooms) and the proposed communal open space. The results of the internal daylight and sunlight assessments can be found on pages 12 to 23 of this report, whilst those for the overshadowing of the communal open space can be found on pages 24 and 25.

GIA have worked alongside Stanhope Gate Architects to deliver a scheme that makes the most of the available daylight and sunlight to provide good quality residential accommodation. To this end, preliminary assessments on the massing have been undertaken from inception, and an iterative review of the internal layouts and façade details has been provided throughout the design process. Once the interim internal arrangements were set out, interim assessments have been carried out and advice on a room-by-room basis and on the communal open space has been provided to optimise daylight and sunlight amenity.

Strategies that have been implemented include:

- Prioritising daylight in living areas where it is typically most valued by occupants;
- Reconfiguring some of the internal layouts to optimise internal daylight;
- Reviewing the fenestration in a number of proposed rooms in response to the interim tests;
- Balancing the provision of private amenity in the form of balconies with the internal daylight and sunlight levels. Whilst providing a valuable form of amenity, these also introduce additional obstructions for the windows directly below, therefore reducing the light ingress within the rooms further;
- Reconfiguring the communal open space layout to provide good sunlight amenity.

The scheme makes excellent use of the daylight and sunlight available overall and will provide all future residents with very good daylight and sunlight amenity.

5.2 CONCLUSIONS ON DAYLIGHT

All proposed habitable rooms have been assessed for Average Daylight Factor (ADF), No-Sky Line (NSL) and Room Depth Criterion (RDC).

Overall, 125 (87%) out of all 143 proposed habitable rooms meet or exceed the BRE recommendation for daylight quantum (ADF) and 140 (98%) achieve the recommended level for sky visibility (NSL). All rooms have been designed in accordance with BRE's RDC, where applicable. It is worth noting that many rooms far exceed BRE's minimum recommendations, providing excellent daylit spaces.

Only two combined Living/Kitchen/Dining (L/K/D) spaces fall short of recommendation. One of these achieves the recommended 1.5% ADF for living rooms, whilst the other is very generously sized. In both cases, future occupants will be able to enjoy good daylight amenity in the front portions of these rooms.

Owing to the design objective of prioritising daylight in living areas, a number of secondary rooms see daylight levels below recommendation. These are two TV rooms, four bedrooms, and ten kitchens.

GIA conclude that the proposed development will offer its occupants very good levels of daylight overall.

5.3 CONCLUSIONS ON SUNLIGHT

In order to ascertain the levels of sunlight within the proposed residential accommodation, all the living spaces with a main window facing within 90 degrees of due south have been assessed for Annual Probable Sunlight Hours (APSH).

The results show that 27 (96%) out of all 28 rooms suitable for testing see excellent levels of sunlight throughout the year as well as during the winter months.

The only room seeing lower sunlight levels is located behind a large balcony. Whilst providing a valuable form of amenity, the balcony also intercepts sun rays, acting as shading device, therefore reducing sunlight ingress. Future occupants, however, will be able to enjoy sunlight amenity whilst using the balcony.

The scheme will therefore provide future occupants with excellent levels of sunlight amenity.

5.4 CONCLUSIONS ON OVERSHADOWING

As suggested by BRE, the proposed communal open space has been assessed for Sun Hours on Ground (SHOG).

The results presented on page 24 show that 37.2% and 27.8% of the two proposed communal areas will see more than two hours of direct sunlight on 21st March. Whilst not technically meeting the 50% recommendation by BRE, this is achieved only a few days later on 25th March and 30th March respectively.

In addition to the BRE test, sun exposure diagrams presented on page 25, illustrating the number of sunlight hours available in these areas throughout the summer months, from March to September. These diagrams demonstrate that most of the communal spaces will receive excellent sunlight exposure from April to August, when they are most likely to be in use.

As such, despite the areas not technically meeting the recommendation for sunlight by BRE, future occupants will be able to enjoy good sunlight amenity in the proposed communal open spaces.



6 INTERNAL DAYLIGHT & SUNLIGHT ASSESSMENTS

Basement						
		DAYLIGHT QUANTUM	DAYLIGHT DISTRIBUTION		SUNLIGHT (PROBABLE HOL	SUNLIGHT
ROOM REF.	ROOM USE	ADF (%)	NSL (%)	RDC	ANNUAL	WINTER
BASEMENT						
1	TV room	0.5	23	MET		

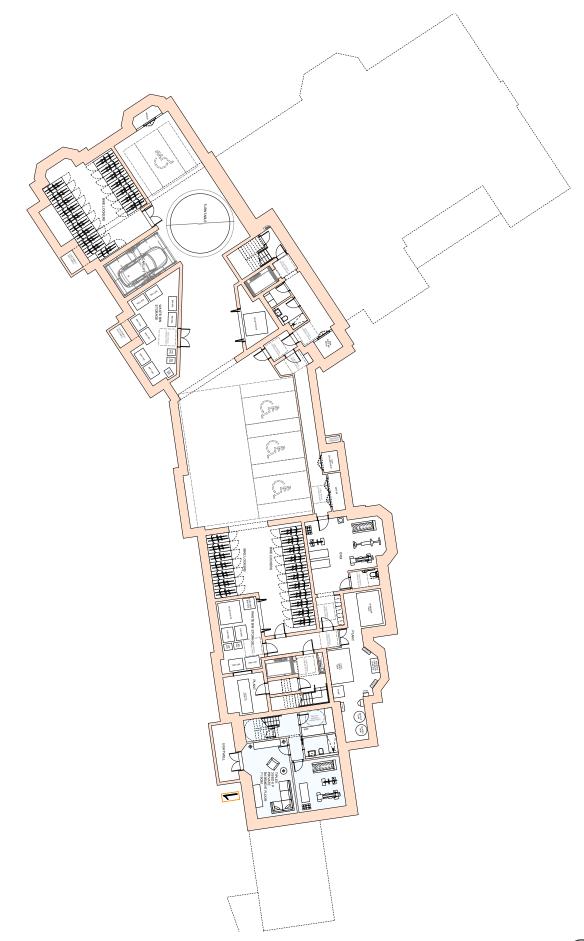


Fig. 01: Floor Plan





Ground Floor								
		DAYLIGHT QUANTUM	DAYLIGHT DISTRIBUTION		DAYLIGHT DISTRIBUTION		(PROBABL	T QUANTUM LE SUNLIGHT DURS)
ROOM REF.	ROOM USE	ADF (%)	NSL (%)	RDC	ANNUAL	WINTER		
GROUND FLC								
GROUND FLC	JOR							
2	Bedroom	3.5	100	N/A				
3	Bedroom	3.2	99	MET				
4	L/K/D	4.3	100	N/A	99	30		
5	Bedroom	1.9	97	MET				
6	Bedroom	1.2	96	MET				
7	Bedroom	2.8	100	N/A				
8	Living Room	2.4	96	N/A	74	28		
9	Study	2.1	100	MET				
10	Bedroom	1.7	96	MET				
11	Kitchen	0.7	100	MET				
12	Bedroom	1.4	97	MET				
13	Kitchen	2	99	MET				
14	Bedroom	2.4	98	MET				
15	Living Room	1.8	100	MET	74	26		
16	TV room	0.9	74	MET				
17	Kitchen	2.5	100	MET				
18	Bedroom	3.3	99	N/A				
19	Living Room	2.3	100	MET				
20	Bedroom	4	100	N/A				
21	Living Room	1.5	98	MET				
22	Bedroom	2.3	98	MET				
23	Bedroom	2.2	99	MET				
24	Bedroom	1.1	87	MET				
25	Bedroom	2.3	97	MET				
26	Bedroom	0.6	96	MET				
27	Bedroom	0.7	82	MET				
28	Bedroom	2.4	96	MET				
29	Living Room	2.5	99	MET	59	20		
30	Kitchen	2.3	99	MET				
31	Living Room	2.4	100	N/A	61	19		
32	Kitchen	1.6	98	MET				
33	Bedroom	2.9	99	MET				
34	Bedroom	1	90	MET				

Table 03: Assessment Data



Fig. 02: Floor Plan





First Floor								
		DAYLIGHT QUANTUM	DAYLIGHT DISTRIBUTION		DAYLIGHT DISTRIBUTION		(PROBABL	QUANTUM E SUNLIGHT JRS)
ROOM REF.	ROOM USE	ADF (%)	NSL (%)	RDC	ANNUAL	WINTER		
FIRST FLOOR								
35	Study	2.2	92	MET				
36	Living Room	4.2	100	N/A	64	22		
37	Bedroom	1.3	94	MET	04			
38	L/K/D	4	99	N/A	83	30		
39	Bedroom	1.4	97	MET	00	30		
40	Bedroom	1.4	97	MET				
41	L/K/D	2.1	99	MET	57	22		
42	Bedroom	2.2	100	MET				
43	L/K/D	0.7	98	MET	25	15		
44	Bedroom	1.9	99	MET	20			
45	Bedroom	2	98	MET				
46	Kitchen	1.3	100	MET				
47	Bedroom	1.9	98	MET				
48	Bedroom	2.9	98	MET				
49	Kitchen	1.5	100	N/A				
50	Bedroom	3.3	99	MET				
51	Bedroom	2.8	99	MET				
52	Kitchen	2.8	93	MET				
53	L/K/D	2.8	100	N/A	77	27		
54	Bedroom	2.4	96	N/A				
55	Study	3.3	97	MET				
56	Bedroom	3.9	99	N/A				
57	Living Room	2.4	100	N/A				
58	Bedroom	2.4	92	MET				
59	Living Room	1.5	100	MET				
60	Bedroom	2.3	96	MET				
61	Bedroom	2.2	95	MET				
62	Study	3	92	MET				
63	Bedroom	5.1	99	MET				
64	Bedroom	3.5	93	MET				
65	Bedroom	3.3	100	N/A				
66	Kitchen	3.4	99	MET				
67	Living Room	1.9	98	MET	33	9		

Table 04: Assessment Data

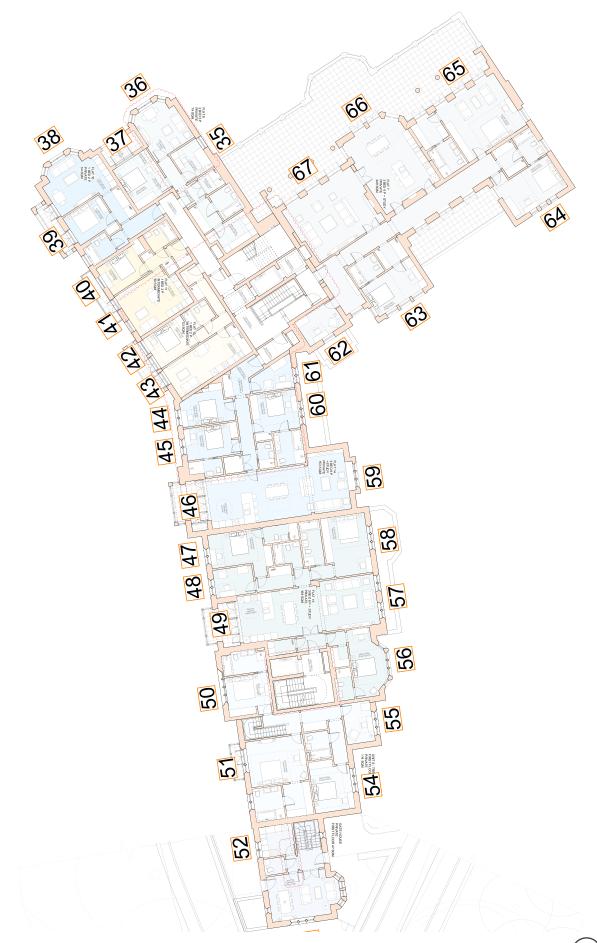


Fig. 03: Floor Plan



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Second Floor								
		DAYLIGHT QUANTUM	DAYLIGHT DISTRIBUTION		DAYLIGHT DISTRIBUTION		(PROBAB	IT QUANTUM LE SUNLIGHT DURS)
ROOM REF.	ROOM USE	ADF (%)	NSL (%)	RDC	ANNUAL	WINTER		
SECOND FLOOR								
68	Study	2.4	91	MET				
69	Living Room	4.4	100	N/A	67	23		
70	Bedroom	1.3	94	MET				
71	L/K/D	4.1	99	N/A	83	30		
72	Bedroom	1.4	97	MET				
73	Bedroom	1.9	97	MET				
74	Living Room	2.4	99	MET	57	22		
75	Living Room	1.6	100	MET	33	17		
76	Bedroom	1.2	95	MET				
77	Bedroom	1.9	96	MET				
78	Bedroom	2.2	96	MET				
79	Kitchen	1.3	100	N/A				
80	Bedroom	1.9	98	MET				
81	Bedroom	3	98	MET				
82	Kitchen	1.6	100	N/A				
83	Bedroom	3.9	98	MET				
84	Living Room	1.7	99	MET	14	14		
85	Kitchen	1.7	97	MET				
86	Bedroom	4.4	97	MET				
87	Bedroom	2.6	90	MET				
88	Bedroom	2.6	98	MET				
89	Bedroom	4.1	99	N/A				
90	Living Room	2.4	100	N/A				
91	Bedroom	2	92	MET				
92	Living Room	1.5	100	N/A				
93	Bedroom	2.5	98	MET				
94	Study	2.6	96	MET				



Fig. 04: Floor Plan





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Third Floor						
		DAYLIGHT QUANTUM	DAYLIGHT DISTRIBUTION		(PROBABLE	QUANTUM E SUNLIGHT JRS)
ROOM REF.	ROOM USE	ADF (%)	NSL (%)	RDC	ANNUAL	WINTER
THIRD FLOOR)					
	•					
95	Living Room	4.3	99	N/A	55	18
96	Bedroom	2.6	93	MET		
97	Bedroom	3.9	99	N/A		
98	Bedroom	2.4	97	MET		
99	Bedroom	2.4	97	MET		
100	Living Room	2.6	99	MET	65	23
101	Living Room	1.6	100	MET	33	17
102	Bedroom	1.2	95	MET		
103	Bedroom	1.8	99	MET		
104	Bedroom	1.3	92	MET		
105	Kitchen	1.5	100	MET		
106	Bedroom	2.1	97	MET		
107	Bedroom	3.1	98	MET		
108	Kitchen	1.8	100	MET		
109	Living Room	2	94	MET	72	28
110	Kitchen	1.4	97	MET		
111	Bedroom	1.4	94	N/A		
112	Bedroom	2.2	100	N/A		
113	Bedroom	0.6	79	MET		
114	Bedroom	1.9	93	MET		
115	Living Room	2	100	MET		
116	Bedroom	1.8	92	MET		
117	Living Room	2.3	100	MET		
118	Bedroom	2.9	95	N/A		
119	Study	2.5	96	MET		
120	Bedroom	6.3	99	MET		
121	Bedroom	3.9	98	N/A		
122	Bedroom	4.4	99	N/A		
123	L/K/D	3.8	100	MET	71	23
124	Living Room	2.8	99	MET	55	16

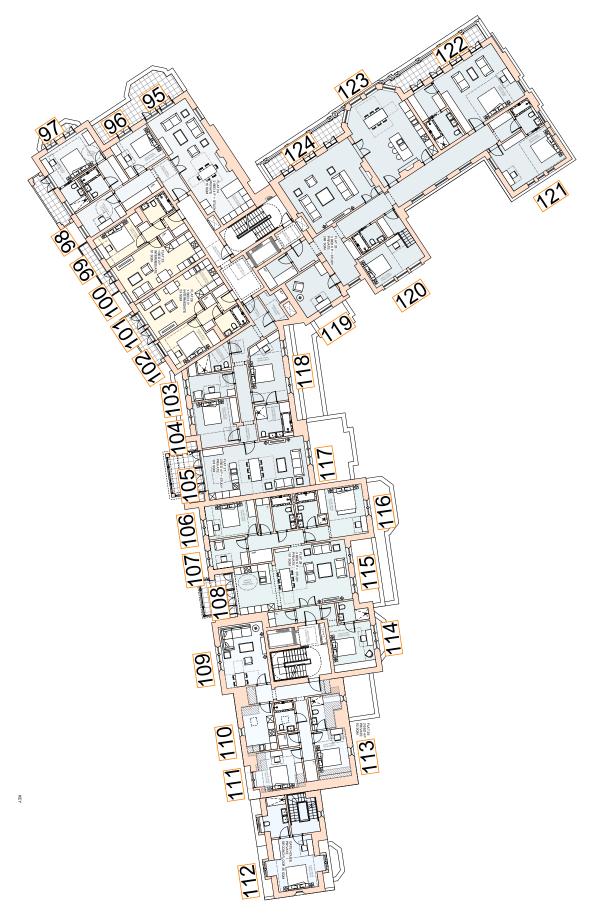


Fig. 05: Floor Plan





Fourth Floor							
		DAYLIGHT QUANTUM	DAYLIGHT DISTRIBUTION				QUANTUM SUNLIGHT JRS)
ROOM REF.	ROOM USE	ADF (%)	NSL (%)	RDC		ANNUAL	WINTER
FOURTH FLO							
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125	L/K/D	2.3	98	N/A		99	30
126	Bedroom	1.4	92	MET			
127	Bedroom	1.5	92	MET			
128	Bedroom	1.4	91	MET			
129	Bedroom	1.2	96	MET			
130	Bedroom	1.9	83	MET			
131	Bedroom	2.5	94	MET			
132	L/K/D	1.5	95	MET		72	28
133	Bedroom	1.1	94	MET			
134	L/K/D	2.8	100	N/A		96	29
135	Bedroom	0.8	91	MET			
136	L/K/D	2.7	100	N/A		68	8
137	Bedroom	3.6	100	MET			
138	Study	2.7	98	MET			
139	Bedroom	2.3	98	MET			
140	Bedroom	3.5	99	N/A			
141	Bedroom	1.9	99	MET			
142	L/K/D	2.3	98	MET		59	20
143	Living Room	1.5	95	MET		59	21

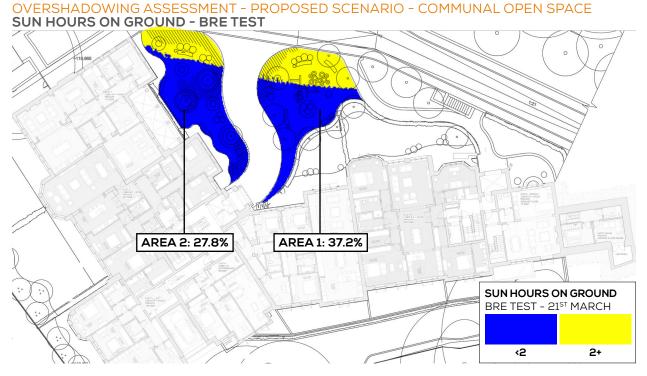


Fig. 06: Floor Plan

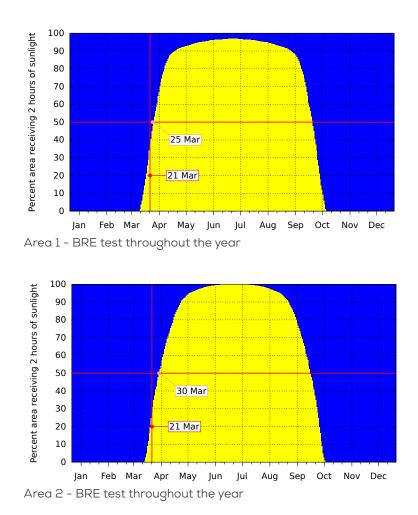


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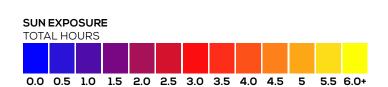


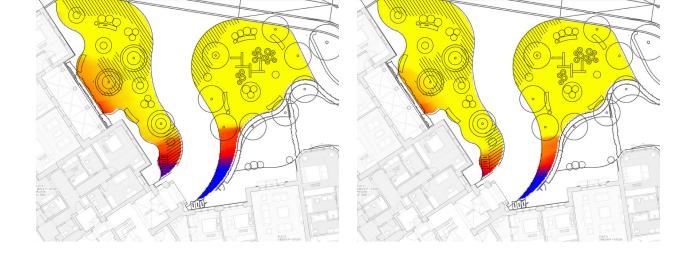
(BRE RECOMMENDS 2+ HOURS OF SUNLIGHT ON 21ST MARCH FOR AT LEAST 50% OF THE OPEN SPACE)



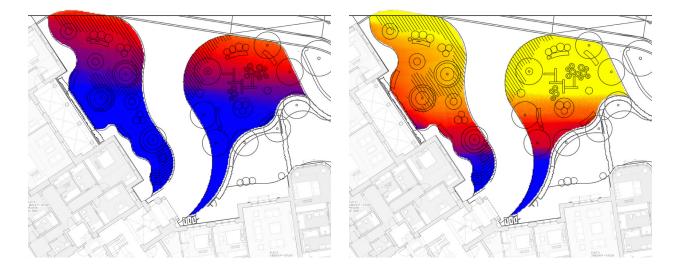
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21ST MAY (21ST JULY) 21ST JUNE



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