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For the attention of Laura Hazelton

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Space House – Structural Statement for Minor Material Amendments to Planning Permission (ref: 2019/2773/P) and Listed Building Consent (ref: 2019/2790/L)

Laura,

We have produced this structural statement to support the section 73 and section 19 applications in respect of the listed building consent and planning application approval for Space House project (refs: 2019/2773/P and 2019/2790/L).

As part of a structural due diligence check, it was discovered that the existing reinforced concrete transfer slab, at the north end of the Tower at 1st floor level, had less structural capacity than we expected, given our understanding of the loadings that the building was originally designed for according to the original archive structural calculations.

This transfer slab is supporting the existing reinforced concrete columns from 1st floor up to roof level, which carry part of the existing slabs at each level. Additional floors approved under existing planning consent increase the load on existing columns and therefore the transfer slab. Further QA checks carried out during RIBA Design Stages 3 & 4 reveal strengthening of the transfer slab is now necessary.

Our proposal for strengthening is to add new reinforced concrete walls adjacent to the northern internal columns at 1st floor level, which will enable any additional loads to be transferred directly to the columns below the 1st floor slab, rather than loading the slab itself. This solution was chosen as it provides the required level of structural integrity but with minimal intervention to the existing building fabric.

The strengthening works proposed will ensure that the structural integrity of the listed building will be secured.

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