

Existing Plan View Scale 1:50



## A. Walls, Floor and Foundations

-Trench-fill concrete foundations, 600 mm wide, minimum one metre deep or to existing foundation depth, onto solid ground to local authority approval. If any trees are close enough that will affect the ground conditions, the foundation should be deep enough not to be affected by ground movement. To avoid confusion on depth of foundations and ground conditions a trial hole and soil test should be done prior to works on site.

-Lean fill-mix in the cavity up to 225mm below the damp proof course (D.P.C.).

- -The floor is to have a 65mm screed onto 100mm concrete floor slab, insulation in 'L' below, 1200 gauge damp proof membrane taken up and tucked into damp proof course, onto 150mm of compacted sand blinded hardcore on vegetation free subsoil. -The outer wall is to be built of 100mm facing bricks to match existing building, 100mm Dritherm 37 to cavity; the inner wall is to be 100 mm solid Optilyte-Ultra blocks or Celcon Solar blocks. Ensure that cavities are kept clean of mortar snots and other debris. Expansion joints are to be fitted in blockwork panels that exceed six metres in length.
- -Profile bond, strongholds or screwties to all new wall junctions, tooth bond where the new wall is flush with the existing -Plaster board on dabs with continuous ribbon of adhesive to all edges and openings and 5mm skim to all inner block wall surfaces. -Stainless steel wall ties between cavity walls 750mm spacing horizontally, 450mm vertically and 225mm at reveal openings. -I.G. lintel, L1/S 100 over all openings 150 mm end bearing with cavity trays over and weep holes at 450 mm C.T.S.

#### A. Structure, Roof

- -Proprietary valley trays or code 4 lead to the valleys. -The wall plate is to be 100 x 75mm timber, tied to the wall with 30 x 5mm galvanized steel ties at 1800mm C.T.S. -A traditional cut roof construction is to be used, use 150 x 50mm rafters and ceiling joists at 400mm centres with 200 x 50mm
- ridge board. The rafters are to be doubled up each side of an opening greater than 400mm centres. -The roof angle is to match existing of approximately  $32^{\circ}$ .
- -Tie the gable end to the roof structure at verge and ceiling level with 30 x 5mm galvanized steel anchors to span three joists with timber packers between joists at 1800mm centre's. -A vapour permeable breather membrane over the rafters with 10mm drape with carrier at eaves if needed with slating battens
- -Concrete roof tiles and ridges to match existing, fixed to B.S 5534. Every tile to be fixed and mortar should not be used as sole
- -A vapour control layer at the sloping ceiling level or foil backed plasterboards; all penetrations through the ceiling into the roof space are to be sealed with flexible sealant.

# B. Fire Safety, Means of Escape

–Mains interlinked smoke alarms with battery backup fixed to ceiling to BS 5839 EN 14604. The smoke alarms should be sited so that there is a smoke alarm in the circulation space within 7.5 metres of the door to every habitable room and are ceiling mounted. Radio link alarm for the second alarm is acceptable

- -The roof windows are to be constructed to class 1 fire resistance, either timber or steel and not plastic. -All internal surfaces and penetrations are to be fireproofed to class 1, e.g.12.5mm Plasterboard and skim
- C. Site Preparation and Resistance to Contaminants and Moisture
- -The floor is to be protected from damp by installing a 1200 gauge damp proof membrane within the floor construction and tucked up into the wall damp proof course; a separating layer of building paper between P.I.R. insulation and the concrete. -Blue bricks on outer wall and a felt damp proof course on the inner wall to form the damp proof course (D.P.C.).
- –Ground level to be a minimum of 150 mm below D.P.C. -Radon gas area; full protection is required unless a full geological report shows otherwise. Radon gas is radioactive, has no taste,
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- F. Means of Ventilation

-Trickle vents in windows approx 1.7m above floor level in all habitable rooms of not less than 5000mm<sup>2</sup> and 2500mm<sup>2</sup> in the kitchen, utility and bathroom.

### -Natural ventilation in all habitable rooms of minimum 1/20 of total floor area to be provided by opening windows.

H. Drainage and Waste Disposal -115mm wide guttering and 68mm rain water pipe to drain into the following, listed in order of priority. 1. New soakaway 5 metres from any building. 2. A nearby stream if applicable. 3. Into the existing sewer with permission of local water authority. -The soak away should be 1200mm square and 1200mm below drain invert and 5 metres away from any building or road. A percolation test is required on construction of new soakaway. The soakaway is to be in accordance with BRE Digest 365.

#### -Any connection to drains to be made obliquely in the direction of flow. J. Combustion Appliances and Fuel Storage Systems

-If the boiler is to be replaced and moved, use an approved contractor with an installation and commissioning certificate supplied on completion of installation. The SUDBEK rating of the boiler is to be band 'A'. The position of the boiler is to be to Building Regulations Part J and to be approved by LBC officer.

#### -Heating system extended into new area with thermostatic radiator valves. K. Protection from Falling, Collision and Impact

-Glazing below 800mm high from floor in windows and partitions and below 1500mm in doors and side panels to be toughened or laminated to BS EN 12600 section 4 and BS 6206 clause 5.3. Glazing, if broke on impact, break in a way, which is un-likely to cause injury; or resist impact without breaking; or be shielded or protected from impact.

L. Conservation of Fuel and Power (Insulation)

-Use a total of 300 mm loft roll insulation between and across roof joists at ceiling level to give 0.16 'U' value. -150 mm loft roll insulation between roof joists at ceiling level and 150 mm across joists to give 0.16 'U' value, if 300mm of

insulation guilt cannot be achieved at the eaves use 100mm of Quinn Therm 'QR' rigid insulation. -Roof and wall insulation to meet at eaves with no gaps and wall insulation extended 150mm below the top of floor insulation

-100mm outer brick wall, 100mm Dritherm 37 to cavity down to 150mm below top of finished floor level and 100mm solid Optilyte block or Celcon Solar blocks and plasterboard on dabs with continuous ribbon of adhesive to all edges and openings and 5mm plaster skim to give 0.28 'U' value.

-Cavity and sill closures to all cavity closures around doors, windows etc. -100mm Kingspan Thermafloor under floor slab with 25mm thick turned up at edges to give 0.22 'U' value. Alternatively use 100mm Springvale Platinum Floorshield (expanded polystyrene) with 25mm turned up at the edges to give 0.21 'U' value.

-PVCu frame windows to match existing style, Low 'E' double-glazing to give a minimum 'U' value of 1.6 W/m<sup>2</sup>K. Window frame to cloak cavity by 30mm to avoid cold to transfer onto inner surface and in turn reduce condensation. All windows to be fitted with

easy clean hinges to allow for cleaning from inside where possible. - All fixed lighting is to be fitted with low energy lamps, e.g. fluorescent, compact fluorescent or LED's.

## P. Electrical Safety

-The electrical work in an extension that is 'Notifiable' is, the installation of a new circuit, the replacement of a new consumer unit, work in a special location within a bathroom area highlighted in Part 'P' and installations to the exterior of the dwelling. -When extending or altering an electrical installation, only the new work must meet current standards and 'Part P' compliant. A completion certificate is to be supplied to the local authority building control on completion of all 'Notifiable' work.

-All works within boundary line.

- -Copyright, not to be copied or altered without permission from the creator.
- -Scale as indicated on individual views.
- -Dimensions should be checked on site prior to works commencing on site and subject to site conditions and existing wall thicknesses. Any discrepancies to be reported
- -Total extended floor area is  $24m^2$
- -All inaccessible glazing and fascia boards/guttering to be cleaned by an accredited person or contractor
- -Comply with the HSE Construction regulations.
- -It is illegal to build over or within 3 metres of a public sewer without first obtaining formal approval from the local water authority via a
- 'Build Over Agreement' before work starts on site. It is the responsibility of the site owner to ensure approval of the 'build over agreement' before work starts on site. It is advisable to contact the local water authority prior to work on site to check if there are sewers present which are not apparent on the site. -It is the site owners responsibility that Building regulation approval is gained prior to work on site and communicated with the contractor.

–If in doubt ask!!! –Under the Construction (Design & Management) Regulations 2015, which came into effect on 6<sup>th</sup> April 2015 domestic clients, their designers and contractors are required to comply with the regulations. The regulation requires that someone takes responsibility for the

safety of works on site. Until the appointment is made the client holds the legal responsibility and liability. For help download a 'CDM 2015 What a client need to do' information sheet from the HSE web site. The limit of Taylor's Drawings liability is the preparation of the plan and ceases with the submitting of the planning application and / or Building regulations application. Taylor's Drawings do not have any involvement with the construction phase or works to completion.

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