

PROPOSED GROUND FLOOR PLAN

THE BUILDING/S SHOWN ON THESE APPROVED DRAWINGS SHALL MEET BRE CODE FOR SUSTAINABLE HOMES (VERSION 3) LEVEL 3, AND SHALL OBTAIN A MIN OF 1 CREDIT UNDER THE ENE 1 (DWELLINGS EMISSION RATE). TO ENSURE DEVELOPMENT IS CONSTRUCTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH NATIONAL BUILDING STANDARDS.

A FINAL CERTIFICATE TO SHOW THE ABOVE CRITERIA HAS BEEN MET WILL NEED TO BE SUBMITTED TO LOCAL AUTHORITY PRIOR TO OCCUPATION.

INTERNAL FIRE SPREAD:

225MM SOLID BLOCKWORK WALL WITH 12.5MM PLASTERBOARD AND SKIM TO SEPARATE DWELLINGS TO BE CONSTRUCTED SO THAT IN THE EVENT OF A FIRE ITS ITS STABILITY WILL BE MAINTAINED FOR A REASONABLE PERIOD AND TO ADEQUATELY RESIST THE SPREAD OF FIRE BETWEEN THE BUILDINGS.

THIS WALL TO MEET REQUIREMENTS OF PART B3 OF THE CURRENT BUILDING REGULATIONS.

EXTERNAL FIRE SPREAD:

EXTERNAL WALLS TO BE CONSTRUCTED AS SPECIFIED TO RESIST FIRE SPREAD OVER THE WALLS FROM ONE BUILDING TO ANOTHER USE ROCKWOOL CAVITY SOCKS TO SEAL OFF TOPS OF CAVITIES AND RESIST FIRE SPREAD FROM ONE ROOF TO ANOTHER TO MEET REQUIREMENTS OF PART B4 1 & 2 OF THE CURRENT BUILDING REGIS.

STEEL BEAMS: FOR STEEL BEAM SIZING, PADSTONES, PIERS AND FOOTINGS DETAILS PLEASE REFER TO STRUCTURAL ENGINEERS CALCULATIONS.

LINTOLS:

LINTOLS SHOULD BE SUITABLY PROPPED DURING CONSTRUCTION AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH NHBC GUIDELINES.

SPECIFICATION

CDM REGULATIONS:

THE OWNER, SHOULD THEY NEED TO DO SO, MUST ABIDE BY THE CONSTRUCTION DESIGN AND MANAGEMENT REGULATIONS 2007 WHICH RELATE TO ANY BUILDING WORKS INVOLVING MORE THAN 500 MAN HOURS OR LONGER THAN 30 DAYS DURATION, IT IS THE CLIENTS RESPONSIBILITY TO APPOINT A PLANNING SUPERVISOR ON ALL PROJECTS THAT REQUIRE COMPLIANCE WITH THE CDM REGULATIONS.

THERMAL BRIDGING:

CARE SHALL BE TAKEN TO LIMIT THE OCCURANCE OF THERMAL BRIDGING IN THE INSULATION LAYERS CAUSED BY GIAPS WITHIN THE THERMAL ELEMENT, (I.E AROUND WINDOW AND DOOR OPENINGS). REASONABLE PROVISION SHALL ALSO BE MADE TO ENSURE THE EXTENSION / NEW BUILD WORKS ARE CONSTRUCTED TO MINIMISE UNWANTED AIR LEAKAGE THROUGH THE NEW BUILDING FABRIC.

SITE PREPARATION:

GROUND TO BE PREPARED FOR NEW WORKS BY REMOVING ALL UNSUITABLE MATERIAL. VEGETABLE MATTER AND TREE OR SHRUB ROOTS TO A SUITABLE DEPTH TO PREVENT FUTURE GROWTH. SEAL UP, CAP OFF, DISCONNECT AND REMOVE EXISTING REDUNDANT SERVICES AS NECESSARY. REASONABLE PRECAUTIONS MUST ALSO BE TAKEN TO AVOID DANGER TO HEALTH AND SAFETY CAUSED BY CONTAMINANTS AND GROUND GASES E.G. LANDFILL GASES, RADON, VAPOURS ETC. ON OR IN THE GROUND COVERED OR TO BE COVERED IN THE BUILDING.

EXISTING STRUCTURE:

EXISTING STRUCTURE INCLUDING FOUNDATIONS, BEAMS, WALLS AND LINTELS CARRYING NEW AND ALTERED LOADS ETC BE EXPOSED AND CHECKED FOR ADEQUACY PRIOR TO COMMENCEMENT OF NEW WORK AND AS REQUIRED BY THE BUILDING CONTROL OFFICER.

NEW DOORS:

NEW DOORS TO ACHIEVE U-VALUE OF 1.8W/m2K. GLAZED AREAS TO BE DOUBLE GLAZED WITH 16MM ARGON GAP AND LOW-E GLASS. GLASS TO BE TOUGHENED OR LAMINATED SAFETY GLASS TO BS 6206 AND TO PART N OF THE CURRENT BUILDING REGULATIONS.

RAINWATER DRAINAGE/SOAKAWAY:

NEW RAINWATER GOODS TO MATCH EXISTING PROPERTY AND CONNECTED TO 68MM DIAM. DOWNPIPES. RAINWATER TO BE TAKEN TO NEW SOAKAWAY, SITED A MIN OF 5.0M AWAY FROM ANY BUILDING, VIA A 110MM DIAM PVC PIPE SURROUNDED IN 150MM GRANULAR MATERIAL LAID TO A 1:40 FALL. SOAKAWAY TO BE A MIN OF 1.0 CUBIC METRE CAPACITY (OR TO A DEPTH TO LOCAL AUTHORITY APPROVAL) WITH SUITABLE GRANULAR FILL AND WITH GEOTEXTILE SURROUND TO PREVENT MIGRATION OF FINES. IF NECESSARY CARRY OUT A POROSITY TEST TO DETERMINE DESIGN AND DEPTH OF SOAKAWAY.

PROPOSED FIRST FLOOR PLAN

FIRE PROTECTION:

ENCASE NEW STEEL BEAMS AND STRUCUTRAL SUPPORTS IN TWO LAYERS OF 12.5MM GYSUM PLASTERBOARD OR GYPROC FIRECASE OR PAINTED IN NULLFIRE S INTUMESCENT PAINT APPROVED SIMILAR MATERIAL TO ACHIEVE 1 HOUR FIRE PROTECTION. ANY METHOD OF FIRE PROTECTION TO BE STRICTLY INSTALLED AS DETAILED BY THE MANUFACTURER

WINDOW AND DOOR OPENINGS:

FORM NEW OPENINGS AS SHOWN.

PROVIDE CATNIC STANDARD DUTY FULLY INSULATED LINTOLS REF. CG/100 TO SUIT CAVITIES 110MM, ENSURE 150MM END BEARINGS ARE ALLOWED FOR WHEN ORDERING LINTOLS.

DOWNLIGHTERS AND RECESSED LIGHTING MAY BE USED IF THERE IS A MINIMUM 100MM CEILING VOID PROVIDING THAT THEY ARE IN:

- 1. ACCORDANCE WITH MANUFACTURER INSTRUCTIONS
- 2. AT NO MORE THAN ONE LIGHT PER 2m2 OF CEILING AREA
- IN EACH ROOM
- 3. AT CENTRES OF NOT LESS THAN 0.75m.
- 4. INTO OPENINGS NOT EXCEEDING 100mm DIAMETER OR 100x100mm

PARTICULAR ATTENTION SHOULD ALSO BE PAID TO BUILDING REGULATIONS PART B - FIRE SAFETY.

