

**Intrusive Investigations
Specification for temporary works**

The Dominion Centre
Wood Green



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1. Introduction

This document has been prepared to provide a specification for the temporary works during the intrusive structural investigations.

The investigations, as identified by Stuart Tappin of Stand Consulting Engineering, are to confirm the steel structure supporting the high-level cornice of the building and to also confirm its condition. The investigations will inform the repairs required.

The investigations will include opening up the brickwork in a number of locations to reveal the steel frame. This work is detailed in the Structural Specification and accompanying drawings.

2. Temporary works during Intrusive Investigations

2.1 Access

Access to the roof is provide via an existing scaffold to the front elevation.

2.2 Temporary works

The flat roof behind the brick cornice has recently been renewed and the contractor is required to provide protection to the new roof finishes whilst the investigative works are being undertaken.

Ply sheeting should be laid to a minimum of 1m depth from the brick parapet to all three sides to protect the new roof finishes, as shown indicatively in the below sketches. Further protection should be provided to the base of the wall with additional boards as required to protect the upstand, flashing and low-level fittings.

All materials arising from the opening up works are to be stored on the ply sheeting. The protective sheeting is to be extended accordingly to suit contractor requirements.

Ladders, trestles and any equipment required for the investigations are to be located on the ply to prevent damage to the roof finishes. The protective sheeting should be extended to accommodate this as necessary.

The contractor is to provide proposals for comment by the design team prior to works being undertaken.

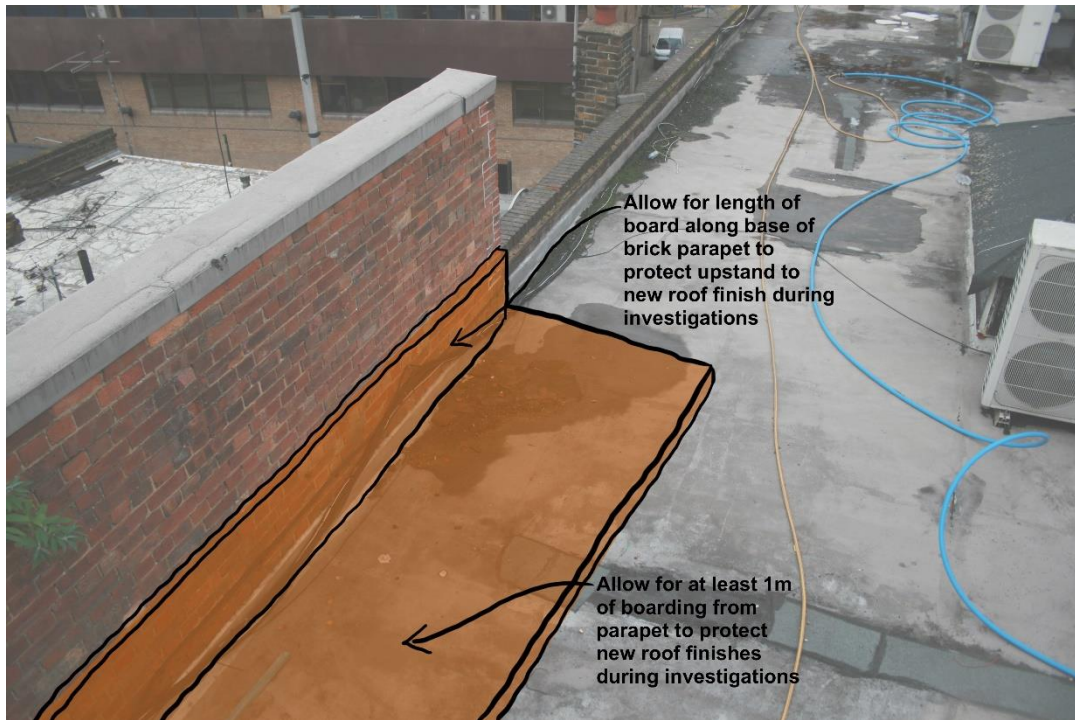


Fig 1. South Parapet

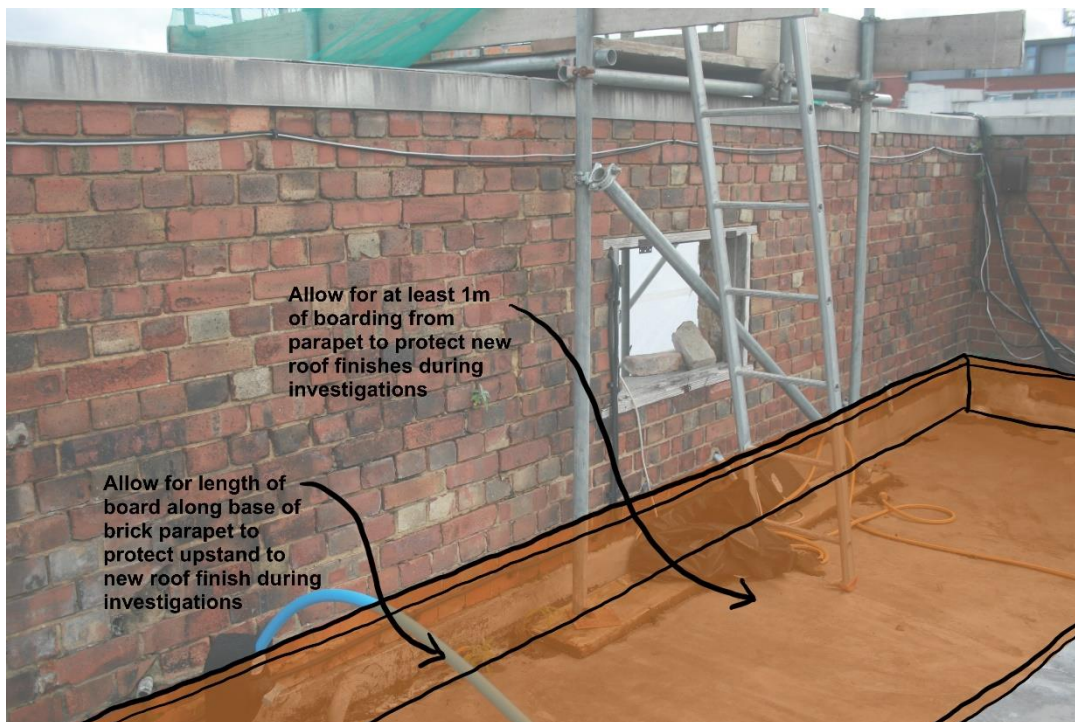


Fig 2. East Parapet (Rear of Front Elevation)



Fig 3. North Parapet