0. Strategic Definition
   1. Receive the Client’s instructions.
   2. Identify Client’s Business Case/Strategic Brief and other core project requirements.
   0.3 Where applicable, inform the Client of his duties under the CDM Regulations.
   0.4 Comply with the CDM Regulations and, where applicable, cooperate with the Planning Supervisor.
   0.5 Obtain information about the Site from the Client.
   0.6 Visit the Site and carry out an initial appraisal.
   0.7 Advise the Client on the need to obtain statutory approvals.
   0.8 Advise on the need for and consultants, specialists and suppliers.
   0.9 Establish Project Programme

2. Preparation and Brief
   1.1 Develop project objectives, including quality objectives and Project Outcome, Sustainability Aspirations, Project Budget and develop Initial Project Brief.
   2.1 Assist the Client in preparing the Client’s Requirements.
   2.2 Carry out studies necessary to determine the feasibility of the Client’s Requirements.
   2.3 Review Project Programme

3. Concept Design
   2.1 Prepare Concept Design, including outline proposal for the structural design, building services systems and outline specifications. Agree Design Programme and alterations to Client’s Requirements.
   2.2 Prepare an approximation of construction cost, or
   2.3 Provide information to others for cost planning.
   2.4 Develop Health and Safety strategy
   2.5 Review Project Programme

3. Developed Design
   3.1 Prepare Concept Design, including outline proposals for structural design, building service systems, outline specifications and preliminary Cost Information along with relevant Project Strategies in accordance with Design Programme. Agree alterations to brief and issue Final Project Brief.
   3.2 Prepare and submit an application for full planning permission and listed building consent.
   3.3 Review construction cost information, programme, and Health and Safety strategy.

4(a) Technical Design: Building Regulations
   4.1 Develop detail design from the approved scheme design.
   4.2 Coordinate and integrate any work by consultants, specialists and suppliers.
   4.3 Prepare production information sufficient for building regulation submission.
4.4 Prepare and submit applications for approvals under building acts and/or regulations and other statutory requirements.

4.5 Where applicable, prepare and give building notice under building acts and/or regulations.

4.6 Review construction cost information, programme, and Health and Safety strategy.

4(b) Technical Design: Tender

4.7 Develop and prepare Technical Design in accordance with Local Authority approvals to include all architectural, structural and building services information, specialist subcontractor design and specifications, in accordance with Design Programme.

4.8A Prepare schedules of works for tendering purposes, or,

4.8B Provide information for others to prepare schedules of rates and/or quantities and/or schedules of works for tendering purposes.

4.9 Provide information to others for revision of cost estimates.

4.10 Review programme and Health and Safety strategy

4.11 Advise on and obtain the Client’s approval of a list tenderers for the building contract.

4.12 Invite tenders.

4.14 Appraise and report on tenders/negotiations.

5 Construction

5.1 Advise the Client on the appointment of a Contractor and on the responsibilities of the parties and of the Architect under the building contract.

5.2 If required, prepare the building contract and arrange for it to be signed.

5.3 Administer the terms of the building contract, including visiting site on a periodic basis, normally to enable valuations to be prepared.

5.4 Monitor the progress of the Works against the Contractor’s programme, review progress with the Contractor and report to the Client.

5.5A Prepare and certify valuations of work carried out or completed.

Prepare financial reports for the Client, or

5.5B Certify valuations of work prepared by others.

Present to Client financial reports prepared by others.

5.6 Where applicable, pass information to the Planning Supervisor for the Health and Safety File.

6 Handover and Close Out

6.1 Handover of building and Conclusion of Building Contract.

6.2 Certify where applicable Practical Completion of the works.

6.3 Provide drawings showing the building and main lines of drainage and give general advice on maintenance.

6.4 Administer the terms of the building contract and make final inspections.

6.5A Settle Final Account, or

6.5B Provide information required by others for settling Final Account.

ADDITIONAL SERVICES - Additional services do not form part of the normal Architect’s services as outlined above. Additional services which are provided will result in an additional fee cost. An indication of the most common additional services follows; this list is not exhaustive.
These services do not form part of the normal Architect’s services as outlined in Schedule of Services. Any of the following services which are provided will result in an additional fee cost. An indication of the most common additional services follows; this list is not exhaustive.

1. Conduct exceptional negotiations in connection with planning permission or building acts and/or regulations and other statutory requirements and revise documentation.

2. Prepare special drawings, models or technical information for use by the Client.

3. Make measured surveys, take levels and prepare drawings of site and/or buildings.

4. Provide landscape design services.

5. Provide services in connection with party wall negotiations.

6. Provide services in respect of Health and Safety Planning Coordinator functions.

7. Undertake additional discussions/negotiations/contract administration/site visits with regard to the contractor not completing the contract on time.

8. Arrange for another contractor to complete the works in the event of the contracted contractor not doing so.

9. Provide information in connection with, or make applications for, or negotiate local authority, government or other grants.

10. Submit plans for proposed works for approval of landlords, funders, freeholders, tenants or others.

11. Prepare reports and/or schedule of condition of existing buildings or schedule of dilapidations.

12. Prepare, submit, and/or negotiate claims following damage by fire and other causes.

13. Provide interior design services.
The law applicable to the Agreement shall be the law of England and Wales.

2 The Architect shall, in providing the Services and discharging all the obligations set out hereunder, exercise reasonable skill and care in conformity with the normal standards of the Architect’s profession.

3 The Client shall act on behalf of the Client in matters set out or necessarily implied in the Appointment.

4 The Client shall advise the Architect of the relative priorities of the Client’s requirements, and shall inform the Architect of any changes or variations to the Client’s requirements, budget or timetable.

5 The Architect shall co-operate with any other designers and the CDM Planning Coordinator if appointed, and as appropriate pass relevant information to them.

6 The Architect shall make no material alteration, addition or omission from the Services, or from the approved design, with the knowledge and consent of the Client and shall confirm such consent in writing. In an emergency, the Architect may make such alteration, addition or omission without the knowledge and consent of the Client, but shall inform the Client without delay and subsequently confirm such action in writing.

7 The Architect shall in providing the Services, make such visits to the Works as the Architect at the date of the Appointment reasonably expects to be necessary.

8 The Client shall, free of charge, supply the Architect with accurate information necessary for the property and timely performance of the Services, and the Architect will rely on such information.

9 The Client shall give decisions and approvals necessary for the proper and timely performance of the Services.

10 The Client shall have authority to issue instructions to the Architect, subject to the Architect’s right of reasonable objection. Such instructions and all instructions to any consultants or contractors shall be issued through the Architect.

11 Neither the Architect nor the Client shall assign the whole or any part of the benefit or in any way transfer the obligation under the Appointment without the consent in writing of the other.

12 The Architect shall not appoint any Sub-consultant to perform any part of the Services without the consent of the Client, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld. The Architect shall confirm such consent in writing.

13 Subject always to the provisions of clause 2, the Architect does not warrant results or outcomes beyond his control, specifically:
   - that the Services will be completed in accordance with any programme or timetable for the Project;
   - that planning permission will be granted;
   - the performance, work or products of others;
   - the solvency of any other body appointed by the Client whether or not such appointment was made on the advice of the Architect.

14 The Client shall instruct the making of applications for planning permission and approval under building acts, Regulations and other statutory requirements, and Applications for consent by freeholders and all others having an interest in the Project. The Client shall pay any statutory charges and fees, and any expenses and disbursements made in respect of such applications.

15 Where applicable, the Client shall comply with his obligations under the CDM Regulations, including the appointment of a competent CDM Planning Coordinator as soon as practicable.

16 The client shall appoint and pay any consultants and other persons as may be required under separate Agreements.

17 The Client, in respect of any work or services in connection with the Project performed or to be performed by any person other than the Architect, shall:
   - hold such person responsible for the competence and Performance of the services and for visits to the site in connection with work undertaken by him;
   - hold the Principal Contractor where applicable, and/or other contractors, responsible for his management and operational methods, for the proper carrying out and completion of the Works, and for health and safety provisions on the Site.

18 The Architect’s fees shall be calculated and charged as set out in the Letter of Appointment.

19 Where a percentage basis is to be used, the Architect’s fees shall be calculated as a percentage of the total Construction Cost, excluding VAT, when the final valuation has been ascertained and agreed. By total Construction Cost is meant the cost as certified by the Architect of all works including the site works executed under the Architect’s direction and control, but also to include the cost of supplying and fitting any items purchased by the client outside the contract. For calculating percentage fees before the final cost has been ascertained, the following bases shall be used:
   - 7% of the contract is let – the cost estimate by the Architect or the appointed consultant;
   - 8% of the contract is let – the contract sum.

20 Time-based fees shall be ascertained in accordance with the rates set out in the Letter of Appointment.

21 Lump sums specified in the Letter of Appointment, time charge rates and mileage rates shall be reviewed every 12 months from the date on which the Architect commenced performance of the Services and may be reviewed in accordance with the Retail Price Index.

22 Additional fees shall be payable if the Architect, for reasons beyond his control, is involved in extra work or incurs extra expense, such as where:
   - the scope of the Services is varied by the Client;
   - it is necessary to vary any item of work commenced or completed due to the nature of the project or changes in interpretation, or enactment or of revisions to laws;
   - services by others are not provided or are delayed;
   - the Architect is to provide additional services relating to the settlement of disputes in connection with the Project.
   - the Architect provides any Additional Services.

23 The Client shall pay the expenses specified in the Letter of Appointment. Expenses other than those specified shall only be charged with the prior authorisation of the Client. The Client shall reimburse the Architect for any disbursements made on the Client’s behalf.

24 If the Architect is entitled to reimbursement of time spent on the Services performed on a time basis, and of expenses and disbursements, the Architect shall maintain records and shall make these available to the Client on reasonable request.

25 Payments under the appointment shall become due to the Architect on issue of the Architect’s accounts. The final date for such payments by the Client shall be 30 days from the date of issue of an account. The Architect’s accounts shall be issued at intervals of not less than one month, and shall include any additional fees, expenses or disbursements and state the basis of calculations of the amounts due.

26 Instalments of the fees shall be calculated on the basis of the Architect’s estimate of the percentage of completion of the Work Stage or other Services or such other method specified in the Letter of Appointment.
Payment Notices

27 A written notice from the Client to the Architect:

.1 may be given within 5 days of the date of issue of an account specifying the amount the Client proposes to pay and the basis of calculation of that amount; and/or

.2 shall be given not later than 5 days before the final date for payment of any amount due to the Architect by the Client to withhold payment of any part of that amount stating the amount proposed to be withheld and the ground for doing so or, if there is more than one ground, each ground and the amount attributable to it.

If no such notices are given the amount due shall be the amount stated as due in the account. The Client shall not delay payment of any undisputed part of an account.

Payment on suspension or termination

29 If the Client or the Architect suspends or terminates performance of the Services, the Architect shall be entitled to payment of any part of the fee or other amounts due at the date of suspension or termination on issue of the Architect’s account in accordance with clause 25.

30 Where the performance of the Services is suspended or terminated by the Client or suspended or terminated by the Architect because of a breach of the Agreement by the Client, the Architect shall be entitled to payment of all expenses and other costs necessarily incurred as a result of any suspension and any resumption or termination on issue of the Architect’s account in accordance with clause 25.

31 The Client shall pay any Value Added Tax chargeable on the net value of the Architect’s fees and expenses.

Copyright

31 The Architect owns the copyright in the work produced by him in performing the Services and generally asserts the right to be identified as the author of the artistic work/work of architecture comprising the Project.

Licence

32 The Client shall have a licence to copy and use and allow other consultants and contractors providing services to the Project to use and copy drawings, documents and bespoke software produced by the Architect in performing the Services, hereafter called 'the Material' for purposes related to the Project on the Site or part of the Site to which the design relates.

33 Such purposes shall include its operation, maintenance, repair, reinstatement, alteration, extending, promotion, leasing and/or sale but shall exclude the reproduction of the Architect’s design for any part of any extension of the Project and/or for any other project unless a licence fee is required in respect of any identified part of the Architect’s design is stated in the Letter of Appointment.

Provided that:

.1 The Architect shall not be liable if the Material is used for any purpose other than that for which it was prepared;

.2 in the event of any permitted use occurring after the date of the last Service performed under the Agreement and prior to practical completion of the construction of the Project, the Client shall:

(a) where the Architect has not completed Detailed Proposals (Work Stage D), obtain the Architect’s consent, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld; and/or

(b) pay to the Architect a reasonable licence fee where no licence fee is specified in the Letter of Appointment;

.3 in the event of the Client being in default of payment of any fees or other amounts due, the Architect may suspend use of the licence on giving 7 days notice of the intention of doing so. Use of the licence may be resumed on receipt of the outstanding amount.

Dispute resolution

37 Any dispute or difference arising out of this Agreement may be referred to adjudication by the Client or the Architect at any time. The adjudication procedures and the Agreement for the appointment of an Adjudicator shall be set out in the ‘Model Adjudication Procedures’ published by the Construction Industry Council Current at the date of the reference. Clause 28 of the ‘Model Adjudication Procedures’ shall be deleted and replaced as follows. The Adjudicator may in his Discretion direct the payment of legal costs and expenses of one party by another as part of his decision. The Adjudicator may determine the amount of costs to be paid or may delegate the task to an independent costs draftsmen'.

Negotiation or conciliation

38 In the event of any dispute or difference arising out of this Agreement the Client and the Architect may attempt to settle such differences, or dispute or negotiation or in accordance with the RIBA Conciliation Procedure.

Arbitration

40 When in accordance with the Letter of Appointment either the Client or the Architect require any dispute or difference to be referred to arbitration the requiring party shall give notice to the other to such effect and the dispute or difference shall be referred to arbitration and final decision of a person to be agreed between the parties, or failing agreement within 14 days of the date of the notice, the appointer shall be the person identified in the Letter of Appointment.

Provided that:

.1 The Client or the Architect may litigate any claim for a pecuniary remedy which does not exceed £5,000 or such other sum as is provided pursuant to section 91 of the Arbitration Act 1996;

.2 The Client or the Architect may litigate the enforcement of any decision of an Adjudicator.