

What to specify

Treats in store for you this week: multi-service beams, impact-resistant wiring, sound-absorbing tiles, cameras with customised views, electrical accessories, and so much more ...



Multi-service beams

Multi-service beams are helping to meet the lighting, acoustic and energy-efficiency requirements at the new Horbury High School in Wakefield.

The building incorporates exposed concrete soffits to provide thermal buffering, below which are suspended SAS System 600 acoustic lighting rafts. These are made up of sound-absorbing perforated panels that incorporate luminaires as well as radiant heating panels. Sloped debris protectors were also built into the top of the rafts to ensure rubbish would not build up.

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Movers and makers

■ Manufacturer Concord Marlin has published a Lighting for Education guide. It includes content from Cabe.

■ Kingspan Insulation has acquired 120,000m² of land in Poland to build a rigid urethane insulation manufacturing plant. It will open in mid 2009.

■ Steel wire cable tray manufacturer Cablofil has been awarded Local Authority Building Control system approval for its self-contained fire stop system EZ-Path. The certificate provides UK-wide accreditation.

■ Fire Doors, manufacturer of bespoke Certifire-rated doors, has launched a website at www.firedoors.ltd.uk

■ Static Systems Group has appointed Patrick Kinsey business manager for its UK fire sales division.

■ Aedas Landscape and Environment is working with Scotland's commissioner for children and young people to help develop ideas for improving the PPP schools in Scotland.

■ In response to the recent changes in fire safety regulations and Approved Document B of the Building Regulations, Bodycote Warringtonfire has published a directory of certified fire safety products and contractors certified to install products.

■ CDM 2007: A guide for clients and their advisers has been published by RICS Books. Aimed at CDM co-ordinators, clients and advisers, it gives advice on the changes to the regulations including the legislative framework, enforcement and lessons learned.