# Lonsdale SpanGard Design Guide

## Introduction

This Design Guide has been produced to assist specifiers and designers by illustrating typical installation details for skylights and lantern lights made from the company's ThermGard glazing bars. It is not exhaustive, but it does illustrate good practice for most applications and all details are inaccordance with BS5516 for the design and installation of these glazed structures.

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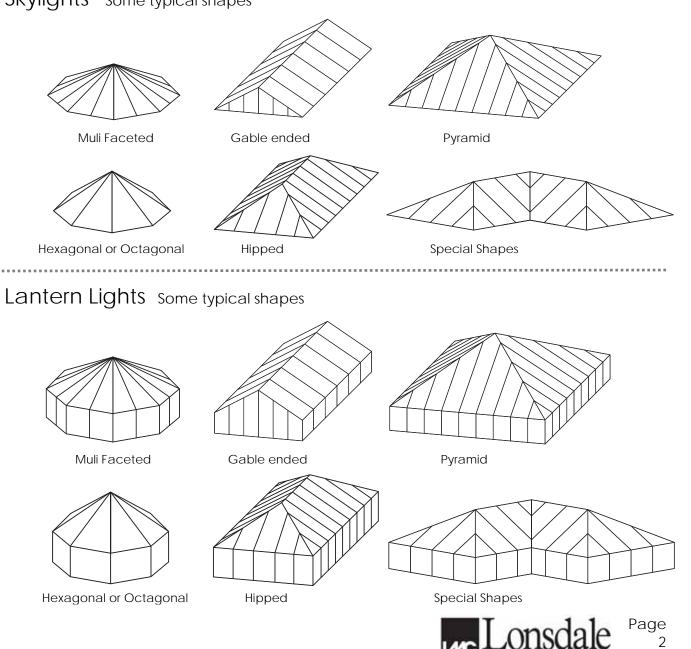
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## SpanGard

SpanGard, the self-supporting structure with a proven track record, allowing maximum light penetration and high performance weathering. Attention to detail and quality manufacturing ensures a neat slim-line appearance providing a strong, durable product giving many years good service. The sophisticated SpanGard remains unequalled in terms of value for money and performance.

- Each order individually " built" on computer software before manufacture to ensure accuracy.
- The widest range of shapes and sizes up to 6m wide with no length restrictions.
- Suitable for small domestic extensions through atria roofs.
- No additional structural supports or steel work required up to specified limits.
- Box-rafter construction provides invisible fixings, fast installation and ultimate strength.
- Thermally improved option available.

Skylights Some typical shapes



### **Technical Summary**

### ThermGard Patent Glazing Bars used in SpanGard structures

#### Specification

Glazing Bars, Cappings, Beads and Fittings are extruded aluminium alloy 6063-T6 to BS1474. Fasteners provided are either stainless steel to BS304515 Grade A2 or mild steel bright zinc plated. Gaskets are extruded Thermo Plastic Rubber quality 98625 to BS4255:Part1:1986 Grade C.

#### Performance

All systems are designed to conform with the requirements of BS5516 when installed within the manufacturers recommendations. A guide to maximum spans is given on page 4 of the Design Guide and should be referred to prior to planning an installation.

#### Fixing

Fixing to timber is directly through the channels at the top of the glazing bars with two No. 10 x 1.5 inch bright zinc plated wood screws and a sliding shoe with wood screws at the bottom end. Fixing to metal is with M8 Single Hole Fixing Shoes positively fixed at the top and sliding at the bottom end. Dissimilar metals should be isolated to avoid bi-metallic corrosion

#### Appearance

Materials are supplied Mill Finished as standard. A range of architectural finishes is available including polyester powder coating to BS6496 in standard RAL or BS colour ranges.

#### Ventilation

May be achieved either through GlazaTherm, our top hung roof ventilator, or by casement vents in vertical applications. Various factory fitted opening mechanisms are available including manual, pole or cord operated, electrical, thermostatic or smoke activated controls.

#### Infill

All popular specifications can be accommodated including 6 / 7mm Single Glazing, 24mm and 28mm Double Glazed Sealed Units or 10mm,16mm or 25mm Polycarbonate Sheeting. Other infills should be discussed with our technical department. Double Glazed combinations should feature a suitable "step" to the bottom edge to avoid thermal breaking.



### Typical Specification for Lanterns and Skylights

NB: Italics show where you must insert the detail relevant to your project			
Patent Glazing:	To central courtyard		
Drawing Reference:	Drawing Numbers 123, 124, 125		
Supporting Structure:	Secured to Builders Curb with suitable fastener. Such Curb to be structural timber or steel capable of withstanding the relevant imposed loads, self- weight, wind & snow loads without spread or movement		
Patent Glazing System:	To BS5516, and as specified in this section		
Manufacture & Reference:	Lonsdale Metal Company Limited, London N17 9QU Telephone: 020 8801 4221 Facsimile : 020 8801 1287 Reference <i>SPANGARD</i>		
Туре:	<i>Self-supporting Pyramid Lantern-light with extruded aluminium Cill, Hips, Eaves, Ridge&amp; Flashings. Up-stand height 500mm</i>		
Glazing Bar:			
Material	Aluminium alloy 6063-T6 to BS1474		
Finish	Polyester Powder Paint to BS6496		
Colour	RAL9910M		
Minimum film thickness	40 microns		
Spacing:	Nominally 600mm glazing bar c/c		
Slop:	45 degrees Standard 58mm		
Bottom overhang lap:			
Pane/infilling material(s):	6mm Heat soaked clear toughened outer leaf, 16mm Argon cavity, 6-4mm clear low-e laminared inner leaf with stepped bottom edge		
Incorporated components:	<i>Top hung casement ventilators in the up-stand operated by electric actuators</i>		

Please note : Whilst we are pleased to assist, the above example is given for guidance only. Responsibility remains with Specifiers to exercise all reasonable care ensuring our products are suitable for their requirements and correctly specified.

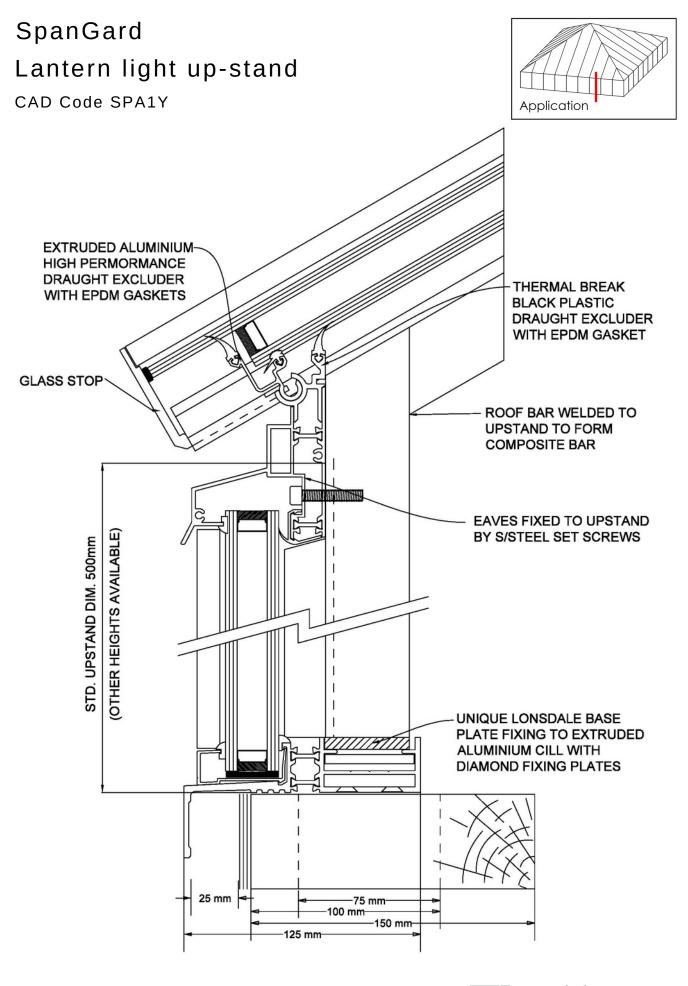


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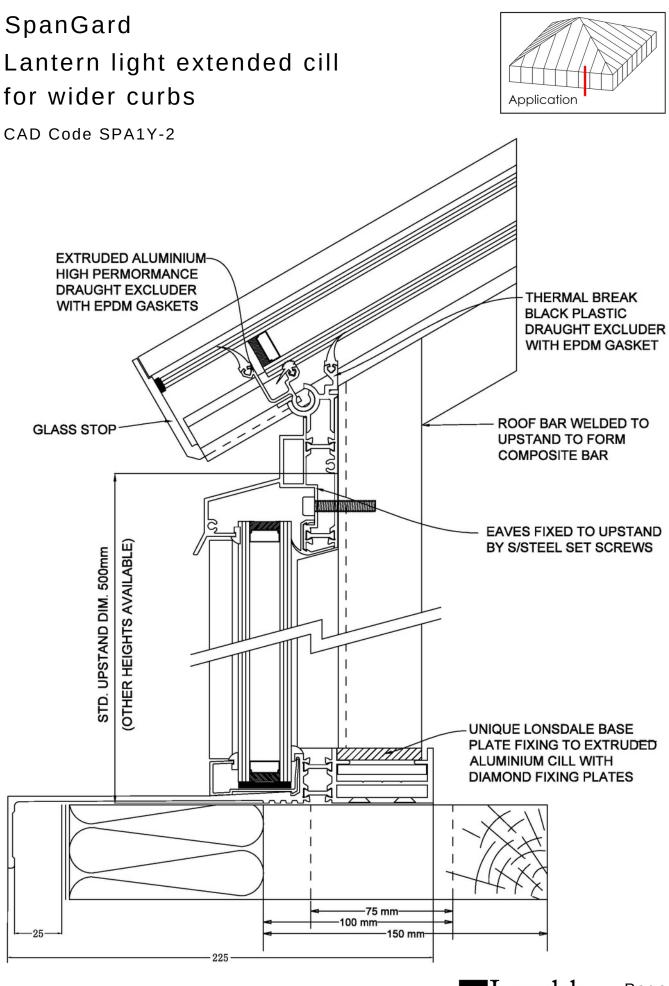
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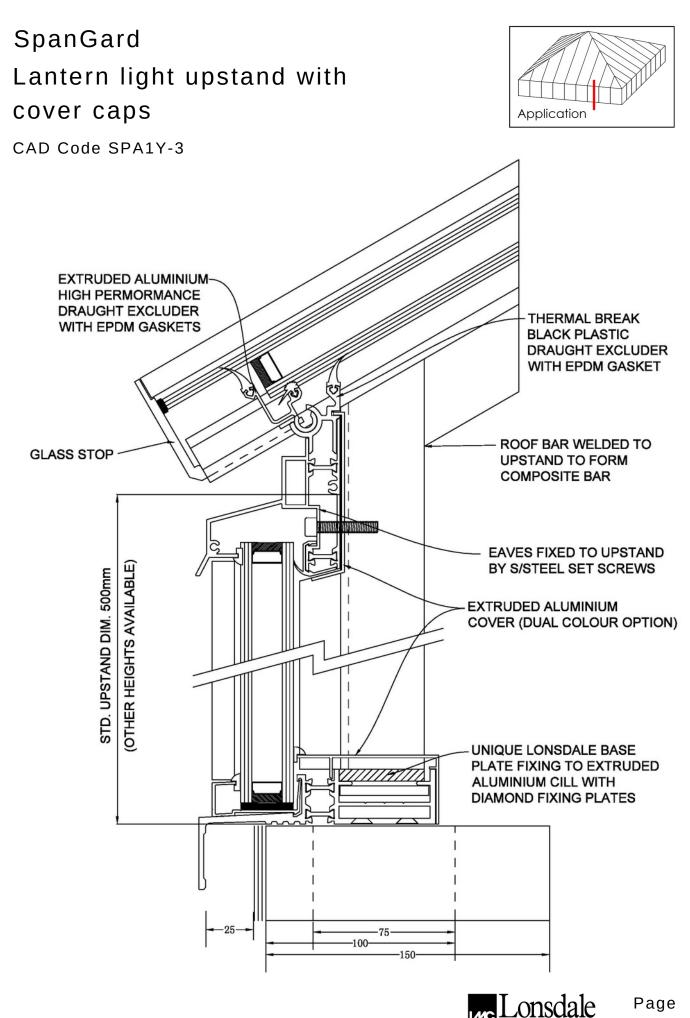


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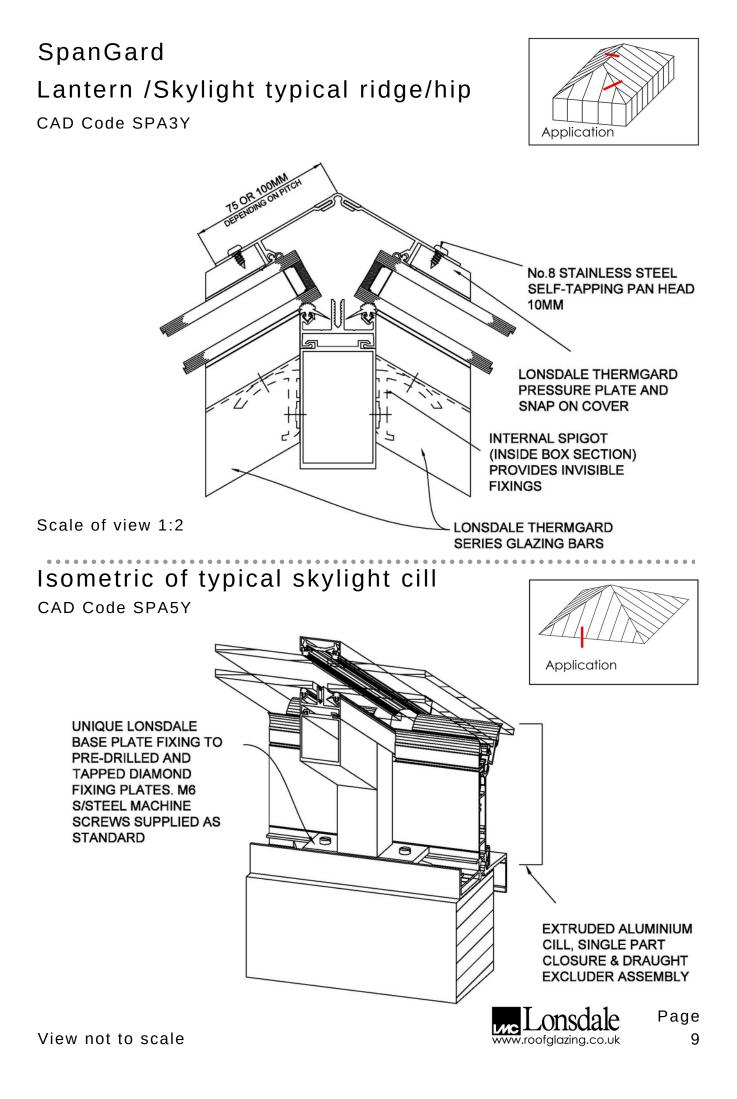
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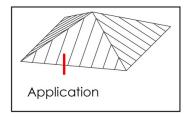
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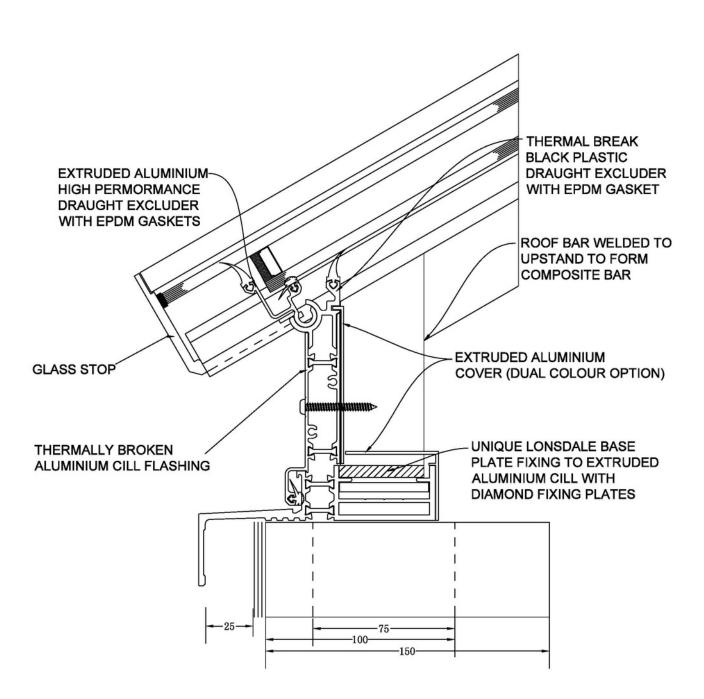
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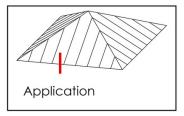
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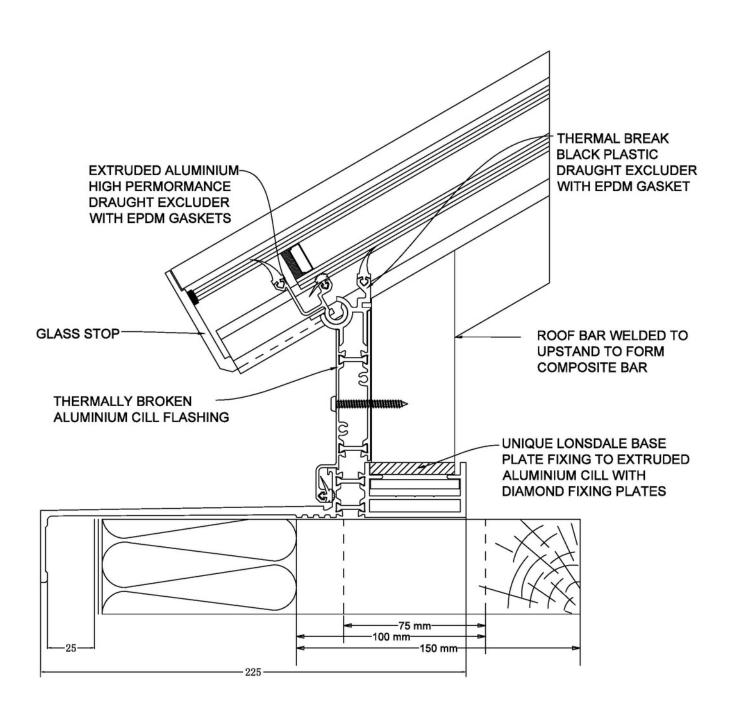






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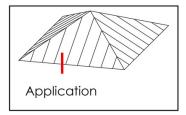




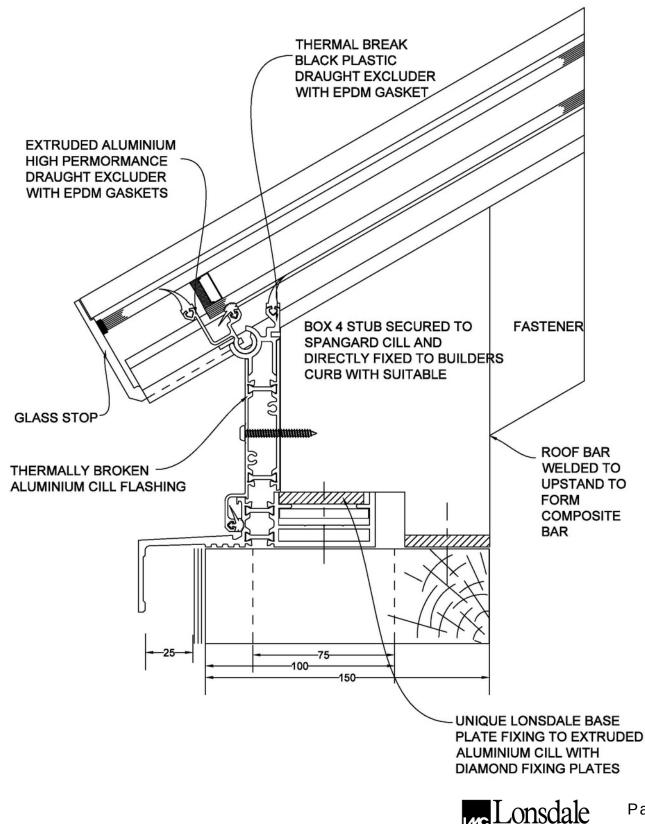


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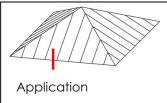


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SpanGard Heavy-duty truss bar with cover caps CAD Code SPA6Y-2

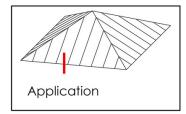


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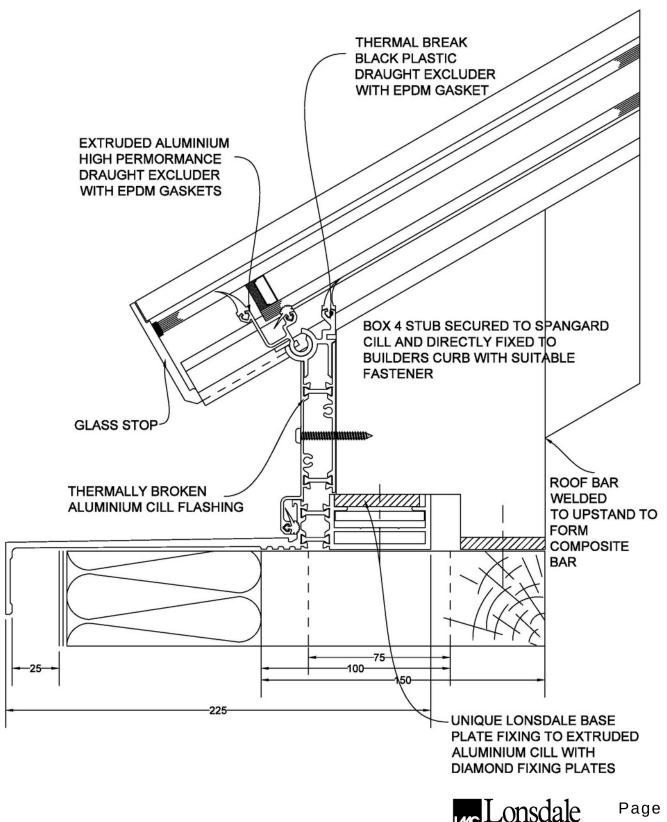
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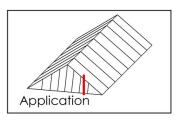
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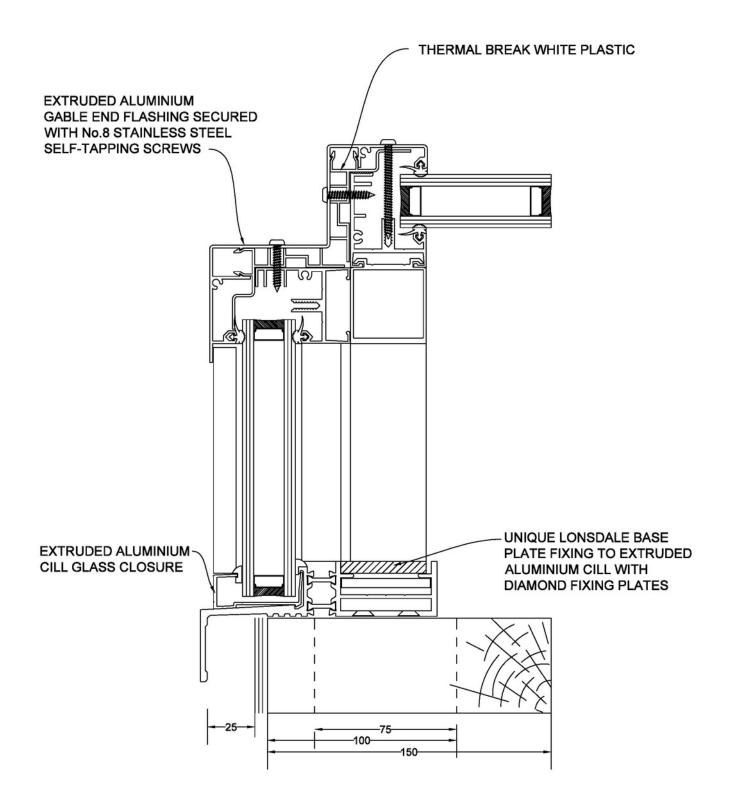


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SpanGard Gable end

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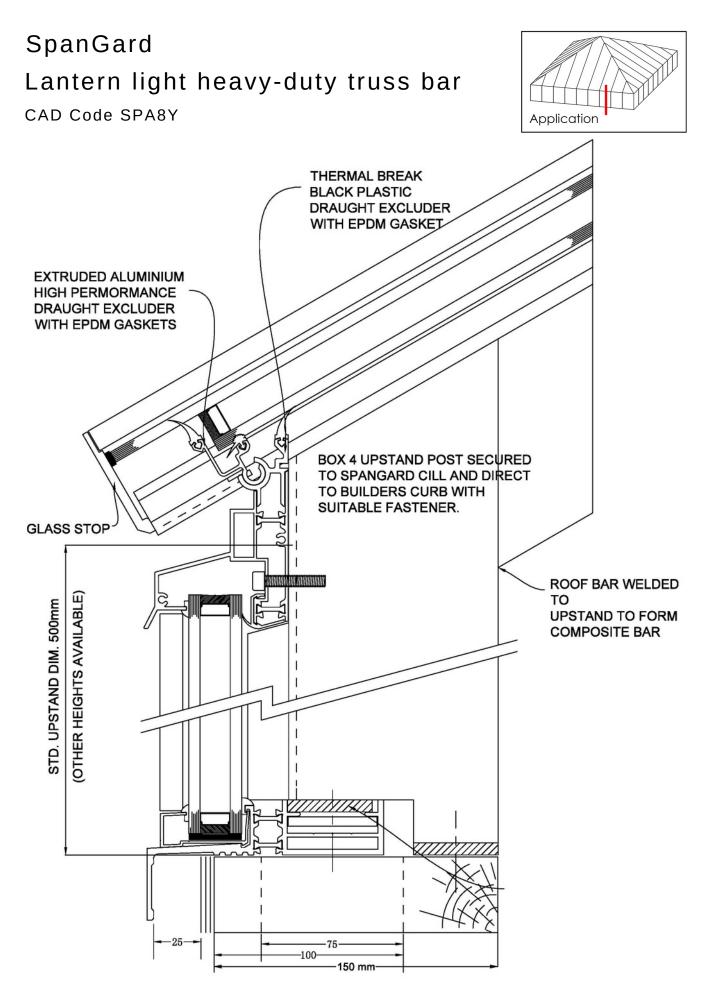




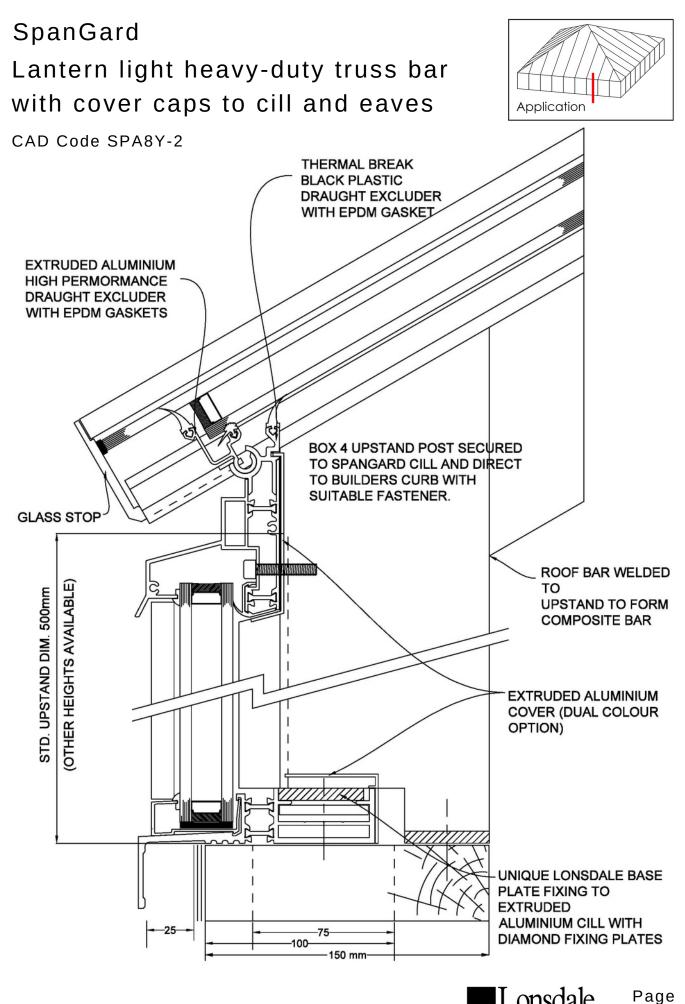


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