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MATERIALS USED

Porcelain

Global Stone Landscaping Supplies, globalstonepaving.co.uk

Furniture

Westminster, westminsteroutdoorliving.com

Greenhouse (Pure Range), puregreenhouse.co.uk

Specimen trees

Paramount Plants & Gardens, paramountplants.co.uk

Instant hedging

Readyhedge Ltd, readyhedgeltd.com

Trade and retail plant suppliers

Europlants UK Limited, europlants.net;

Rochfords, rochfords.net;

Langthorns Plantery, langthorns.com;

Classiflora Imports Ltd, classiflora.com Pop up lawn irrigation and controllers

Herts Irrigation, hertsirrigation.co.uk

Discrete sound system

ElectricUs Audio Visual, eav-way.co.uk

Outdoor kitchen BBQ

Archway Sheet Metal Works Ltd, archwaysm.com

Slatted western red cedar fence

Southgate Timber Company Limited, southgatetimber.co.uk



Above: Structural evergreen planting like Pittosporum tobira `Nanum' and Ilex crenata 'Dark Green' (replacement to Buxus sempervirens) punctuated with repetition of herbaceous planting forms and colour

Right: Bespoke garden room at the end of the gently sloping lawn framed and olive tree next to house



construction. The south facing garden was excavated down to a

depth of 1.2m to allow for an easy

transition from indoors to outdoors.

Structural calculations and detailed

construction drawings were used to

construct reinforced retaining walls

The design was a contemporary,

clean, functional living space that

will be utilised throughout the year

mirroring the zones created with the

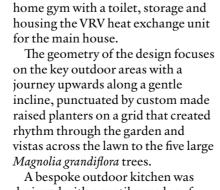
around the perimeter. The client's main criteria were 'no steps' and that

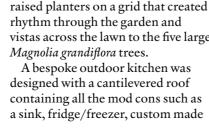
a large lawn was retained.

he design brief was to create a modern outdoor as a bespoke garden building to be space to complement the new four-storey used for the children, and also as a luxury home that was under

> on the key outdoor areas with a journey upwards along a gentle rhythm through the garden and













Above: Bespoke cantilevered floating roof over the outdoor kitchen/bbq area

Right: Living, dining and cooking areas directly mirroring the layout of the interior of the house

clay oven and even a rotating doner machine to enjoy BBQs year round. The client commented: "It was imperative to have certain aspects to satisfy the way we live and cook, and these were met extremely well."

A specialist dimmable and independently controlled lighting system and discrete satellite sound system were also added to create an entertainment area for the evenings.

Pittosporum tobira 'Nanum', Ilex crenata 'Dark Green', bamboos and Magnolia grandifloras were used to add winter structure, whilst herbaceous perennials and grasses have been used to soften straight lines.

