

# Case Study: Eleven Brindleyplace



## REYNAERS CREATE BESPOKE SYSTEM FOR CITY CENTRE LANDMARK

Reynaers Aluminium have played a crucial role in Eleven Brindleyplace, a landmark new building in the centre of Birmingham—the first new office development in Birmingham city centre to be awarded a BREEAM ‘Excellent’ rating.

Reynaers developed and supplied a bespoke curtain walling system for the building, which represents the final piece of Argent Group’s renowned Brindleyplace development. Designed to accommodate the very tight footprint in the city centre, the new building comprises a curved 13 storey ‘shoulder’ element and an elegant 15 storey ‘tower’ element. Architects, Glenn Howells also incorporated a glazed slot to break up the mass of the building, define the entrance and lift core and separate the two main elements.

“The installation utilised both Reynaers CW60 and CW73 curtain walling systems, as well as CS68 doors and smoke vents but to all extents and purposes it involved the design and development of seven made to measure profiles along with three dedicated accessories for what was a completely bespoke system,” explained Mark Jones, Reynaers Technical Director.

“When we presented the system to Glenn Howells Architects, the developers and BAM Construction, they were delighted with the solution, which translated the original verticality of the building design to give them exactly what they were looking for.

### Project Information:

**Architect:**  
Glenn Howells Architects

**Main Contractor:**  
BAM Construction

**Client:** Argent Group PLC

**Fabricator:** Glamalco

**Location:** Birmingham

**Reynaers Systems:**  
CW60 & CW60 SC,  
Curtain Wall  
CS68 Doors,  
CS68 Smoke Vents

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