

Casement Window Handle

We are to introduce a new Casement Window Handle called the "Virage". This Handle, which has an attractive curved design, will be fitted as standard to all orders received after 1st December. The existing "Viscount" Handle will continue to be available for a while to cater for add on jobs, but it will have a slightly different cylinder, the outer edge of which will be black as opposed to silver. Details of the new "Virage" Handle are enclosed on a separate fact sheet, please state clearly on your order which type of handle you require.

Casement Window Security Device

We are now able to fit a locking device called the "Excluder" to all casement windows, the "Excluder" consists of a pair of metal hooking wedges, which are fitted to the sash and outer frame, these lock together when force is applied. This system has a distinct advantage over the existing "Sac Bolt" as it requires less preparation to fit, and, because there is no contact between the locking points, in normal operation, there is no chance of any binding of sash to frame when closing the window, it can easily be retro-fitted if required. The cost of the "Excluder" is £ 6.50 per casement sash, less your normal trade discount. Details are enclosed on a separate fact sheet.

Casement Window Friction Stays

We will shortly be changing the Friction Stays used on the S706 (70mm System). At present we use the "Cotswold" range for all standard Stays and the "Securistyle" range for Egress, Restrictor and Heavy Duty Stays. The "Securistyle" range of stays is regarded by many as the best on the market but, up until now, it has never been competitively priced. We have recently concluded negotiations with "Securistyle" which enable us to purchase their stays at the right price and this means that we shall be changing over to them when stocks of our current stays are exhausted.

Entrance Door Locks

We are to begin fitting Hook Locks as standard to all Single Entrance Doors at no extra charge. At the same time it is now possible to specify the option of Hook Locks on French Doors, however when using the Hook Lock the Slave Door cannot not be fitted with standard top and bottom finger bolts as the bottom Hook Bolt keep would clash on the bottom finger bolt, there are two solutions available both using heavy duty top and bottom shoot bolts which are operated either by a concealed lever located on the false mullion, or by a standard set of lever/lever handles. The prices for these options are £ 55.00 and £ 125.00 respectively, less your normal trade discount.