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PROJECT PROFILE: Kinnaird House, 1 Pall Mall, London W1

- **Client:** The Crown Estate
- **Architect:** Trehearne
- **Main Contractor:** Keir Build
- **Stones used:** Portland Stone
- **Value:** £700,000
- **Completed:** January 2002
- **Contract duration:** 18 months
- **Scope of work:** Stonework dismantlement & storage, external cleaning & restoration and external stone cladding



This classic early 20th century Portland Stone building, located at the junction between Pall Mall and Haymarket in the heart of London's West End, underwent a major re-design and restoration programme which modernised the office space while preserving the original character of this magnificent landmark building.

Initially Putney & Wood carried out a detailed survey and careful dismantlement of the original stonework on the entire top floor including the dormers, turrets and chimneys. The original stone was then carefully transported to Putney & Wood's factory in Grays, Essex, where each stone was meticulously evaluated, cleaned and stored before being seamlessly re-instated on the newly restored façade by Putney & Wood's team of stonemasons.

In addition to the sympathetic façade restoration, which also included hand-cleaning the delicate stone cartouches, Putney & Wood also designed, procured and installed new Portland Stone cladding to an entire elevation of the ground floor.