

THE LANDMARK

Biometric Access



“A safe and secure access solution that works alongside our existing systems to achieve increased protection and peace of mind for residents and staff.”

Rob Howell AIRPM, Estate Manager at The Landmark

A residential development in Canary Wharf comprising two towers, with a total of 646 apartments that boast beautiful design, high specifications and breathtaking views. The Landmark buildings are an impressive addition to London's skyline, created by renowned architectural visionaries Squire and Partners, which offer the height of sophisticated living for over 2,000 residents.

the challenge

The Landmark is situated just two minutes from one of London's key financial centres and lies just outside the Police checkpoint. With this mind, safety and security are of paramount importance at the prestigious development.

A door entry system, with access controlled doors, was already in use covering all front and rear entrances as well the gym, health club, bike cages and bin stores. This technology had been in use for some time and there was particular concern regarding the risks posed by cloned, lost or redundant key cards..

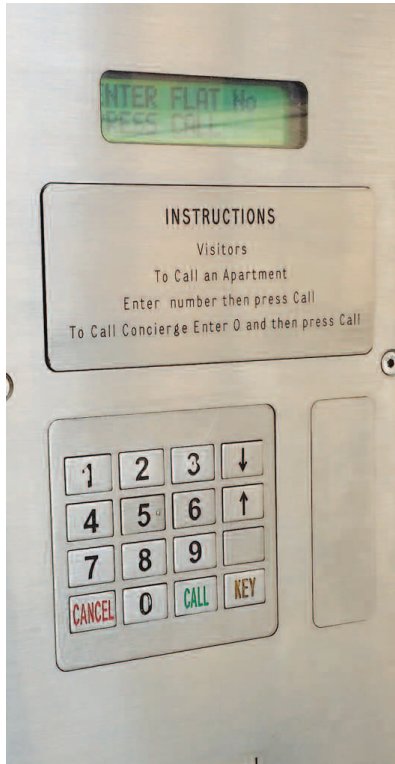
- **Highest levels of internal and external security and safety**
- **Cost-effective access using latest advances in biometric technology**
- **Protection against cloned, lost or redundant key cards**

the solution

Interphone was appointed to upgrade the existing access installation with a new solution that would address the concerns that had arisen over card cloning and the ease of obtaining copied or unused access cards. It was essential that the investment was implemented within a tight budget, so the technology had to be installed and integrated with the existing access control system. Using its unrivalled expertise within the marketplace, Interphone was able to design, and deploy this technically-advanced biometric solution for approximately £40 per apartment.

All card readers were replaced with biometric readers, which take advantage of highly-reliable multispectral imaging scanners that quickly identify a registered fingerprint. Meanwhile the controllers of the access control system were updated to allow network connectivity, so that management and enrolment of fingerprint data could be handled at any network point within the building complex.

The biometric solution has not only increased overall security throughout the development, but has also helped monitor who has access to the gym. This has ensured that only residents who have completed the safety induction course can use the gym, while preventing the sharing of key cards and fobs with non-residents to gain unauthorised access.



External and internal high-security biometric solution

"Interphone has been able to create and install an advanced biometric solution that is highly effective, cost efficient and meets our precise needs. We are now benefitting from fast, reliable and secure access both internally and externally, while protecting against the potential risk of card cloning."

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