



**Possible locations**  
for a new lift



## WHERE TO LOCATE A LIFT?

There are many options for fitting a lift in a building without one. Here we describe some of the more frequently used options.

There are two types of solution, each with several variations. These are:

### Inside the building

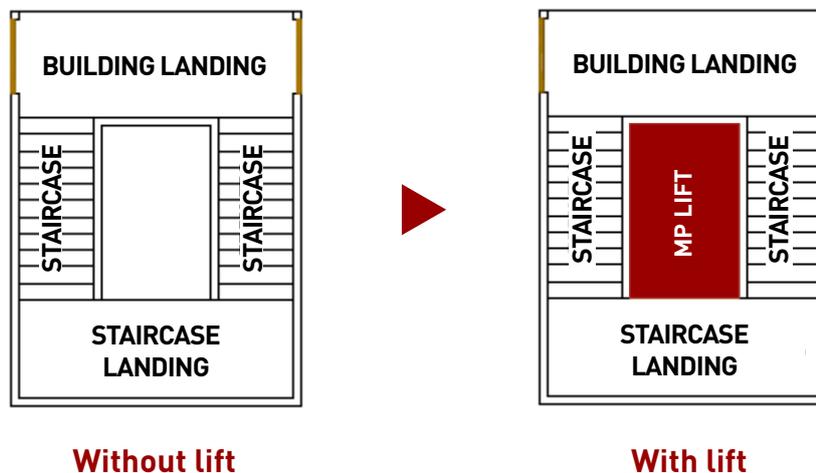
- a. In the stairwell
- b. By creating a new interior shaft in a position independent to the stairs. Outside the building

### Outside the building

- a. On the outside wall with access to the building landing
- b. Adjacent to the doorway, rebuilding the entrance stairway

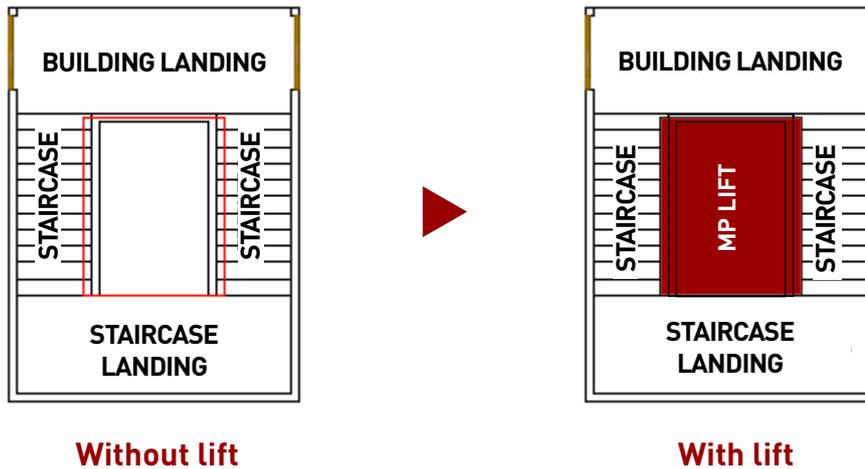
## IN THE STAIRWELL

1. This is a simple solution, especially if the free stairwell is large enough to take the lift and the modular metal structure without needing to reduce the size of the staircase.





2. If the free stairwell is small, space can be made by reducing the size of the staircase and/or modifying the banister. The minimum permitted width of the staircase is established in local legislation. Please enquire at your Town Council or at MP Lifts about the minimum permitted values in each case.



In short, if this is the space available in the building inside the stairwell there are two possibilities:

- a. If the space is large enough, the lift can be installed in the stairwell with the minimum of civil work.
- b. If, on the other hand, the space is small, it is possible to make the staircase narrower and thus create enough space for the lift.

At MP Lifts we are specialists in the design of small lifts in the width of the staircase using glass and metal modular structures.

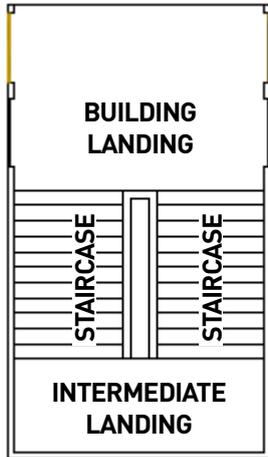
## LOCATION INDEPENDENT TO THE STAIRCASE

In this case, it will be necessary to open all the floor slabs in order to create the lift shaft. This is a good solution for spacious landings with small stairwells.

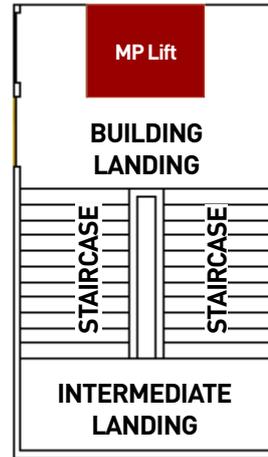




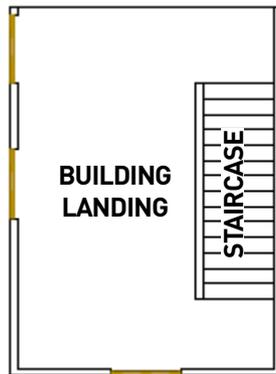
1. Some examples are given below:



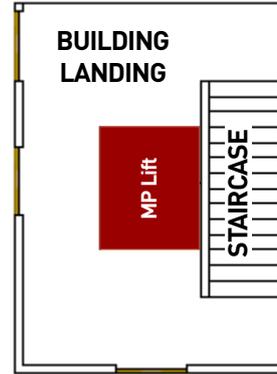
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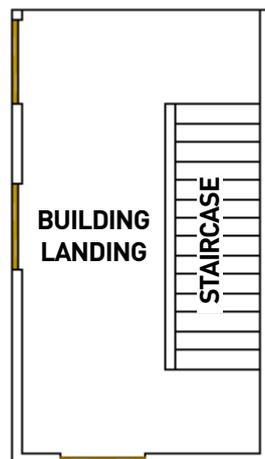
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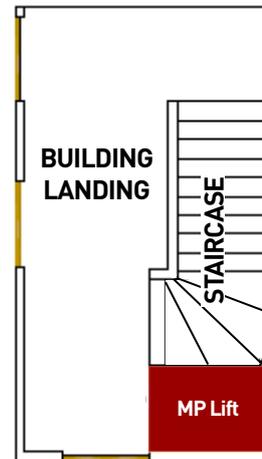
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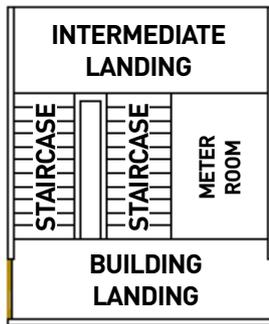
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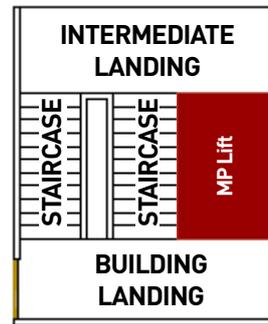
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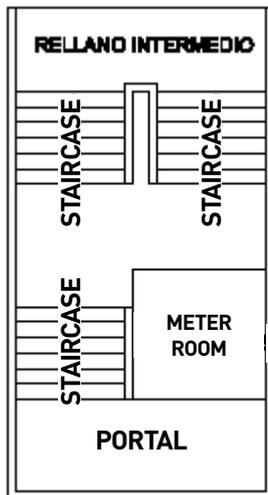
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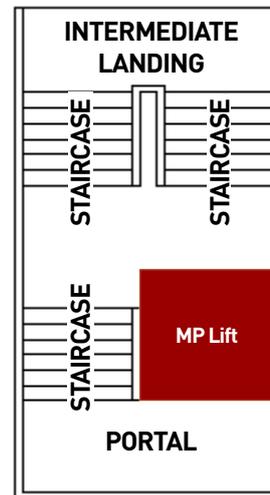
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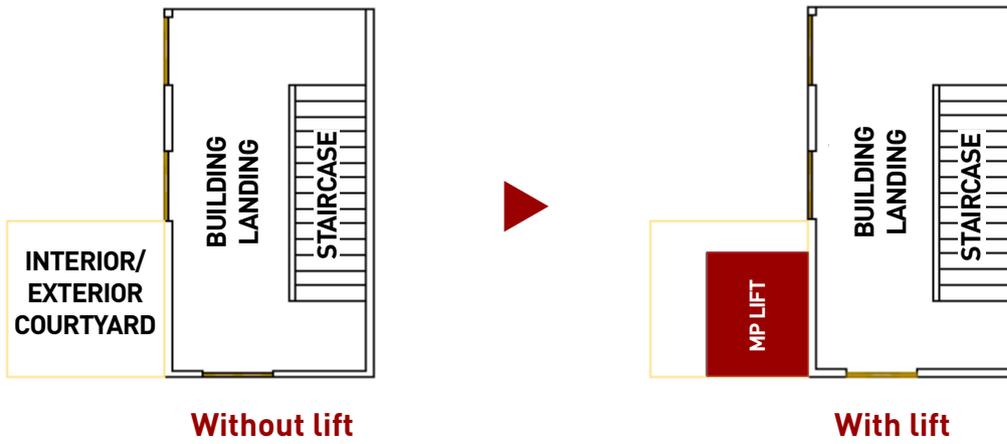
## ON THE OUTSIDE OF THE BUILDING

It is possible to install a lift on the outside of the building in weatherproof metal modular structures with a multiple choice of finishes that blend into the environment perfectly.

There are two very different option types for the outside of the building. These are:

### On the outside wall with access to the building landing

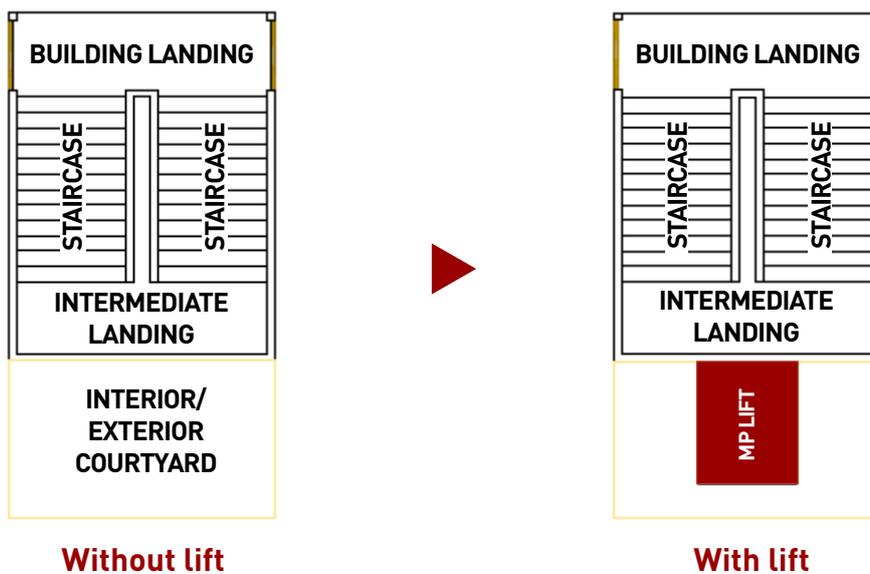
- a. Through the interior courtyard
- b. Through an exterior private courtyard
- c. Through an exterior public area (Provided permission is given by the Town Council)



### Adjacent to the doorway, rebuilding the entrance stairway

- a. Through the existing doorway
- b. Through the rear of the existing doorway

Examples of possible position for lifts installed on the façade:



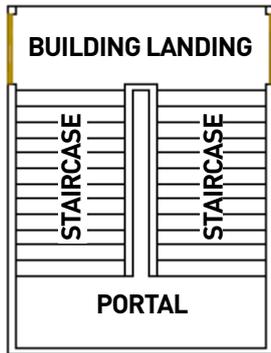


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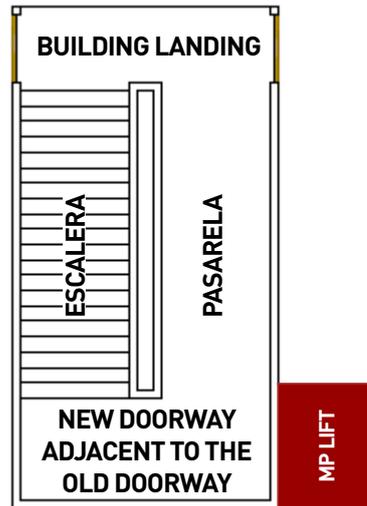
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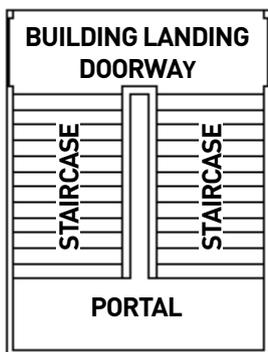
Examples of some possible positions for lifts installed on the façade adjacent to the doorway and rebuilding the stairwell:



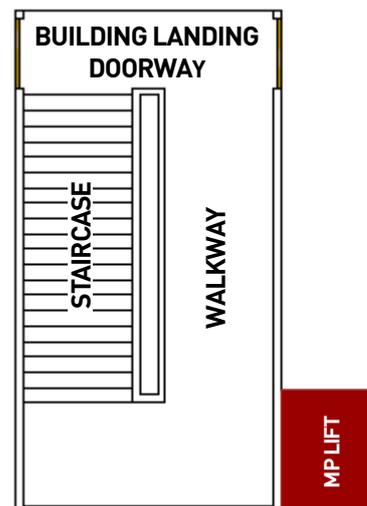
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