

FINAL INSTALLATION PERIOD

Soma millwork will keep the millwork at their shop until all elements (millwork, glass, stone and metal) are ready to be installed. We are anticipating the final installation time for the complete desk will be approximately 3 days - one for the millwork, one for the glass and one for the stone. As the date approaches we will see at what stage it is best to have the electrician come in. He may wish to complete all his connections through the floor outlet a day or 2 prior to the millwork arriving, and then pull the lines through the desk once it is in place.

As mentioned to Sandra last week, unfortunately it is not possible to completely finish the desk off site and then move the entire unit to Cielo for 2 reasons: with the stone and glass adhered to it, the desk will be much too heavy to move AND, even if it could be moved, the stone and glass would be in danger of cracking during the move.

Please note that between the dates of August 14th to August 18th, Soma must bring to site for a couple hours the angled side of the desk that fits tightly to the column. The curve of the desk will be scribed tightly to the column for an exact fit and then the desk returned to the shop. This will be coordinated with Bruno so that there is as little disruption as possible to the temporary desk.

On the attached current schedule the final installation takes place 3rd week in September, we are in the process of looking for ways to move this date closer to the beginning of September (mentioned in outline below).

MILLWORK

The millwork is currently in the shop and is scheduled to be complete by the end of the third week of August. This includes the necessary polyurethane protective top coat to the maple veneer which has added a week to the millwork fabrication time. TO SPEED THE PROCESS UP, the glass and stone people will go to site measure the millwork desk form as soon as it is complete - prior to it being sent to the 'paint' shop to finish the maple veneer. We anticipate this will squeeze the installation date up a week.

Soma millwork will give us an update this Friday (7th) on their progress and the date they anticipate the glass and stone people will be able to site measure the millwork form.

STONework AND GLASS

Currently, both the glass and stone trades are indicating 3 weeks to fabricate their respective finishes. We will update them bi weekly on the millwork status to ensure they have reserved a place in their fabrication schedule to take on this job immediately.

EQUIPMENT

Louisa is waiting for a reply from the security equipment company to meet them on site to do a final review of their equipment and coordination with the desk design. She will have them forward a quote to Bruce for the new equipment following the meeting.