



**Steps? What steps?  
Easy access for wheelchair users.  
Mexican tastes and good times for all!  
Find out what a **Lowriser**  
vertical platform lift did for  
Chimichanga Bar & Restaurant  
in Bournemouth.**

**Stannah**



**A Stannah Lowriser vertical platform lift has improved access in the Bournemouth branch of the UK-wide Chimichanga chain of Mexican bars and restaurants. By linking two floor levels, it helps wheelchair users say 'Hola!' to the spicy indigenous delights and all-round good times on offer in this vibrant, informal venue.**

### **Access for all**

Located adjacent to a one-metre flight of four steps, the Lowriser blends with the distinctive décor to provide access for wheelchair users from the street-level foyer to the bar and restaurant on the lower ground floor.

### **First choice**

Working closely with designer, Zeki Nejat of Zeki Interiors Ltd, the Lowriser was specified by Liam Hainesworth, Project Manager at Gary Bluff Projects Limited, a bespoke refitting services specialist based in Derbyshire. Having used Stannah lift products on previous projects, Liam knew they could rely on Stannah to deliver a first-class service – and the new Lowriser platform lift proved the ideal access solution for this busy venue.

**300kg**  
maximum rated load

**4**  
steps

**2**  
floor levels

**1**  
new-to-range Lowriser  
vertical platform lift

## New to Stannah

The Lowriser is brand new to Stannah's range of vertical platform lifts. Ideal for internal or external vertical travel up to one metre, it brings choice and flexibility to all types of public buildings, schools, colleges, shops etc.

### First-class specification

A stylish jet-black finish and glass infill panels to one side and the upper landing ensure the Lowriser complements Chimichanga's atmospheric setting.

The Lowriser's standard features comprise:

- 1100mm high side rails
- Three platform sizes (w x d):  
1450mm x 800mm  
1450mm x 900mm  
1450mm x 1100mm
- Maximum load 300kg
- Up to 1m travel
- 0.02mps travel speed
- Constant pressure operation buttons
- Open side panels
- 2-way rocker post-mounted call stations
- Nitro-carburised finished steel and aluminium construction
- 5 year anti-corrosion warranty
- Easy to use controls for operator independence
- Shallow ramp for easy access – automatically folds when lift is in use
- Concertina blind fitted to underside of platform for safety and to guard against litter
- Aluminium non-slip floor
- Colour – RAL 9002
- Internal or external application
- Battery powered emergency raising and lowering
- Interlocked gate at upper level on lifts serving 250mm or more
- Automatically returns to ground level after use

**"I decided that we would use Stannah as our lift supplier for their continuous efforts to ensure that they meet our needs every time."**

Liam Hainesworth  
Project Manager  
Gary Bluff Projects Limited





**“We often have very limited timescales to complete a project and Stannah always pulls out all the stops each and every time. From a design perspective, this was a difficult project to ensure the lift worked within its surrounds. Often with disabled lifts they can be seen as unsightly and non-architectural; however, we ensured that this lift complemented its surroundings. The lift itself was placed within a bamboo-clad entrance, with granite upstands and tile returns, making some of the junctions difficult to understand. It was down to the close-working team of Gary Bluff Projects, Zeki Interiors and Stannah that the lift became a success first time round”**

Liam Hainesworth, Project Manager, Gary Bluff Projects Limited

## Total compliance

- The Equality Act 2010
- Part M of the Building Regulations (England and Wales) and Section 4.2 of the Technical Handbook (Scotland), both of which cover the requirements that many new buildings must meet to ensure ease of access and use
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## Total support

The Lowriser is serviced by the Southern England branch of Stannah Lift Services, part of a nationwide network providing 24 hour, 365 days a year support. This covers service, repair, modernisation and refurbishment of all types of lifts, stairlifts, escalators and moving walkways – not only those from the Stannah product range, but also other lift manufacturers' equipment. Stannah also offers a bespoke lifts service, custom-building lifts to meet customers' specific requirements.

## The Stannah promise

Stannah is committed to delivering:

- The best quality products
- Superior service
- Good value for money
- And, last but not least, reliability

**All backed by a 150-year lift manufacturing pedigree.**



All Stannah lift products meet required standards, including:  
The Equality Act 2010, EN81-70, EN81-3, BSEN115, Health & Safety at Work Act, CE Mark and Certificate of Conformity.

To find out more about Stannah's comprehensive ranges of Passenger Lifts, Platform Lifts, Escalators & Moving Walkways and Goods & Service Lifts, go to [www.stannahlifts.co.uk](http://www.stannahlifts.co.uk)

  
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