

**Fire Suppression in the
Exhibition Area of the
U.S. Capitol Visitor Center**

East Front Entrance to the U.S. Capitol Visitor Center



Upper Level, Overlooking Emancipation Hall



On the Lower Level, inside Emancipation Hall



Entrance to Exhibition Hall



Entering the Exhibition Hall, Dome Model and Marble Wall

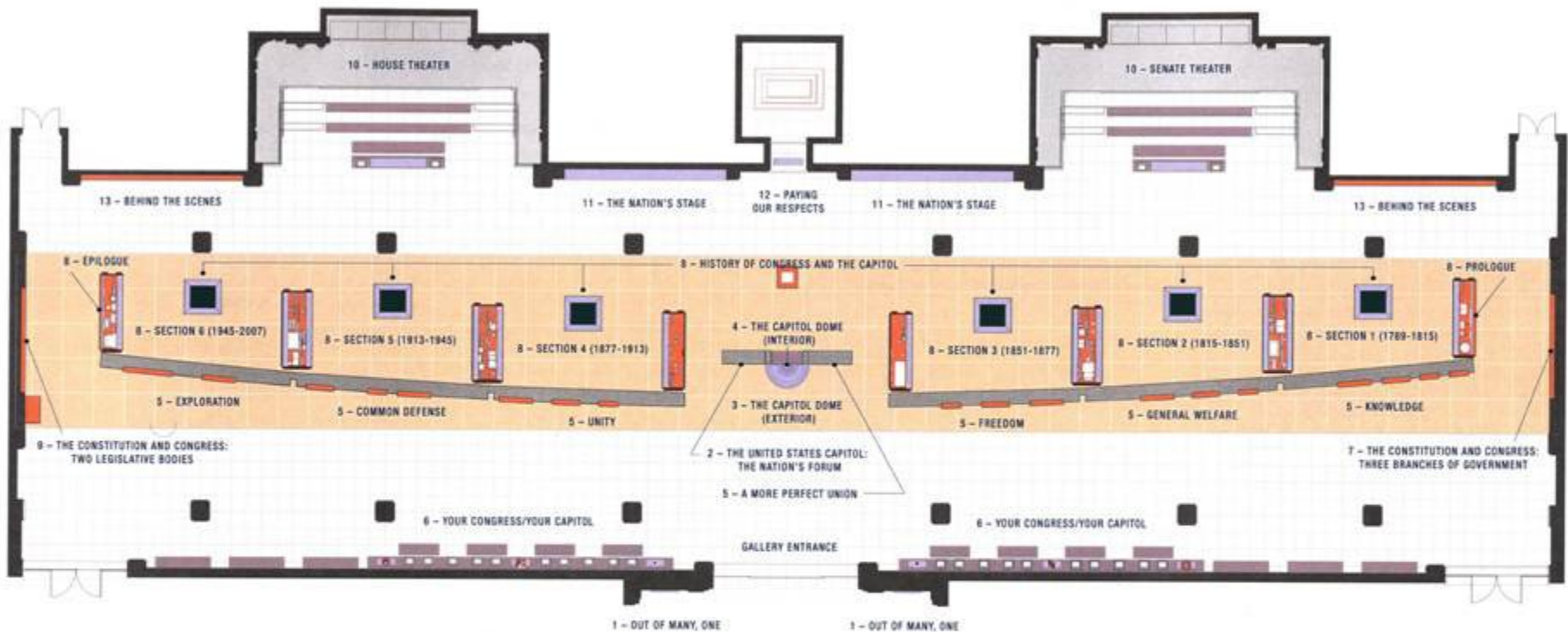


House Virtual Theater

Senate Virtual Theater



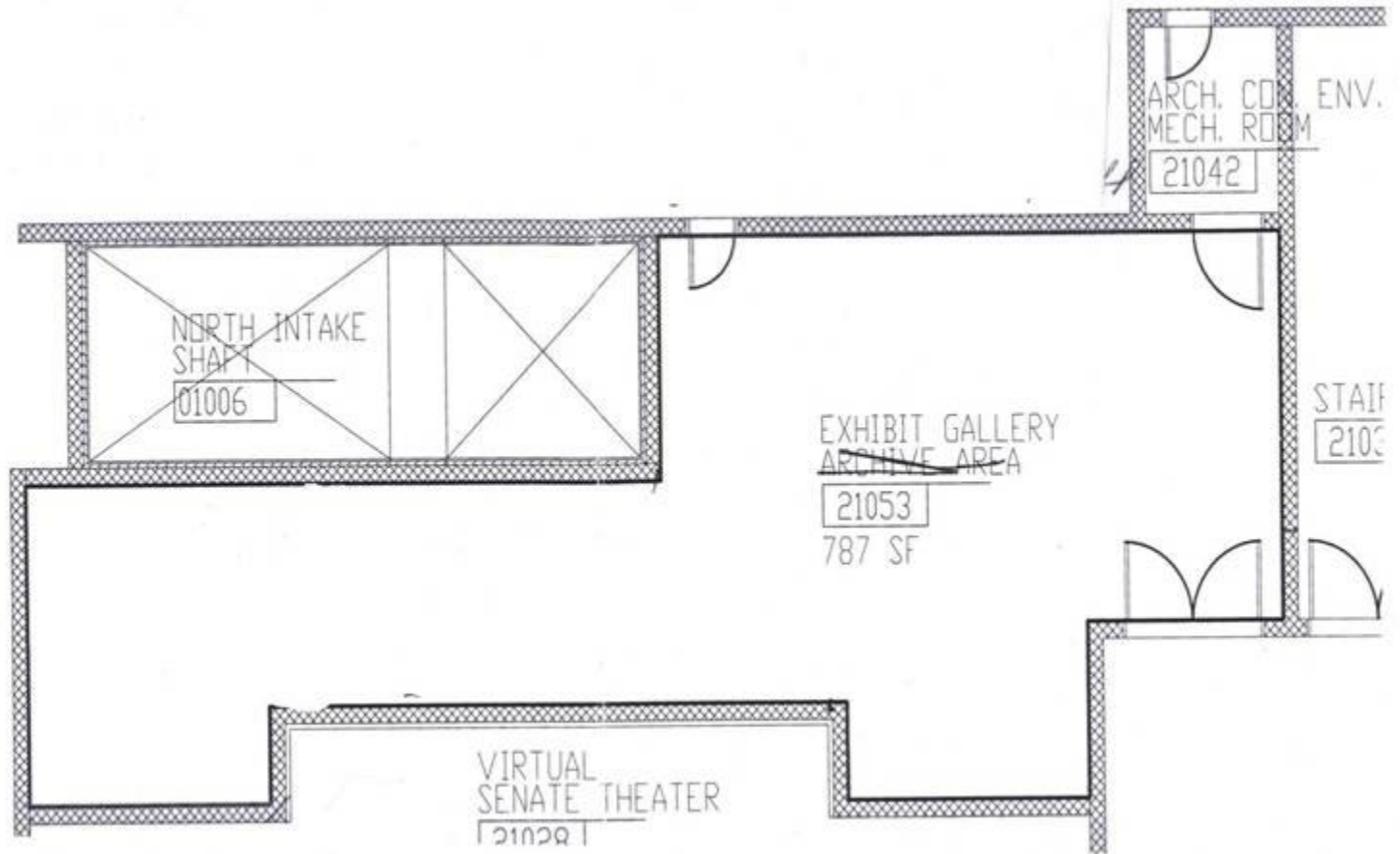
Exhibition Hall – Central Marble Wall



Wall of National Aspirations



Exhibition Storage Area



Key Features

- - Zero ozone depleting potential
 - Negligible global warming potential
 - Atmospheric lifetime of less than 5 days
 - Safe for use in occupied areas
- Existing halon control system can be adapted for use with Novec 1230 fluid
- Requires minimal storage space
- Provisional S.N.A.P. listing by US E.P.A.
- UL/FM testing underway
- Submitted for inclusion in ISO and CEN design standards

3M™ NOVEC™ 1230 Fire Protection Fluid



The search for halon 1301 replacements has been on-going for over 10 years and each alternative brings with it a unique set of properties. We have brought to the market products that match the requirements of industry and our latest research allows us to introduce fire protection systems using Novec 1230 fluid, a new development with some advantages over current technologies. Novec 1230 fluid allows us to complement our existing range of agents as the phase out of halons accelerates in many countries around the world.