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HOUSE OF INDUSTRY

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- In 1929, Ivan Leonidov proposed the first office slab for Moscow, a House of Industry. Its rectangles were conceived as socialist Typical Plans: a parallel zone reintroduced the full paraphernalia of daily life – pools, tanning beds, club like arrangements, small dormitories – to create a compressed 24-hour cycle not of business-life, but of life-business. (Koolhaas, 348)

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Rem Koolhaas, "Typical Plan" in SMLXL, (New York: The Monacelli Press, 1995).