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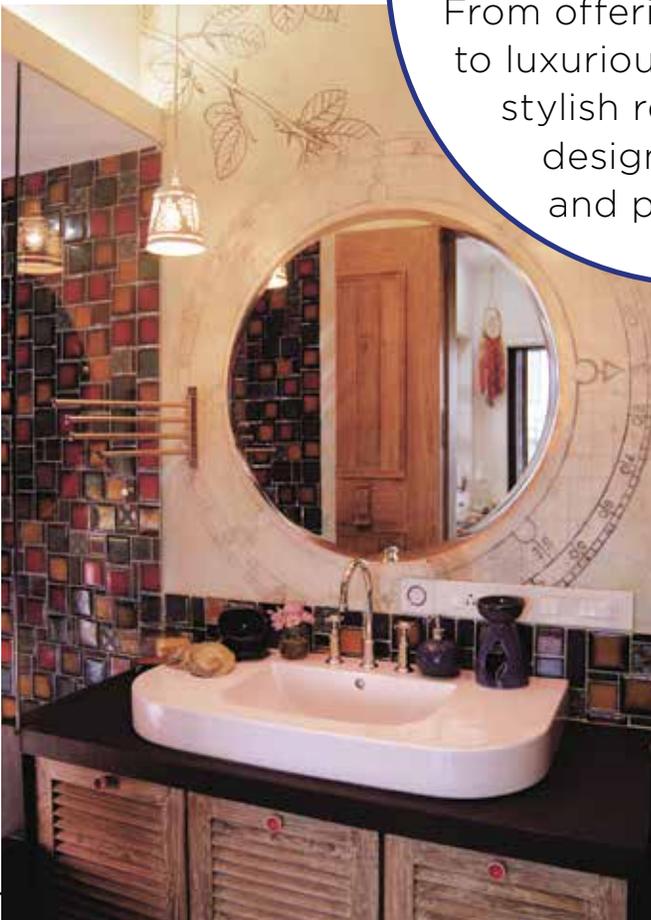
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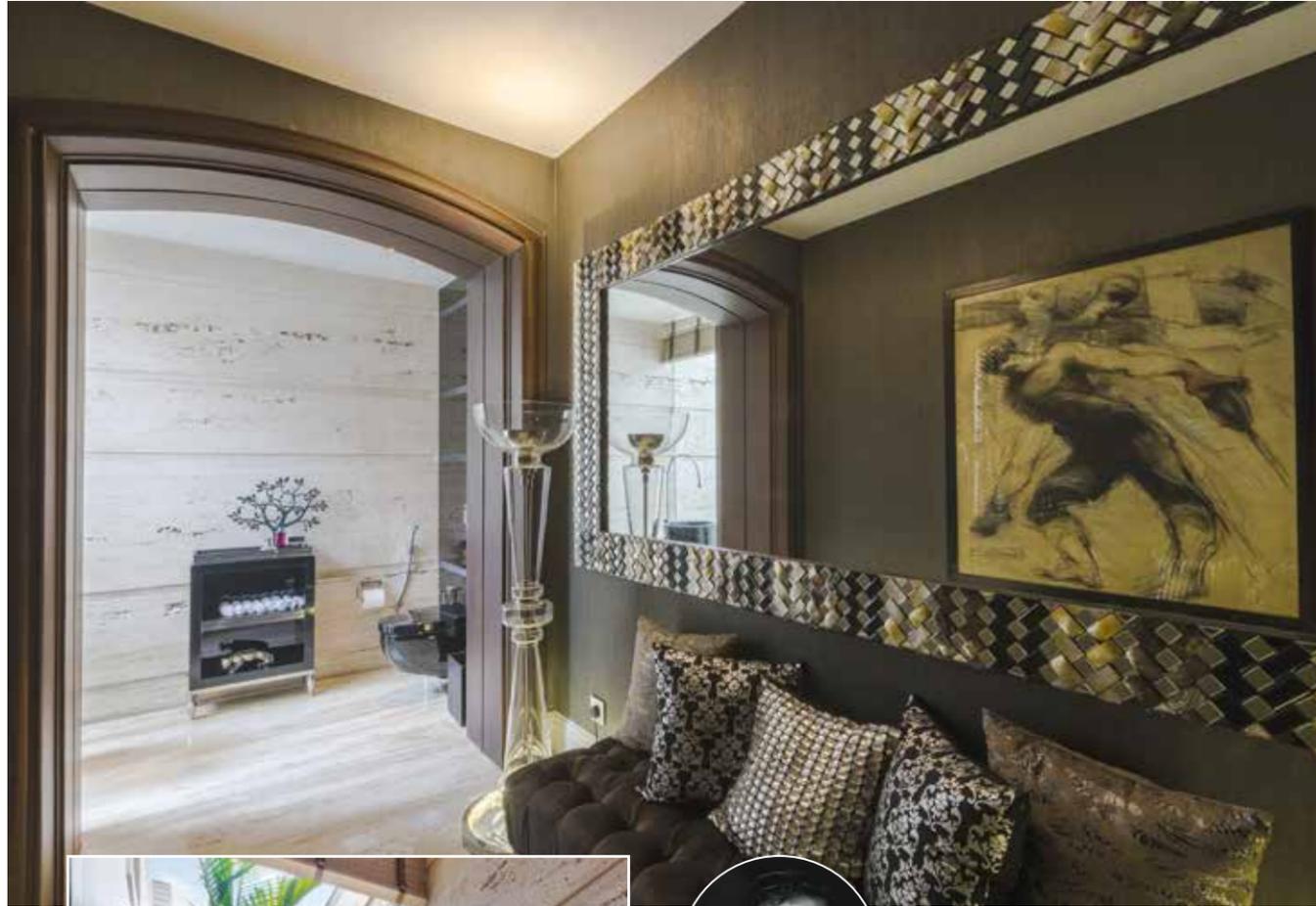


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## MORE 'POWDER' TO YOU!

What is a powder room without a distinct design? From offering a cosy couch to luxurious lighting, these stylish rest rooms are designed to wow and pamper you





## 1 OPULENT LOUNGE

[urbanscapearchitects.com](http://urbanscapearchitects.com)

**Project details** If you are in the middle of a fun but exhausting party, you may want to excuse yourself to the powder room for relaxing. That's if you're in this heritage villa in Civil Lines, Delhi. The powder room doubles up as a lounge and offers a cooling patch of the green landscape.

The idea was to take the opulence of the lobby, living room, as well as the landscape, to the powder room. Upon entering the powder room, you find a plush bench flanked by blown glass floor lamps from Klove on either side. As you cross this section through an arch, you approach the wet area which again opens out onto a private court making it look like an extension of the landscape.

'We tend to compress certain areas so much that they remain utilitarian in nature. This particular powder room was meant to cater to the guests of a luxurious heritage villa. So we came up with a lounge area with a linear leather upholstered bench,' says Dinesh Panwar of Urbanscape Architects.



## 2 GOLDEN ALCOVE

[dipengada.com](http://dipengada.com)

**Project details** The 'most important room' in the house doesn't always need a large space. One can make a big impact with a 6 ft by 5 ft 10 inch size powder room, believes architect Dipen Gada. Some beautiful ambient lighting and a well-thought out design element can still make it special. So, a small beaten metal basin rests on a Kota platform and a strip of multi-coloured Kota mosaic tiles that starts on one end of the floor extends to the wall behind the mirror creating an elegant pattern. A custom-made beaten brass framed mirror glows under the golden light cast by the pendant light, as do the metal vase and the mosaic tiles.

