survey report on:

Property address	34 Caplethill Road Paisley PA2 7ST
Customer	James Watters
Customer address	
Prepared by	ALLIED SURVEYORS SCOTLAND PLC
Date of inspection	1st March 2016



PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 THE SURVEYORS

The Seller has engaged the Surveyors to provide the Single Survey Report and a generic Mortgage Valuation Report for Lending Purposes. The Seller has also engaged the Surveyors to provide an Energy Report in the format prescribed by the accredited Energy Company.

The Surveyors are authorised to provide a transcript or retype of the generic Mortgage Valuation Report on to Lender specific pro-forma. Transcript reports are commonly requested by Brokers and Lenders. The transcript report will be in the format required by the Lender but will contain the same information, inspection date and valuation figure as the generic Mortgage Valuation Report and the Single Survey. The Surveyors will decline any transcript request which requires the provision of information additional to the information in the Report and the generic Mortgage Valuation Report until the Seller has conditionally accepted an offer to purchase made in writing.

Once the Seller has conditionally accepted an offer to purchase made in writing, the Purchaser's lender or conveyancer may request that the Surveyors provide general comment on standard appropriate supplementary documentation. In the event of a significant amount of documentation being provided to the Surveyors, an additional fee may be incurred by the Purchaser. Any additional fee will be agreed in writing.

If information is provided to the Surveyors during the conveyancing process which materially affects the valuation stated in the Report and generic Mortgage Valuation Report, the Surveyors reserve the right to reconsider the valuation. Where the Surveyors require to amend the valuation in consequence of such information, they will issue an amended Report and generic Mortgage Valuation Report to the Seller. It is the responsibility of the Seller to ensure that the amended Report and generic Mortgage Valuation Report are transmitted to every prospective Purchaser.

The individual Surveyor will be a member of the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors who is competent to survey, value and report upon Residential Property¹.

If the Surveyors have had a previous business relationship within the past two years with the Seller or Sellers Agent or relative to the property, they will be obliged to indicate this by ticking the adjacent box.



The Surveyors have a written complaints handling procedure. This is available from the offices of the Surveyors at the address stated.

1.2 THE REPORT

The Surveyors will not provide an amended Report on the Property, except to correct factual inaccuracies.

The Report will identify the nature and source of information relied upon in its preparation.

The Surveyor shall provide a Market Value of the Property, unless the condition of the Property is such that it would be inappropriate to do so. A final decision on whether a loan will be granted rests with the Lender who may impose retentions in line with their lending criteria. The date of condition and value of the property will be the date of inspection.

To date, Purchasers have normally obtained their own report from their chosen Surveyor. By contrast, a Single Survey is instructed by the Seller and made available to all potential Purchasers in the expectation that the successful Purchaser will have relied upon it. The Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors rules require disclosure of any potential conflict of interest when acting for the Seller and the Purchaser in the same transaction. The Single Survey may give rise to a conflict of interest and if this is of concern to any party they are advised to seek their own independent advice.

¹ Which shall be in accordance with the current RICS Valuation Standards (The Red Book) and RICS Rules of Conduct.

The Report and any expressions or assessments in it are not intended as advice to the Seller or Purchaser or any other person in relation to an asking price or any other sales or marketing decisions. The Report is based solely on the Property and is not to be relied upon in any manner whatsoever when considering the valuation or condition of any other property.

If certain minor matters are mentioned in the Report it should not be assumed that the Property is free of other minor defects.

Neither the whole nor any part of the Report may be published in any way, reproduced or distributed by any party other than the Seller, prospective purchasers and the Purchaser and their respective professional advisers without the prior written consent of the Surveyors.

1.3 LIABILITY

The Report is prepared with the skill and care reasonably to be expected of a competent residential surveyor who is a member of the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors.

The Report is addressed to the Seller and was prepared in the expectation that it (or a complete copy) along with these Terms and Conditions (or a complete copy) would (or, as the case might be, would have been) be disclosed and delivered to:-

- the Seller;
- any person(s) noting an interest in purchasing the Property from the Seller;
- any person(s) who make(s) (or on whose behalf is made) an offer to purchase the Property, whether or not that offer is accepted by the Seller;
- the Purchaser; and
- the professional advisers of any of these.

The Surveyors acknowledge that their duty of skill and care in relation to the Report is owed to the Seller and to the Purchaser. The Surveyors accept no responsibility or liability whatsoever in relation to the Report to persons other than the Seller and the Purchaser. The Seller and Purchaser should be aware that if a Lender seeks to rely on this Report they do so at their own risk. In particular, the Surveyors accept no responsibility or liability whatsoever to any Lender in relation to the Report. Any such Lender relies upon the Report entirely at their own risk.

1.4 GENERIC MORTGAGE VALUATION REPORT

The Surveyors undertake to the Seller that they will prepare a generic Mortgage Valuation Report, which will be issued along with the Single Survey. It is the responsibility of the Seller to ensure that the generic Mortgage Valuation Report is provided to every potential Purchaser.

1.5 TRANSCRIPT MORTGAGE VALUATION FOR LENDING PURPOSES

The Surveyors undertake that on being asked to do so by a prospective purchaser, or his/her professional advisor or Lender, they will prepare a Transcript Mortgage Valuation Report for Lending Purposes on terms and conditions to be agreed between the Surveyors and Lender and solely for the use of the Lender and upon which the Lender may rely. The decision as to whether finance will be provided is entirely a matter for the Lender. The Transcript Mortgage Valuation Report ² will be from information contained in the Report and the generic Mortgage Valuation Report.

² Which shall be in accordance with the current RICS Valuation Standards (The Red Book) and RICS Rules of Conduct

1.6 INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

All intellectual property rights whatsoever (including copyright) in and to the Report, excluding the headings and rubrics, are the exclusive property of the Surveyors and shall remain their exclusive property unless they assign the same to any other party in writing.

1.7 PAYMENT

The Surveyors are entitled to refrain from delivering the Report to anyone until the fee and other charges for it notified to the Seller have been paid. Additional fees will be charged for subsequent inspections and Reports.

1.8 CANCELLATION

The Seller will be entitled to cancel the inspection by notifying the Surveyor's office at any time before the day of the inspection.

The Surveyor will be entitled not to proceed with the inspection (and will so report promptly to the Seller) if after arriving at the property, the Surveyor concludes that it is of a type of construction of which the surveyor has insufficient specialist knowledge to be able to provide the inspection satisfactorily. The Surveyor will also be entitled not to proceed if after arriving at the property, the surveyor concludes that the property is exempt under Part 3 of The Housing (Scotland) Act 2006 as detailed in the (Prescribed Documents) Regulations 2008. If there is a potential threat to their health or personal safety, the inspection may be postponed or cancelled, at the Surveyor's discretion.

In the case of cancellation or the inspection not proceeding, the Surveyor will refund any fees paid by the Seller for the inspection and Report, except for expenses reasonably incurred and any fee due in light of the final paragraph of this section.

In the case of cancellation by the Seller, for whatever reason, after the inspection has taken place but before a written report is issued, the Surveyor will be entitled to raise an Invoice equivalent to 80% of the agreed fee.

1.9 PRECEDENCE

If there is any incompatibility between these Terms and Conditions and the Report, these Terms and Conditions take precedence.

1.10 DEFINITIONS

- the "Lender" is the party who has provided or intends or proposes to provide financial assistance to the Purchaser towards the purchase of the Property and in whose favour a standard security will be granted over the Property;
- the "Transcript Mortgage Valuation Report for Lending Purposes" means a separate report, prepared by the Surveyor, prepared from information in the Report and the generic Mortgage Valuation Report, but in a style and format required by the Lender. The Transcript Mortgage Valuation Report for Lending Purposes will be prepared with the skill and care reasonably to be expected from a surveyor who is a member of the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors and who is competent to survey, value and report on the Property;
- the "Generic Mortgage Valuation Report" means a separate report, prepared by the Surveyor from information in the Report but in the Surveyor's own format;

- the "Market Value" is the estimated amount for which a property should exchange on the date of valuation between a willing buyer and a willing seller in an arm's-length transaction after proper marketing wherein the parties had each acted knowledgeably, prudently and without compulsion;
- the "Property" is the property which forms the subject of the Report;
- the "Purchaser" is the person (or persons) who enters into a contract to buy the Property from the Seller:
- a "prospective Purchaser" is anyone considering buying the Property;
- the "Report" is the report, of the kind described in Part 2 of these Terms and Conditions and in the form set out in part 1 of Schedule 1 of the Housing (Scotland) Act 2006 (Prescribed Documents) Regulations 2008;
- the "Seller" is/are the proprietor(s) of the Property;
- the "Surveyor" is the author of the Report on the Property; and
- the "Surveyors" are the firm or company of which the Surveyor is an employee, director, member or partner (unless the Surveyor is not an employee, director, member or partner, when the "Surveyors" means the Surveyor) whose details are set out at the head of the Report.
- the "Energy Report" is the advice given by the accredited Energy Company, based on information collected by the Surveyor during the Inspection, and also includes an Energy Performance Certificate, in a Government approved format.

PART 2 - DESCRIPTION OF THE REPORT

2.1 THE SERVICE

The Single Survey is a Report by an independent Surveyor, prepared in an objective way regarding the condition and value of the Property on the day of the inspection, and who is a member of the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors. It includes an Energy Report as required by Statute and this is in the format of the accredited Energy Company. In addition, the Surveyor has agreed to supply a generic Mortgage Valuation Report.

2.2 THE INSPECTION

The Inspection is a general surface examination of those parts of the Property which are accessible: in other words, visible and readily available for examination from ground and floor levels, without risk of causing damage to the Property or injury to the Surveyor.

All references to visual inspection refer to an inspection from within the property at floor level and from ground level within the site and adjoining public areas, without the need to move any obstructions. Any references to left or right are taken facing the front of the property.

The Inspection is carried out with the Seller's permission, without causing damage to the building or contents. Furniture, stored items and insulation are not moved.

Unless identified in the report the Surveyor will assume that no harmful or hazardous materials have been used in the construction. The presence or possible consequences of any site contamination will not be researched.

The Surveyor will not carry out an asbestos inspection, and will not be acting as an asbestos inspector in completing a Single Survey of properties that may fall within the Control of Asbestos in the Workplace Regulations. In the case of flats it will be assumed that there is a duty holder, as defined in the Regulations and that a Register of Asbestos and effective Management Plan is in place, which does not require any expenditure, or pose a significant risk to health. No enquiry of the duty holder will be made.

2.3 THE REPORT

The Report will be prepared by the Surveyor who carried out the property inspection and will describe various aspects of the property as defined by the headings of the Single Survey report with the comments being general and unbiased. The report on the location, style and condition of the property, will be concise and will be restricted to matters that could have a material effect upon value and will omit items that, in the Surveyor's opinion, are not significant. If certain minor matters are mentioned, it should not be interpreted that the property is free of any other minor defects.

Throughout the report, the following repair categories will be used to give an overall opinion of the state of repair and condition of the property.

- Category 3: Urgent repairs or replacement are needed now. Failure to deal with them may cause problems to other parts of the property or cause a safety hazard. Estimates for repairs or replacement are needed now.
- 2. Category 2: Repairs or replacement requiring future attention, but estimates are still advised.
- 3. Category 1: No immediate action or repair is needed.

WARNING:

If left unattended, even for a relatively short period, Category 2 repairs can rapidly develop into more serious Category 3 repairs. The existence of Category 2 or Category 3 repairs may have an adverse effect on marketability, value and the sale price ultimately achieved for the property. This is particularly true during slow market conditions when the effect can be considerable.

Parts of the property, which cannot be seen or accessed, will not be reported upon and this will be stated. If the Surveyor suspects that a defect may exist within an unexposed area and which could have a material effect upon the value, he may recommend further investigation by specialist contractors.

2.4 SERVICES

Surveyors are not equipped or qualified to test the services and therefore no comment can be interpreted as implying that the design, installation and function of the services are in accordance/compliance with regulations, safety and efficiency expectations. However, comment is made where there is cause to suspect significant defects or shortcomings with the installations. No tests are made of any services or appliances.

2.5 ACCESSIBILITY

A section is included to help identify the basic information interested parties need to know to decide whether to view a property.

2.6 ENERGY REPORT

A section is included that makes provision for an Energy Report, relative to the property. The Surveyor will collect physical data from the property and provide such data in a format required by an accredited Energy Company. The Surveyor cannot of course accept liability for any advice given by the Energy Company.

2.7 VALUATION AND CONVEYANCER ISSUES

The last section of the Report contains matters considered relevant to the Conveyancer (Solicitor). It also contains the Surveyor's opinion both of the market value of the property and of the re-instatement cost, as defined below.

"Market Value" is the estimated amount for which a property should exchange on the date of valuation between a willing buyer and a willing seller in an arm's-length transaction after proper marketing wherein the parties had each acted knowledgeably, prudently and without compulsion. In arriving at the opinion of the Market Value, the Surveyor also makes various standard assumptions covering, for example, vacant possession; tenure and other legal considerations; contamination and hazardous materials; the condition of un-inspected parts; the right to use mains services; and the exclusion of curtains, carpets etc. from the valuation. In the case of flats, the following further assumptions are made that:

- There are rights of access and exit over all communal roadways, corridors, stairways etc. and to use communal grounds, parking areas, and other facilities;
- There are no particularly troublesome or unusual legal restrictions;
- There is no current dispute between the occupiers of the flats or any outstanding claims or losses; and the costs of repairs to the building are shared among the co-proprietors on an equitable basis.

Any additional assumption, or any found not to apply, is reported.

"Re-instatement cost" is an estimate for insurance purposes of the current cost of rebuilding the Property in its present form unless otherwise stated. This includes the cost of rebuilding the garage and permanent outbuildings, site clearance and professional fees, but excludes VAT (except on the fees).

Sellers or prospective Purchasers may consider it prudent to instruct a reinspection and revaluation after a period of 12 weeks (or sooner if appropriate) to reflect changing circumstances in the market and/or in the physical condition of the Property.

1. Information and scope of inspection

This section tells you about the type, accommodation, neighbourhood, age and construction of the property. It also tells you about the extent of the inspection and highlights anything that the surveyor could not inspect.

All references to visual inspection refer to an inspection from within the property without moving any obstructions and externally from ground level within the site and adjoining public areas. Any references to left or right in a description of the exterior of the property refer to the view of someone standing facing that part of the property from the outside.

The inspection is carried out without causing damage to the building or its contents and without endangering the occupiers or the surveyor. Heavy furniture, stored items and insulation are not moved. Unless identified in the report the surveyor will assume that no harmful or hazardous materials or techniques have been used in the construction. The presence or possible consequences of any site contamination will not be researched.

Services such as TV/cable connection, internet connection, swimming pools and other leisure facilities etc. will not be inspected or reported on.

Description	Substantial two storey detached villa.
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Accommodation	Ground Floor: Vestibule, hall, lounge, sitting room, dining room, kitchen, rear hallway with wet shower room, utility room and pantry/store cupboard off. Half landing, Bathroom and separate WC compartment.
	First Floor: 4 bedrooms.
Gross internal floor area (m²)	213 square metres.
Neighbourhood and location	The property is situated on the immediate south side of Paisley in the Potterhill district, where surrounding properties are similar age and character.
	All local amenities are situated close by.
Age	Built circa 1905.
Weather	Dry but overcast. The inspection was preceded by unsettled conditions.
Chimney stacks	Visually inspected with the aid of binoculars where appropriate.
	The chimneys are a mix of stone and brick construction, part roughcast incorporating lead flashings and upstands.

Roofing including roof space	Sloping roofs were visually inspected with the aid of binoculars where appropriate.
	Flat roofs were visually inspected from vantage points within the property and where safe and reasonable to do so from a 3m ladder externally.
	Roof spaces were visually inspected and were entered where there was safe and reasonable access, normally defined as being from a 3m ladder within the property.
	If this is not possible, then physical access to the roof space may be taken by other means if the Surveyor deems it safe and reasonable to do so.
	Pitched timber frame construction, Rosemary tile clad incorporating concealed valleys and lead valley features. There is a Dormer projection at the front elevation, which is tiled with a lead rolled detail, which is presumably bituminous felt coated. The roof space was inspected on a "head and shoulders" basis from the half landing above the bathroom.
Rainwater fittings	Visually inspected with the aid of binoculars where
Namwater numgs	appropriate.
	A mix of cast-iron and alloy manufacture.
Main walls	Visually inspected with the aid of binoculars where appropriate.
	Foundations and concealed parts were not exposed or inspected.
	Solid brick roughcast with the front elevation being stoned faced.
Windows, external doors and joinery	Internal and external doors were opened and closed where keys were available.
	Random windows were opened and closed where possible.
	Doors and windows were not forced open.
	Double glazed PVC windows and doors. Eaves and soffits are formed in timber and part PVC.
External decorations	Visually inspected.
	Paint finishing to external timbers. The masonry roughcast has been painted with a masonry paint.

Conservatories / porches	Not applicable.
Communal areas	Not applicable.
Garages and permanent outbuildings	Visually inspected.
	There is a large one and half size sectional concrete garage with corrugated finish attached to the south gable of the property. To the rear of the garden there is large sectional garage, which is used for storage. There is no vehicular access to the rear of the house there is a small cold cellar recess.
Outside areas and boundaries	Visually inspected.
	Garden grounds are bounded by stone, brick walling and privet hedging.
Ceilings	Visually inspected from floor level.
	A mixture of plasterboard and lath and plaster.
Internal walls	Visually inspected from floor level.
	Using a moisture meter, walls were randomly tested for dampness where considered appropriate.
	The main walls are lath and plastered finish, with internal partition wall being a mixture of solid masonry and stud partitioning.
Floors including sub floors	Surfaces of exposed floors were visually inspected. No carpets or floor coverings were lifted.
	Sub-floor areas were inspected only to the extent visible from a readily accessible and unfixed hatch by way of an inverted "head and shoulders" inspection at the access point.
	Physical access to the sub floor area may be taken if the Surveyor deems it is safe and reasonable to do so, and subject to a minimum clearance of 1m between the underside of floor joists and the solum as determined from the access hatch.
	Suspended timber and solid concrete construction.
Internal joinery and kitchen fittings	Built-in cupboards were looked into but no stored items were moved.
	Kitchen units were visually inspected excluding appliances.
	Modern and traditional joinery finishing. The kitchen comprise of hardwood units with integrated appliances.

Chimney breasts and fire-lass	Vigually inapported
Chimney breasts and fireplaces	Visually inspected.
	No testing of the flues or fittings was carried out.
	There are open fireplaces to the three main public rooms, we understand that the flues have been lined.
Internal decorations	Visually inspected.
	Paper and emulsion finishes.
Cellars	Not applicable.
Electricity	Accessible parts of the wiring were visually inspected without removing fittings. No tests whatsoever were carried out to the system or appliances. Visual inspection does not assess any services to make sure they work properly and efficiently and meet modern standards. If any services are turned off, the surveyor will state that in the report and will not turn them on. Main supply. There is a consumer unit to the front lounge press cupboard and separate consumer unit to the rear ground floor utility room.
Gas	Accessible parts of the system were visually inspected without removing fittings. No tests whatsoever were carried out to the system or appliances. Visual inspection does not assess any services to make sure they work properly and efficiently and meet modern standards. If any services are turned off, the surveyor will state that in the report and will not turn them on. Main supply.
Water, plumbing, bathroom fittings	Visual inspection of the accessible pipework, water tanks, cylinders and fittings without removing any insulation. No tests whatsoever were carried out to the system or appliances. Water is from main supply. We understand that the lead piping from street level has been renewedin plastic piping. Internally the piping, where seen, is formed in PVC and copper. Sanitary fittings are of a modern and serviceable type.
Heating and hot water	Accessible parts of the system were visually inspected apart from communal systems, which were not inspected. No tests whatsoever were carried out to the system or appliances. Gas fired condensing boiler wall mounted to the utility room and connected to the panel radiators. The system provides both domestic hot water and space heating.

Drainage	Drainage covers etc. were not lifted.	
	Neither drains nor drainage systems were tested.	
	Both foul and storm drainage are assumed to be to main sewer.	
Fire, smoke and burglar alarms	Visually inspected.	
	No tests whatsoever were carried out to the system or appliances.	
	Smoke alarms only. There is no burglar alarm.	
Any additional limits to inspection	For flats / maisonettes	
	Only the subject flat and internal communal areas giving access to the flat were inspected.	

If the roof space or under-building / basement is communal, reasonable and safe access is not always possible. If no inspection was possible, this will be stated. If no inspection was possible, the surveyor will assume that there are no defects that will have a material effect on the valuation.

The building containing the flat, including any external communal areas, was visually inspected only to the extent that the surveyor is able to give an opinion on the general condition and standard of maintenance.

Internally the inspection was restricted by normal floor coverings, furnishings and stored items. Hardwood flooring has been applied to most main apartments. The loft was inspected on a "head and shoulders" basis from the half landing bathroom and is double/triple layer insulation. Which restricted our access and inspection.

An inspection for Japanese Knotweed was not carried out. This is a plant which is subject to control regulation and is considered to be invasive and one which can render a property unsuitable for some mortgage lenders. It is assumed that there is no Japanese Knotweed within the boundaries of the property or its neighbouring properties. Identification of Japanese Knotweed is best undertaken by a specialist contractor. If it exists removal must be undertaken in a controlled manner by specialist contractors. This can prove to be expensive.

Sectional Diagram showing elements of a typical house



Reference may be made in this report to some or all of the above component parts of the property. This diagram may assist you in locating and understanding these items.

- 1 Chimney pots
- 2 Coping stone
- 3) Chimney head
- 4) Flashing
- 5 Ridge ventilation
- 6) Ridge board
- 7) Slates / tiles
- (8) Valley guttering
- 9) Dormer projection
- 10 Dormer flashing
- 11) Dormer cheeks
- (12) Sarking
- (13) Roof felt
- (14) Trusses
- 15) Collar
- (16) Insulation
- 7) Parapet gutter
- 18) Eaves guttering
- 19) Rainwater downpipe
- Verge boards /skews
- (21) Soffit boards
- 22) Partition wall
- 23) Lath / plaster
- 24) Chimney breast
- (25) Window pointing
- 26) Window sills
- (27) Rendering
- (28) Brickwork / pointing
- (29) Bay window projection
- (30) Lintels
- (31) Cavity walls / wall ties
- 32) Subfloor ventilator
- 3) Damp proof course
- 34) Base course
- 35) Foundations
- 36) Solum
- 37) Floor joists
- 38) Floorboards
- 9) Water tank
- (40) Hot water tank

2. Condition

This section identifies problems and tells you about the urgency of any repairs by using one of the following three categories:

Category 3	Category 2	Category 1
	Repairs or replacement requiring future attention, but estimates are still advised.	

Structural movement	
Repair category	1
Notes	No obvious or significant defects of this nature noted.

Dampness, rot and infestation	
Repair category	1
Notes	No obvious or significant defects of this nature noted, other than some deterioration to the wall plasterwork and render finishing to the rear hallway.

Chimney stacks	
Repair category	1
Notes	Appear well maintained. The north most chimney head has a slight inward lean, however, no further investigations are considered necessary.

Roofing including roof space	
Repair category	2
Notes	The roof covering has been well maintained, nevertheless, it is of an age where ongoing and regular maintenance expenditure should be anticipated. At the time of inspection a number of slipped and broken tiles had been replaced. The roof void inspection was severely restricted due heavy insulation. No obvious or significant defects noted within the limitations of our inspection.

Rainwater fittings	
Repair category	1
Notes	Appear well maintained.

Main walls	
Repair category	1
Notes	No obvious or significant defects noted to merit further investigation or repair.

Windows, external doors and joinery	
Repair category	1
Notes	Well maintained. We understand the windows were installed approximately 2008.

External decorations	
Repair category	1
Notes	Good.

Conservatories/porches	
Repair category	-
Notes	Not applicable.

Communal areas	
Repair category	-
Notes	Not applicable.

Garages and permanent outbuildings	
Repair category	1
Notes	The outbuildings appear well maintained.

Outside areas and boundaries	
Repair category	1
Notes	Clearly defined and generally well maintained.

Ceilings	
Repair category	1
Notes	No obvious or significant defects noted.

Internal walls	
Repair category	1
Notes	No obvious or significant defects noted.

Floors including sub-floors	
Repair category	1
Notes	No obvious or significant defects noted underfoot.

Internal joinery and kitchen fittings	
Repair category	1
Notes	Well maintained.

Chimney breasts and fireplaces	
Repair category	1
Notes	The chimneys are all in use either venting gas appliances or to the dining room there is a solid fuel fireplace opening. All we believe have been relined.

Internal decorations		
Repair category	1	
Notes	Good.	

Cellars	
Repair category	-
Notes	Not applicable.

Electricity	
Repair category	2
Notes	Some upgrading has been carried out to the electrics, however we have seen no certification to indicate it has been fully rewired. Electrical Regulations are constantly changing and it would be advisable to have the system checked and maintained on a regular basis.

Gas	
Repair category	1
Notes	Modern fittings were available for inspection.

Water, plumbing and bathroom fittings				
Repair category	1			
Notes	Fittings where seen appear well maintained.			

Heating and hot water				
Repair category	1			
Notes	A modern system has been installed in recent years and is regularly serviced and maintained, although is not under a Service Agreement.			

Drainage	
Repair category	1
Notes	No significant signs of ponding of water or similar defects noted on site to merit further investigation or repair.

Set out below is a summary of the condition of the property which is provided for reference only. You should refer to the previous comments for detailed information.

Structural movement	1			
Dampness, rot and infestation	1			
Chimney stacks	1			
Roofing including roof space				
Rainwater fittings	1			
Main walls	1			
Windows, external doors and joinery	1			
External decorations	1			
Conservatories/porches	-			
Communal areas	-			
Garages and permanent outbuildings	1			
Outside areas and boundaries				
Ceilings	1			
Internal walls	1			
Floors including sub-floors	1			
Internal joinery and kitchen fittings	1			
Chimney breasts and fireplaces	1			
Internal decorations	1			
Cellars	-			
Electricity	2			
Gas	1			
Water, plumbing and bathroom fittings	1			
Heating and hot water	1			
Drainage	1			

Category 3

Urgent repairs or replacement are needed now. Failure to deal with them may cause problems to other parts of the property or cause a safety hazard. Estimates for repairs or replacement are needed now.

Category 2

Repairs or replacement requiring future attention, but estimates are still advised.

Category 1

No immediate action or repair is needed.

Remember

The cost of repairs may influence the amount someone is prepared to pay for the property. We recommend that relevant estimates and reports are obtained in your own name.

Warning

If left unattended, even for a relatively short period, Category 2 repairs can rapidly develop into more serious Category 3 repairs. The existence of Category 2 or Category 3 repairs may have an adverse effect on marketability, value and the sale price ultimately achieved for the property. This is particularly true during slow market conditions where the effect can be considerable.

3. Accessibility information

Guidance notes on accessibility information

Three steps or fewer to a main entrance door of the property:

In flatted developments the 'main entrance' would be the flat's own entrance door, not the external door to the communal stair. The 'three steps or fewer' are counted from external ground level to the flat's entrance door. Where a lift is present, the count is based on the number of steps climbed when using the lift.

Unrestricted parking within 25 metres:

For this purpose, 'Unrestricted parking' includes parking available by means of a parking permit. Restricted parking includes parking that is subject to parking restrictions, as indicated by the presence of solid yellow, red or white lines at the edge of the road or by a parking control sign, parking meters or other coin-operated machines.

1. Which floor(s) is the living accommodation on?	Ground and First		
2. Are there three steps or fewer to a main entrance door of the property?	Yes X No		
3. Is there a lift to the main entrance door of the property?	Yes No X		
4. Are all door openings greater than 750mm?	Yes X No		
5. Is there a toilet on the same level as the living room and kitchen?	Yes X No		
6. Is there a toilet on the same level as a bedroom?	Yes No X		
7. Are all rooms on the same level with no internal steps or stairs?	Yes No X		
8. Is there unrestricted parking within 25 metres of an entrance door to the building?	Yes X No		

4. Valuation and conveyancer issues

This section highlights information that should be checked with a solicitor or licensed conveyancer. It also gives an opinion of market value and an estimated reinstatement cost for insurance purposes.

Matters for a solicitor or licensed conveyancer

During the inspection we noted to the rear sitting room there has been the installation of French doors. In this connection we would advise that all requisite local Authority Consents and completion certificate documentation be fully investigated.

Estimated reinstatement cost for insurance purposes

£375,000 (THREE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY FIVE THOUSAND POUNDS STERLING).

Valuation and market comments

£410,000 (FOUR HUNDRED AND TEN THOUSAND POUNDS STERLING).

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Date of report	2nd March 2016				



Property Address						
Address Seller's Name Date of Inspection	34 Caplethill Road, Paisley, PA2 7ST James Watters 1st March 2016					
Property Details						
Property Type	X House Bungalow Purpose built maisonette Converted maisonette Purpose built flat Converted flat Tenement flat Flat over non-residential use Other (specify in General Remarks)					
Property Style	X Detached Semi detached Mid terrace End terrace Back to back High rise block Low rise block Other (specify in General Remarks)					
Does the surveyor be e.g. local authority, m	elieve that the property was built for the public sector, Yes X No illitary, police?					
Flats/Maisonettes only	y Floor(s) on which located					
Approximate Year of	Construction 1905					
Tenure						
X Absolute Ownership	Leasehold Ground rent £ Unexpired years Unexpired years					
Accommodation						
Number of Rooms	3 Living room(s) 4 Bedroom(s) 1 Kitchen(s) 2 Bathroom(s) 1 WC(s) 1 Other (Specify in General remarks)					
Gross Floor Area (exc	cluding garages and outbuildings) 213 m² (Internal) m² (External)					
Residential Element ((greater than 40%) X Yes No					
Garage / Parking /	Outbuildings					
X Single garage Available on site? Permanent outbuildin	□ Double garage □ Parking space □ No garage / garage space / parking space □ X Yes □ No garage / garage space / parking space gs:					
Sectional concrete s	store and cold cellar.					

Construction								
Walls	X Brick	Stone	Concrete	Timber frame	Othe	Other (specify in General Remarks)		
Roof	X Tile	Slate	Asphalt	Felt	Othe	er (specify in Gen	eral Remarks)	
Special Risks								
Has the property	suffered struc	tural movem	ent?			Yes	X No	
If Yes, is this rece	ent or progres	sive?				Yes	No	
Is there evidence, immediate vicinity		ason to antic	ipate subsidence	e, heave, landslip o	or flood in the	e Yes	X No	
If Yes to any of th	e above, prov	ride details in	General Remar	ks.				
Service Connec	ctions							
Based on visual ir of the supply in G			rices appear to b	e non-mains, pleas	se comment	on the type a	nd location	
Drainage	X Mains	Private	None	Water	X Mains	Private	None	
Electricity	X Mains	Private	None	Gas	X Mains	Private	None	
Central Heating	X Yes	Partial	None					
Brief description of	of Central Hea	ating:						
Full gas central I	neating.							
Site								
Apparent legal iss	sues to be ver	ified by the c	onveyancer. Ple	ease provide a brie	f description	in General R	temarks.	
Rights of way	Shared driv	es / access	Garage or othe	r amenities on separate	site Sha	ared service conn	ections	
Ill-defined boundar	ries	Agricu	Itural land included w	vith property	Oth	er (specify in Ge	neral Remarks)	
Location								
X Residential suburb	Re	sidential within t	own / city	ed residential / comme	rcial Mai	nly commercial		
Commuter village	Re	mote village	Iso	ated rural property	Oth	er (specify in Ge	neral Remarks)	
Planning Issues	s							
Has the property I	been extende	d / converted	d / altered?	Yes No				
If Yes provide det	ails in Genera	al Remarks.						
Roads								
X Made up road	Unmade roa	d Partly	completed new roa	d Pedestrian a	access only	Adopted	Unadopted	

General Remarks			
The subjects comprise of a substantial early Edwardian detached house, fronting Caplethill Road on the immediate south side in the Potterhill district.			
All local amenities are situated close by.			
The property externally appears well maintained, however the roof covering is original and will be a source of ongoing and regular maintenance expenditure.			
Internally the property is well appointed throughout. Partial upgrading has been carried out to the electrics and ongoing maintenance should be anticipated. During our inspection we noted that French doors have been installed to rear sitting room window opening. In this connection it is assumed that all requisite local Authority Consents and completion certificate documentation will be forthcoming.			
Other Accommodation: Utility Room			
Essential Repairs			
None.			

Comment on Mortgageability			
The property affords suital	ble security for normal lending purposes.		
Valuations			
Market value in present condition Market value on completion of essential repairs Insurance reinstatement value (to include the cost of total rebuilding, site clearance, professional fees, ancillary charges plus VAT) Is a reinspection necessary?			
Buy To Let Cases			
What is the reasonable range of monthly rental income for the property assuming a letting on a 6 month Short Assured Tenancy basis? Is the property in an area where there is a steady demand for rented accommodation of this type?			
Declaration			
Signed Surveyor's name	Security Print Code [490885 = 7716] Electronically signed by:- Douglas Hyde		
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