survey report on:

Property address	HARPER VILLA 6 GLEN ROAD ABERDEEN AB21 7EL
Customer	Mr and Mrs Urquhart

Customer address	Per Aberdein Considine & Co 115 Victoria Street Dyce AB21 7AX
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Date of inspection	5th April 2019
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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	The subjects comprise a semi detached bungalow which is part built into the two storey building which houses 8 to 10 Glen Road.	
Accommodation	The accommodation comprises:	
	Ground Floor: Entrance Hallway, Living Room, Dining Kitchen, Master Bedroom with En Suite Shower Room, Two further Bedrooms and Bathroom with w.c.	
Gross internal floor area (m²)	107 sq.m or thereby.	
Neighbourhood and location	Located within the Dyce suburb of Aberdeen lying some six miles northwest of Aberdeen City Centre. The property forms part of an established residential locality where surrounding properties are in mixed residential types and within the local area an adequate range of services and facilities are available.	
Age	The original building of 8 to 10 Glen Road was built around 1900. The majority of the bungalow was constructed around 1980 with the living room extension added to the rear around 1991.	
Weather	Dry and cloudy.	
Chimney stacks	Visually inspected with the aid of binoculars where appropriate.	
	Chimneys are constructed of solid pointed granite stonework and are fitted with clay chimney cans and chimney stacks are sealed to the main roof pitch with cement and metal flashings.	

Roofing including roof space Sloping roo binoculars

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.

The roof over the property known as 8 to 10 Glen Road is timber framed, pitched and clad with slates with metal valleys and flashings and cement skews. No inspection was possible to the roof void over this part of the building.

The roof over the remainder of the building is timber framed, pitched, hipped and clad with tiles with a tiled ridge. A very limited head and shoulders inspection was carried out to the roof void over this section of the building via a hatch within the kitchen ceiling. The roof void is insulated.

Rainwater fittings

Visually inspected with the aid of binoculars where appropriate.

PVC and cast iron gutters and downpipes set into the drainage system.

Main walls

Visually inspected with the aid of binoculars where appropriate.

Foundations and concealed parts were not exposed or inspected.

The main walls to the property known as 8 to 10 Glen Road are of solid pointed granite stonework.

The walls to the remainder of the property appear to be constructed of solid blockwork and are externally roughcast.

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.

Windows are of aluminium and PVC design and are fitted with sealed double glazed units.

The front door is of aluminium design fitted with sealed double glazed units. The rear door is of PVC patio design fitted with sealed double glazed units.

The soffits and fascia boards where appropriate are of timber

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	design.
External decorations	Visually inspected.
	Mainly aluminium finishes otherwise painted or stained.
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Conservatories / porches	N/A
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Communal areas	Circulation areas visually inspected.
	We understand the property benefits from access to a communal area of garden ground which is mainly laid to lawn.
Garages and permanent outbuildings	Visually inspected.
	Within the rear garden there is a timber and felt summerhouse.
	Located off the close by side lane is a single car garage with associated lean-to store attached to the side. The garage is of prefabricated construction with the walls being of concrete panel with the roof over being clad in corrugated asbestos sheeting. The walls to the lean-to are of timber framework with the roof over being of flat design clad with felt.
	We believe that the property also may benefit from a further store located off the communal area of garden.
Outside areas and boundaries	Visually inspected.
	To the front of the property is an area of garden ground which is mainly laid to stone chips and shrubs. Boundaries are defined with pointed stonework and roughcast blockwork.
	To the rear of the property is an area of garden ground which is mainly laid to lawn with areas of paving slabs. Boundaries are defined with pointed stonework, pointed blockwork and timber fencing.
Ceilings	Visually inspected from floor level.
	Ceilings are lined in lath and plaster and plasterboard sheets.
Internal walls	Visually inspected from floor level.
	Using a moisture meter, walls were randomly tested for dampness where considered appropriate.
	Internal walls and partitions are lined in lath and plaster and plasterboard sheets.

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.

Flooring is of suspended timber. Our inspection of flooring was limited due to fitted floor coverings throughout.

A very limited head inspection was carried out to the sub-floor area via a hatch within the entrance hallway. The solum is unsealed.

Internal joinery and kitchen fittings

Built-in cupboards were looked into but no stored items were moved.

Kitchen units were visually inspected excluding appliances.

Internal doors are of timber panel design sitting within timber skirtings and facings.

The kitchen is equipped with a range of wall and base units, worktop surfaces, integrated appliances and a sink and drainer.

An adequate provision of built-in storage has been provided within the property.

Chimney breasts and fireplaces

Visually inspected.

No testing of the flues or fittings was carried out.

All original fireplaces are covered over and assumed to be adequately vented.

Within the living room there is a gas living flame fire.

Internal decorations

Visually inspected.

The internal walls are finished in emulsion painted and wallpapered decorations.

The ceilings are finished in emulsion painted, wallpapered and artexed decorations.

The internal joinery works are finished in gloss paint.

Cellars	N/A
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. Electricity is from mains public supplies. The electricity meter and fuse box can be found within the cupboard off the hallway.
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. Gas is from mains public supplies. The gas meter can be found externally.
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 mains public supplies. Internal plumbing where seen is of copper supply pipes with PVC waste pipes. The rising main was not inspected. The bathroom is fitted with a 3-piece suite with a Jacuzzi bath and a shower above.
	The en suite shower room is fitted with a 3-piece suite.
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.
	Heating and hot water are provided by a gas fired combination boiler. The boiler is wall mounted within a cupboard off the hallway and supplies radiators throughout.
Drainage	Drainage covers etc. were not lifted.
	Neither drains nor drainage systems were tested.
	Drainage is to mains public sewer.

Fire, smoke and burglar alarms	Visually inspected.
	No tests whatsoever were carried out to the system or appliances.
	Smoke detectors have been installed.

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.

At the time of inspection the property was found to be fully furnished and occupied.

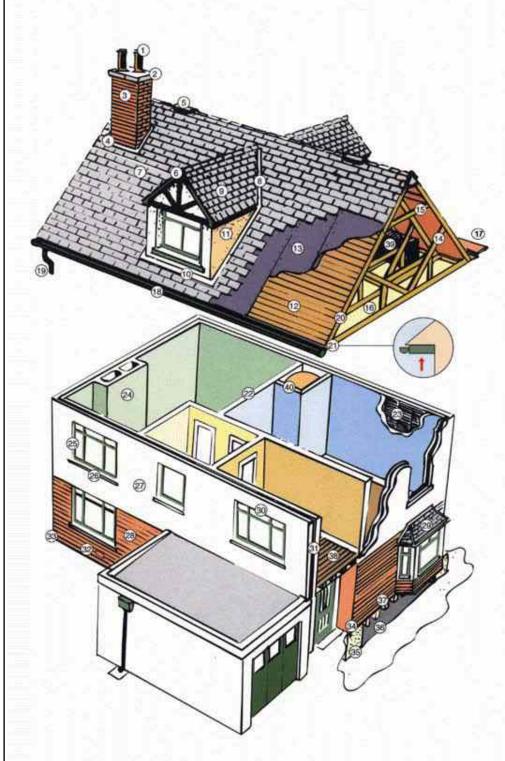
Our inspection of flooring was limited due to fitted floor coverings. Our sub-floor inspection was limited to a head inspection only.

The windows were not all tested.

No inspection was possible to the roof void over 8 to 10 Glen Road.

An inspection for Japanese Knotweed was not carried out. This is a plant which is subject to control regulation, is considered to be invasive and one which can render a property unsuitable for some mortgage lenders. It is therefore assumed that there is no Japanese Knotweed within the boundaries of the property or its neighbouring property. Identification of Japanese Knotweed is best undertaken by a specialist contractor.

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
- 0) Verge boards /skews
- 21) Soffit boards
- 22) Partition wall
- 23) Lath / plaster
- 24) Chimney breast
- 25) Window pointing
- Window sills
- (27) Rendering
- (28) Brickwork / pointing
- 29) Bay window projection
- (30) Lintels
- (31) Cavity walls / wall ties
- 32) Subfloor ventilator
- 33) Damp proof course
- 34) Base course
- 35) Foundations
- 36) Solum
- 7) Floor joists
- 8) Floorboards
- 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 significant structural movement was noted within the limits of our inspection.

Dampness, rot and infestation	
Repair category	1
Notes	No dampness, rot or infestation was noted within the limits of our inspection.
	There is a high ground level around parts of the property and this should ideally be reduced.
	Condensation was noted within the cupboard recess off bedroom one.

Chimney stacks	
Repair category	1
Notes	It is assumed that chimneys no longer in use are capped and vented.

Roofing including roof space	
Repair category	2
Notes	The roof over the building known as 8 to 10 Glen Road is original and is clad in slates. Slate roof coverings will require regular ongoing maintenance and a number of slipped and broken slates were noted. No inspection was possible to the roof void over this section. The roof over the remainder of the bungalow is clad in tiles which are subject to heavy moss growth. Moss growth should be removed. Our inspection of the roof void was severely limited to a head and shoulders inspection only.

Rainwater fittings	
Repair category	1
Notes	Weeds were noted to the gutters. Rainwater goods should be checked for full adequacy during periods of heavy rain. The rainwater goods were noted to be weathered externally.

Main walls	
Repair category	2
Notes	Some areas of cracked, damaged and weathered pointed were noted to the original stonework over 8 to 10 Glen Road. Some areas of cracked and damaged roughcast were noted to the remainder of the roughcast block walls. There is a generally high ground level around the property and this should ideally be reduced.

Windows, external doors and joinery	
Repair category	2
Notes	The windows were not all tested. The windows are in excess of twenty five years old. Areas of defective double glazing were noted. Some condensation was noted to the window frames internally.

External decorations	
Repair category	1
Notes	

Conservatories/porches	
Repair category	-
Notes	N/A

Communal areas	
Repair category	-
Notes	N/A

Garages and permanent outbuildings	
Repair category	2
Notes	The timbers to the summerhouse are generally weathered. The roof over the summerhouse is of flat design and this will have a limited lifespan. The summerhouse was not inspected in detail.
	The garage is of basic construction only being of a prefabricated structure. The roof over the same is clad in corrugated asbestos sheeting and the current informed view is that asbestos poses no health risk if left undisturbed. The lean-to attached to the garage again is of basic construction only with a flat roof over. Within the garage and lean-to water ingress was noted to the roof coverings. The garage/lean-to will require upgrading.
	The store off the communal area of garden ground is dilapidated and was not inspected.

Outside areas and boundaries	
Repair category	1
Notes	Areas of damage were noted to the boundary walls.
	The shared garden area is overgrown and was not inspected in detail.

Ceilings	
Repair category	2
Notes	Areas of plaster cracking and unevenness noted.
	The master bedroom wardrobe ceiling is lined with polystyrene tiles. This would cause a hazard in the event of a fire.

Internal walls	
Repair category	1
Notes	

Floors including sub-floors	
Repair category	1
Notes	Our inspection of flooring was limited due to fitted floor coverings. Our sub-floor inspection was limited to a head inspection only. There is a generally high ground level around the property.

Internal joinery and kitchen fittings		
Repair category	1	
Notes	The kitchen cupboard doors have been overwrapped with vinyl.	
	The kitchen has suffered from general wear and tear.	

Chimney breasts and fireplaces	
Repair category	1
Notes	All original fireplaces are covered over and assumed to be adequately vented. The gas fire is in excess of twenty five years old and it should be checked to confirm this has been regularly serviced and maintained in accordance with gas safe regulations. All documentation should be sought. The gas fire may have a limited lifespan.

Internal decorations	
Repair category	1
Notes Areas of plaster cracking and visible taping joints noted to decoration finishes.	

Cellars	
Repair category	-
Notes	N/A

Electricity	
Repair category	2
Notes	The electrical fuse box is in excess of thirty years old and would not comply with current standards. The Institute of Engineering and Technology recommends that inspections and testings are undertaken at least every ten years and on a change of occupancy. It should be appreciated that only the most recently constructed or re-wired properties will have installations which fully comply with present IET regulations.

Gas	
Repair category	1
Notes	In the interests of safety and in light of recent regulations it would be prudent to have all gas appliances checked by a Gas Safe registered contractor.

Water, plumbing and bathroom fittings	
Repair category	2
Notes	Regular attention will be required to the seal around various wet appliances and no inspection has been possible to any enclosed timbers beneath or adjacent. The main bath panel was noted to be cracked. There is also a step within the main bathroom.
	The rising main was not inspected.

Heating and hot water		
Repair category	1	
Notes	It is assumed that the central heating system has been properly installed, updat and maintained to meet with all current regulations and standards with particular regard to fluing and ventilation requirements.	

Drainage	
Repair category	1
Notes All foul and surface water drainage is assumed to be to the main public sewer The system was not tested.	

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	2
Rainwater fittings	1
Main walls	2
Windows, external doors and joinery	2
External decorations	1
Conservatories/porches	-
Communal areas	-
Garages and permanent outbuildings	2
Outside areas and boundaries	1
Ceilings	2
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	2
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	
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 No X	
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 X No	
7. Are all rooms on the same level with no internal steps or stairs?	Yes X No	
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

It is assumed that there are no statutory, town planning, road proposals or environmental matters which are likely to have an adverse effect on the property.

The road and footpath adjoining the site are made up and are assumed to be adopted by the Local Authority.

The garage is accessed via a private lane and it is assumed that a relevant right of access exists in this regard.

The property was extended from a flat around 1980 and again subsequently around 1991. All associated statutory documentation and completion certificates should be sought in this regard.

Where defects or repairs have been identified within this report it is recommended that, prior to entering into any legally binding sale or purchase contract, further specialist's or contractor's advice and estimates should be obtained, to establish the implications, if any, on a potential offer to purchase or the sale price likely to be achieved for the property.

Estimated reinstatement cost for insurance purposes

For Reinstatement Cost Assessment purposes, it is recommended that the subjects be insured for a sum of not less than £280,000 (TWO HUNDRED AND EIGHTY THOUSAND POUNDS STERLING).

This figure is the estimate of the cost of rebuilding the premises and bears no direct relationship to current market value.

Valuation and market comments

Having considered matters, taking account of our general observations on site, we are of the opinion that the Market Value of the subjects in their present condition and with the benefit of vacant possession may be fairly stated in the sum of £225,000 (TWO HUNDRED AND TWENTY FIVE THOUSAND POUNDS STERLING).

Signed	Security Print Code [438914 = 6023] Electronically signed
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Date of report	11th April 2019
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Property Address					
Address Seller's Name Date of Inspection	HARPER VILLA, Mr and Mrs Urqu 5th April 2019		ABERDEEN, AB21 7EL		
Property Details					
Property Type	House Purpose built flat	X Bungalow Converted flat	Purpose built maisonette Tenement flat	Converted maisonette Flat over non-residential use Other (specify in General Remarks)	
Property Style	Detached Back to back	X Semi detached High rise block	Mid terrace Low rise block	End terrace Other (specify in General Remarks)	
Does the surveyor believe that the property was built for the public sector, e.g. local authority, military, police?					
Flats/Maisonettes only	y Floor(s) on which		No. of floors in block	Lift provided? Yes No	
Approximate Year of	Construction 1980	<u>) </u>			
Tenure					
X Absolute Ownership	Leasehold	Ground rent £	Unexpired yea	ars	
Accommodation					
Number of Rooms	1 Living room(s) 2 Bathroom(s)	3 Bedroom(s) 0 WC(s)	1 Kitchen(s) 0 Other (Specify in General	al remarks)	
Gross Floor Area (exc			107 m² (Internal)	m² (External)	
Residential Element (greater than 40%)	X Yes No			
Garage / Parking / 0	Outbuildings				
X Single garage Available on site?	Double garage Yes X No	Parki	ng space N	No garage / garage space / parking space	
Permanent outbuilding	gs:				

Construction							
Walls	X Brick	Stone	Concrete	Timber frame	Other	r (specify in Gen	eral Remarks)
Roof	X Tile	Slate	Asphalt	Felt	Other	(specify in Gen	eral Remarks)
Special Risks							
Has the property	suffered struc	tural moveme	ent?			Yes	X No
If Yes, is this rece	ent or progress	sive?				Yes	No
Is there evidence, immediate vicinity	•	ason to antici	pate subsidence	, heave, landslip o	or flood in the	Yes	X No
If Yes to any of th	e above, prov	ide details in	General Remark	S.			
Service Connec	ctions						
Based on visual ir of the supply in G			ces appear to be	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	ting:					
Gas fired combin	nation boiler to	o radiators.					
Site							
Apparent legal iss	sues to be ver	ified by the co	onveyancer. Ple	ase provide a brie	ef description	in General R	emarks.
Rights of way	X Shared driv	-		amenities on separate	_	ed service conn	
Ill-defined boundar			tural land included wi			er (specify in Ge	
Location							
X Residential suburb	Res	sidential within to	own / city Mixe	ed residential / comme	ercial Main	ly commercial	
Commuter village	Rer	mote village	Isola	ited rural property	Othe	er (specify in Ger	neral Remarks)
Planning Issues	S						
Has the property I			/ altered?	Yes No			
Roads							
X Made up road	Unmade roa	d Partly	completed new road	Pedestrian a	access only	Adopted	Unadopted

General Remarks

Located within the Dyce suburb of Aberdeen lying some six miles northwest of Aberdeen City Centre. The property forms part of an established residential locality where surrounding properties are in mixed residential types and within the local area an adequate range of services and facilities are available.

At the time of inspection the property was found to be in a reasonable order bearing in mind its age, type and nature. Ongoing maintenance liabilities can be anticipated in respect of the roof coverings, rainwater goods and main walls, in particular to the part occupying the building known as 8 to 10 Glen Road.

It is assumed that there are no statutory, town planning, road proposals or environmental matters which are likely to have an adverse effect on the property.

The road and footpath adjoining the site are made up and are assumed to be adopted by the Local Authority.

The garage is accessed via a private lane and it is assumed that a relevant right of access exists in this regard. The property was extended from a flat around 1980 and again subsequently around 1991. All statutory documentation and completion certificates should be sought in this regard.

Essential Repairs				
None.				
Estimated cost of essential repairs £	Retention recommended? Yes	X No	Amount £	

Comment on Mortgagea	bility	
The property forms suitable mortgage provider.	le security for mortgage purposes subject to the specific lending criteria o	f any
Valuations		
Market value in present cor Market value on completion Insurance reinstatement va (to include the cost of total is a reinspection necessary	of essential repairs lue rebuilding, site clearance, professional fees, ancillary charges plus VAT)	£ 225,000 £ 280,000
Buy To Let Cases		
month Short Assured Tenai	ge of monthly rental income for the property assuming a letting on a 6 ncy basis? here there is a steady demand for rented accommodation of this type?	£ Yes No
	nere there is a steady demand for refited accommodation or this type:	TesNo
Declaration		
Signed Surveyor's name	Security Print Code [438914 = 6023] Electronically signed by:- Stuart Dunne	
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