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Flat 1-2 317 Eldon Street Greenock PA16 7QN

PREPARED FOR

Jamie McMillan

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SINGLE Survey

A report on the condition of the property, with categories being rated from 1 to 3.



Single Survey

Survey report on:

Surveyor Reference	ММ
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Customer	Mr. Jamie McMillan
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Selling address	Flat 1-2 317 Eldon Street
	Greenock PA16 7QN

Date of Inspection	17/01/2024
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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 Property. ¹

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.

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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.

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

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 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.

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 will be prepared from information contained in the Report and the generic Mortgage Valuation Report. 2

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

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

- 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.

- 2.3.1 <u>Category 3</u>: 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.
- 2.3.2 <u>Category 2</u>: Repairs or replacement requiring future attention, but estimates are still advised.
- 2.3.3 <u>Category 1</u>: 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" 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 will not be inspected or reported on.

Description	The subjects comprise a purpose built first floor flat contained within a two storey plus attic building which appears to include four flatted dwellings in total and commercial premises at ground floor level.
Accommodation	First Floor: Entrance Hallway, Living Room, Bedroom and Bathroom. Lowered Floor: Kitchen with Dining/Lounge Room off.
Gross internal floor area (m2)	67 square metres or thereby.
Neighbourhood and location	The property is located within an established residential area of Greenock where surrounding properties vary in age and character. There is a mix of residential and commercial premises nearby. The property benefits from views across the Battery Park to the front elevation.
Age	The property was constructed circa 1900.
Weather	Dry/sunny.
Chimney stacks	Visually inspected with the aid of binoculars where required. Chimney stacks are of stone construction.
Roofing including roof space	Sloping roofs were visually inspected with the aid of binoculars where required. Flat roofs were visually inspected from vantage points within

	the property and where safe and reasonable to do so from a 3m ladder externally.
	Flat roofs have a limited life and depending on their age and quality of workmanship can fail at any time.
	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 covering is pitched assumed to be timber framed, overlaid with slates and surmounted with metal ridges. The roof structure incorporates dormer window projections to the front and rear elevations. Not all areas of the roof covering are fully visible from ground level. The rear projection appears to be pitched and clad in slate with no roof void access available. The extension to this portion of the building has a flat roof covering which appears to be of felt or similar although no full sight was gained from ground level.
	Access to the main roof void area can only be gained via the upper flats and accordingly no inspection has taken space and therefore we cannot comment upon the condition of any roof void area/timbers. Not all areas of the roof coverings are fully visible from ground level.
Rainwater fittings	Visually inspected with the aid of binoculars where required.
	Mix of PVC and metal/cast iron.
Main walls	Visually inspected with the aid of binoculars where required. Foundations and concealed parts were not exposed or inspected.
	The main walls to the main part of the building and kitchen projection appear to be of traditional solid stone construction. Part rendered finishes were noted. The extension appears to be of cavity brick type construction with steel supports underneath. Render finishes were observed.
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.	
	The windows serving the property are of mixed age uPVC double glazed design.	
	Access to the property is via a PVC door from the communal corridor at the rear.	
External decorations	Visually inspected.	
	Rendered, painted, stone work and timber finishes were noted externally.	
Conservatories / porches	None.	
Communal areas	Circulation areas visually inspected.	
	There is a shared stairway leading to a small communal walk way area to the rear which provides entrance to the property.	
Garages and	Visually inspected.	
permanent outbuildings	There are no garages/permanent outbuildings.	
Outside areas and	Visually inspected.	
boundaries	There is a mix of shared and private garden grounds to the rear. The exact allocation and rights of way/maintenance liabilities can be confirmed with the title deeds. It is assumed that the nearest section of ground pertains to the subjects at the rear of the rear projection. There is a train line located within relatively close proximity.	
	The road and footpath adjoining the site are made up and are assumed to be adopted by the Local Authority.	
Ceilings	Visually inspected from floor level.	
	Plasterboard/lath and plaster.	
Internal walls	Visually inspected from floor level.	
	Using a moisture meter, walls were randomly tested for dampness where considered appropriate.	
	Mix of plasterboard, lath and plaster and solid masonry.	
Floors including sub	Surfaces of exposed floors were visually inspected. No	

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floors	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 within the property is mainly of suspended timber.	
	Due to fitted carpets and floor coverings no detailed inspection of floors was possible and accordingly no comment can be made on their condition.	
	No sub floor inspection has taken place.	
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.	
	Kitchen fittings comprise a range of floor and wall mounted units.	
Chimney breasts and fireplaces	None noted. It would appear the chimney breasts have been blocked over in the past with ventilation installed.	
Internal decorations	Visually inspected.	
	Mainly paper/paint finishes to internal wall and ceiling surfaces. Tiled and texture coating finishes also observed.	
Cellars	Visually inspected where there was safe and purpose-built access.	
	There appears to be a cellar underneath the kitchen projection as well as semi open storage area. The door providing access to the cellar was locked at the time of inspection. It is assumed that the boiler is located at this area and therefore no access was possible to comment.	
Electricity	Accessible parts of the wiring were visually inspected without removing fittings. No tests whatsoever were carried	

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	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.	
	Mains supply.	
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.	
	Mains supply.	
Water, plumbing and 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.	
	Mains supply.	
	Plumbing, where seen, was found to be a mix of copper and plastic.	
	Bathroom fittings comprise a bath, WC and wash hand basin. There is a shower fitted over the bath.	
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.	
	There is a gas fired central heating system installed. The central heating boiler appears to be located within the sub floor and no access was possible.	
Drainage	Drainage covers etc were not lifted.	
	Neither drains nor drainage systems were tested.	
	All foul and surface water drainage is assumed to be connected to the main public sewer. The system was not	

	tested.	
Fire, smoke and burglar alarms	All Scottish homes require a smoke alarm to be installed in the room most frequently used for living purposes and in every circulation space on each floor. A heat alarm also needs to be installed in each kitchen. The alarms need to be ceiling mounted and interlinked. Where there is a carbon- fuelled appliance such as a boiler, open fire or wood burner, a carbon monoxide detector is also required. We have not assessed or tested any existing equipment and it is the purchasers responsibility to confirm that the property will comply with these standards following a change of ownership.	
Any additional limits to inspection	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.	
	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. If it exists removal must be undertaken in a controlled manner by specialist contractors. This can prove to be expensive.	
	The property had fitted floor coverings, therefore no detailed inspection was possible of the floors and accordingly, no comment can be made on their condition. Internal cupboards were generally filled with storage items. No access was available beneath sanitary or kitchen fittings.	
	Windows and external doors were not all fully opened or tested.	

No access was available to any sub-floor areas. Some areas of the external building fabric including some roof pitches/chimneys/elevations were not fully or closely visible from the surrounding ground level, due to the confines of the site.
Wall panelling to areas prevented accurate damp readings being taken.
No inspection has been possible to flooring timbers beneath any sanitary fitting, kitchen appliances or other wet areas was possible. Timbers are assumed to be in a satisfactory condition.

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
1	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
17	Parapet gutter
18	Eaves guttering
19	Rainwater downpipe
20	Verge boards /skews
21	Soffit boards
22	Partiton wall
23	Lath / plaster
24	Chimney breast
25	Window pointing
26	Window sills
27	-
28	Brickwork / pointing
\leq	Bay window projection
$\mathbf{}$	Lintels
\sim	Cavity walls / wall ties
32	Subfloor ventilator
33	Damp proof course
34	Base course
35	Foundations
36	Solum
\leq	Floor joists
38	Floorboards
39	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 3 categories:

Category 3	Category 2	Category 1
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.	Repairs or replacement requiring future attention, but estimates are still advised.	No immediate action or repair is needed.

Structural moven	nent
Repair category:	
Notes:	Evidence of movement has affected the building reflected by general distortion to external elevations. Localised internal cracking was also observed. On the basis of a single inspection this appears long standing with no evidence of recent movement apparent.

Dampness, rot and infestation	
Repair category:	2
Notes:	Damp readings were obtained to localised areas within the property. Readings were noted to an upper wall section within the living room as well as the doorway/entrance area to the room off the kitchen. Areas of condensation was also observed within the property in general and a more balanced heating/ventilation arrangement is advised.

Chimney stacks	
Repair category:	2
Notes:	Weathered masonry noted. Steel support strapping appears to have been installed to one of the chimney stacks. Our inspection of chimneys was limited but they are of an age and style where a degree of regular ongoing maintenance should be anticipated.

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Roofing including roof space	
Repair category:	2
Notes:	The roof covering appears to be of original slate with weathered and chipped slates noted. Roof coverings are of an age and style where a degree of regular ongoing maintenance should be anticipated. More extensive overhaul work may be required in the future.
	There are areas of flat roof including over the extension. It should be appreciated that this type of covering can have a limited life span and will require a higher than normal degree of ongoing maintenance and eventual replacement. It may be prudent to confirm the service history of the roof covering.

Rainwater fittings	5
Repair category:	2
Notes:	Rainwater fittings are of an older style and have suffered from corrosion/weathering. Maintenance is required and gutters/downpipes checked during heavy rainfall.
	We would highlight that it was not raining at the time of our inspection and we would recommend that all rainwater fittings be inspected during heavy rainfall in order to ensure they are free from defect.

Main walls	
Repair category:	2
Notes:	Cracked sections of render/stone work noted with weathering observed to areas of masonry. Ongoing maintenance should be expected. General rusting was noted to the steel support columns

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underneath the rear extension area. Maintenance should be expected.	
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Windows, external doors and joinery	
Repair category:	2
Notes:	The windows serving the property are of mixed age and type. Some of the units are of an older style and will require regular ongoing maintenance including attention to frame work and other components.

External decorations	
Repair category:	
Notes:	Worn timbers noted externally to areas.
	Paint finished and decorated external surfaces will require redecoration on a regular basis.

Conservatories / porches	
Repair category:	
Notes:	None.

Communal areas	
Repair category:	2
	Wear and tear/spalling masonry noted to the balcony accessing an

Category 3	Category 2	Category 1
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Notes:	external staircase leading to the property at the rear. General rusting was noted to areas of steel support work underneath with weathered and spalling masonry observed and general repairs may be prudent to the stair/balcony areas.
	Communal areas leading to and surrounding the subject property have been visually inspected where possible, however it should be appreciated that there may be a common repairing liability in respect of other parts of the building out with the scope of our inspection and this should be confirmed.

Garages and permanent outbuildings	
Repair category:	
Notes:	None.

Outside areas and boundaries	
Repair category:	2
Notes:	There is a run down/disused remnants of an outbuilding within the garden grounds to the side elevation. Wear and tear was noted to areas of the stone boundary walls. There is a slight gap between the side boundary wall and the kitchen gable wall with a lean noted to the boundary wall masonry. Ongoing maintenance should be expected. Boundary walls and fences should be regularly checked and
	maintained as necessary.
	There is a train line located nearby and minor noise disturbance should be anticipated from time to time.

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Repair category:	1
Notes:	Plaster cracks/blemishes were noted to areas. Replastering works may be prudent at the time of redecoration.
	Textured coatings were noted to ceiling areas. On rare occasions, these materials can have an asbestos content. We have not tested these materials nor carried out an asbestos survey however, until the material is professionally tested the linings should be left undisturbed.

Internal walls	
Repair category:	
Notes:	Minor plaster cracks/blemishes observed.

Floors including sub-floors	
Repair category:	1
Notes:	Uneven and creaking flooring noted to localised areas.
	Due to fitted carpets and floor coverings no detailed inspection of floors was possible and accordingly no comment can be made on their condition.

Internal joinery and kitchen fittings	
Repair category:	
Notes:	Internal joinery is generally serviceable however some wear and tear items were noted to kitchen fittings/internal doors/facings etc.

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and future maintenance or upgrading should be anticipated.

Chimney breasts and fireplaces	
Repair category:	
Notes:	Fireplaces have been blocked in the past. It is assumed that the chimneys are adequately vented with the chimneys capped. Ventilators should be fitted to prevent the build-up of dampness within the chimney flue.

Internal decorations	
Repair category:	
Notes:	The property was found to be in fair decorative order.

Cellars	
Repair category:	
Notes:	None.

Electricity	
Repair category:	2
Notes:	Aspects of the electricity system are dated and the system should be checked as a precaution by a registered electrician and upgraded if necessary.

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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.	Repairs or replacement requiring future attention, but estimates are still advised.	No immediate action or repair is needed.

The Institution of Engineering Technology recommends that inspections and testings are undertaken at least every five 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 IET regulations.

Gas	
Repair category:	
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:	
Notes:	No tests have been undertaken of the system, however within the limitations of our inspection, no significant defects were noted. No inspection has been possible to enclosed timbers beneath wet appliances and no comment has been made on the condition of unseen areas. Watertight seals will require to be regularly checked and replaced, to prevent water damage to adjoining areas.

Heating and hot water	
Repair category:	
Notes:	It is assumed that the central heating system has been properly installed, updated and maintained to meet with all current

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regulations and standards with particular regard to fluing and ventilation requirements. Service records should be obtained and checked. In the absence of service documentation further advice should be obtained from a qualified heating engineer to ascertain the condition, efficiency, and life expectancy of the system.
We have been unable to gain sight of the central heating boiler to fully comment and it would be prudent to have this checked as a precaution by a Gas Safe registered engineer prior to purchase.

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

Category 3	Category 2	Category 1
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Set out below is a summary of the condition of the property which is provided for reference only. You should refer to the comments above for detailed information

Structural movement	1
Dampness, rot and infestation	2
Chimney stacks	2
Roofing including roof space	2
Rainwater fittings	2
Main walls	2
Windows, external doors and joinery	2
External decorations	1
Conservatories / porches	
Communal areas	2
Garages and permanent outbuildings	
Outside areas and boundaries	2
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

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

<u>Three steps or fewer to a main entrance door of the property:</u> 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.

<u>Unrestricted parking within 25 metres</u>: 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 coinoperated machines.

1. Which floor(s) is the living accommodation on?	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 [x]NO
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?	[x]YES []NO
6. Is there a toilet on the same level as a bedroom?	[x]YES []NO
7. Are all rooms on the same level with no internal steps or stairs?	[x]YES []NO
8. Is there unrestricted parking within 25 metres of an entrance door to the building?	[x]YES []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 re-instatement cost for insurance purposes.

Matters for a solicitor or licensed conveyancer

Where items of maintenance or repair have been identified, the purchaser should satisfy themselves as to the costs and implications of these issues prior to making an offer to purchase.

The subjects form part of a tenement/block of flats and it has been assumed that maintenance/repair costs of the common parts of the building will be shared on an equitable basis with adjoining proprietors. It is therefore assumed that the cost of common repairs detailed within the report will be apportioned accordingly although exact liability should be confirmed.

The property has been altered and extended in the past. The date of works is unknown, however, is likely to be considered historic. Checks should be made for any necessary Local Authority paper work and consents relating to the extension works.

Estimated re-instatement cost (£) for insurance purposes

£250,000

TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY THOUSAND POUNDS STERLING

Valuation (£) and market comments

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ONE HUNDRED AND FIVE THOUSAND POUNDS STERLING

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Signed:	Electronically Signed: 248919-51c9864f-8140
Date of report:	18/01/2024

PART 2.

MORTGAGE VALUATION REPORT

Includes a market valuation of the property.





Mortgage Valuation Report

Property:	Flat 1-2 317 Eldon Street Greenock PA16 7QN	Client: Mr. Jamie McMillan Tenure: Absolute ownership	
Date of Inspection:	17/01/2024	Reference:	ММ

This report has been prepared as part of your instructions to carry out a Single Survey on the property referred to above. The purpose of this report is to summarise the Single Survey for the purpose of advising your lender on the suitability of the property for mortgage purposes. The decision as to whether mortgage finance will be provided is entirely a matter for the lender. You should not rely on this report in making your decision to purchase but consider all the documents provided in the Home Report. Your attention is drawn to the additional comments elsewhere within the report which set out the extent and limitations of the service provided. This report should be read in conjunction with the Single Survey Terms and Conditions (with MVR). In accordance with RICS Valuation – Global Standards 2017 this report is for the use of the party to whom it is addressed or their named client or their nominated lender. No responsibility is accepted to any third party for the whole or any part of this report may be included in any document, circular or statement without prior approval in writing from the surveyor.

1.0

LOCATION

The property is located within an established residential area of Greenock where surrounding properties vary in age and character. There is a mix of residential and commercial premises nearby. The property benefits from views across the Battery Park to the front elevation.

2.0	DESCRIPTIO	N		2.1 Age:	The property constructed ci		
The subjects comprise a purpose built first floor flat contained within a two storey plus attic building which appears to include four flatted dwellings in total and commercial premises at ground floor level.							
3.0	CONSTRUCT	TION					
Main Walls: Tr	aditional solid s	stone construction	on. Extension of	f traditional bric	k construction.		
Main Roof: Pit covering to ex		to be timber fra	imed, overlaid v	vith slates and	surmounted wit	h metal ridges. I	Flat roof
4.0	ACCOMMODATION						
First Floor: En	trance Hallway,	Living Room, E	Bedroom and Ba	athroom.			
Lowered Floor: Kitchen with Dining/Lounge Room off.							
5.0 SERVICES (No tests have been applied to any of the services)							
Water:	Mains	Electricity:	Mains	Gas:	Mains	Drainage:	Mains

Central Heatin	ng:	Gas fired				
6.0	OUTBUILDIN	GS				
Garage:		None.				
Others:		None.				
7.0	of any woodw The report can defects, partic Where defect accurate estin purchase. Ge	GENERAL CONDITION - A building survey has not been carried out, nor has any inspection been made of any woodwork, services or other parts of the property which were covered, unexposed or inaccessible. The report cannot therefore confirm that such parts of the property are free from defect. Failure to rectify defects, particularly involving water penetration may result in further and more serious defects arising. Where defects exist and where remedial work is necessary, prospective purchasers are advised to seek accurate estimates and costings from appropriate Contractors or Specialists before proceeding with the purchase. Generally we will not test or report on boundary walls, fences, outbuildings, radon gas or site contamination.				
it should be ap appears to be contractor is a reputable roofi upgrading wor prove beneficia undertake mod	At the time of inspection, the property was found to be in a condition generally consistent with age and type. Externally, it should be appreciated that ongoing reactive maintenance to the building fabric will be required. The roof covering appears to be original with weathered and chipped slates noted and the ongoing maintenance advice of a roofing contractor is advised. Given the age of the roof covering it may be prudent to have this checked as a precaution by a reputable roofing contractor prior to purchase to ascertain any necessary repairs or future life expectancy. General upgrading works to areas of external masonry including rainwater fittings, steel supports and chimney stacks would prove beneficial. Internally, the property was found to be in fair decorative order. An incoming purchaser would wish to undertake modernisation to areas and this should be anticipated and budgeted for accordingly. General items have been outlined within this report and necessary advice should be obtained from suitably qualified contractors prior to purchase					
8.0	ESSENTIAL I property)		(as a condition	n of any mortgage or, to preser	ve the condition	n of the
None.						
8.1 Retention	recommended	d:	None.			
9.0	ROADS & FO	OTPATHS				
The road and t	footpath adjoini	ng the site are r	made up and ar	e assumed to be adopted by th	ne Local Author	ity.
10.0	BUILDINGS I (£):	NSURANCE	£250,000	GROSS EXTERNAL FLOOR AREA	77	Square metres
	should be insu property in its allowance has	ured against tota existing design been included been made for	al destruction or and materials. I for inflation duri	m for which the property and s n a re-instatement basis assun Furnishings and fittings have n ing the insurance period or dui n on professional fees. Furthei	ning reconstruct not been include ring re-construct	tion of the ed. No tion and no
11.0	GENERAL R	EMARKS				
			een identified, t n offer to purcha	the purchaser should satisfy th ase.	emselves as to	the costs and
The subjects form part of a tenement/block of flats and it has been assumed that maintenance/repair costs of the common parts of the building will be shared on an equitable basis with adjoining proprietors. It is therefore assumed that the cost of common repairs detailed within the report will be apportioned accordingly although exact liability should be confirmed.						
considered his	The property has been altered and extended in the past. The date of works is unknown, however, is likely to be considered historic. Checks should be made for any necessary Local Authority paper work and consents relating to the extension works.					
12.0	adverse planr	ning proposals,	onerous burden	ossession and that the propert is, title restrictions or servitude nay have been required, have i	rights. It is assu	umed that all

	matters to be outwith the scope of this report. All property built prior to the year 2000 may contain asbestos in one or more of its components or fittings. It is impossible to identify without a test. It is beyond the scope of this inspection to test for asbestos and future occupants should be advised that if they have any concerns then they should ask for a specialist to undertake appropriate tests.					
12.1	Market Value in present condition (£):£105,000ONE HUNDRED AND FIVE THOUSAND POUNDS STERLING					OUNDS
12.2	Market Value on completion of essential works (£):					
12.3	Suitable secu normal morto purposes?	•	Yes			
12.4	Date of Valua	ation:	17/01/2024			
Signature:		Electronically	Signed: 248919	9-51c9864f-8140		
Surveyor:	Michael McDa	ade	MRICS Date:			18/01/2024
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ENERGY **Report**

A report on the energy efficiency of the property.



energy report

energy report on:

Property address Flat 1-2 317 Eldon Street Greenock PA16 7QN PA16 7QN

Customer	Mr. Jamie McMillan
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Customer address	Flat 1-2 317 Eldon Street Greenock PA16 7QN
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Energy Performance Certificate (EPC)

Scotland

Dwellings

(92 plus)

(81-91)

(69-80)

(55-68)

(39-54

(21-38)

(1-20)

B

Not environmentally friendly - higher CO₂ emissions

D

F

G

FLAT 1-2, 317 ELDON STREET, GREENOCK, PA16 7QN

Dwelling type:	Mid-floor flat
Date of assessment:	17 January 2024
Date of certificate:	18 January 2024
Total floor area:	68 m ²
Primary Energy Indicator:	307 kWh/m²/year

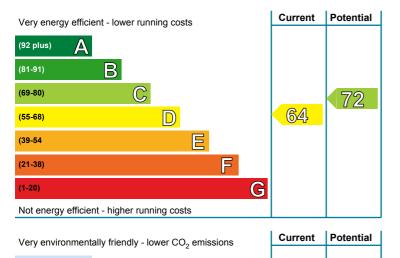
Reference number: Type of assessment: Approved Organisation: Main heating and fuel: 1114-8729-2000-0523-9292 RdSAP, existing dwelling Elmhurst Boiler and radiators, mains gas

You can use this document to:

- Compare current ratings of properties to see which are more energy efficient and environmentally friendly
- Find out how to save energy and money and also reduce CO₂ emissions by improving your home

Estimated energy costs for your home for 3 years*	£4,392	See your recommendations
Over 3 years you could save*	£1,107	report for more information

based upon the cost of energy for heating, hot water, lighting and ventilation, calculated using standard assumptions



Energy Efficiency Rating

This graph shows the current efficiency of your home, taking into account both energy efficiency and fuel costs. The higher this rating, the lower your fuel bills are likely to be.

Your current rating is **band D (64)**. The average rating for EPCs in Scotland is **band D (61)**.

The potential rating shows the effect of undertaking all of the improvement measures listed within your recommendations report.

Environmental Impact (CO₂) Rating

This graph shows the effect of your home on the environment in terms of carbon dioxide (CO_2) emissions. The higher the rating, the less impact it has on the environment.

Your current rating is **band D (59)**. The average rating for EPCs in Scotland is **band D (59)**.

The potential rating shows the effect of undertaking all of the improvement measures listed within your recommendations report.

Top actions you can take to save money and make your home more efficient

71

59

Recommended measures	Indicative cost	Typical savings over 3 years
1 Cavity wall insulation	£500 - £1,500	£165.00
2 Internal or external wall insulation	£4,000 - £14,000	£753.00
3 Floor insulation (suspended floor)	£800 - £1,200	£189.00

A full list of recommended improvement measures for your home, together with more information on potential cost and savings and advice to help you carry out improvements can be found in your recommendations report.

To find out more about the recommended measures and other actions you could take today to stop wasting energy and money, visit greenerscotland.org or contact Home Energy Scotland on 0808 808 2282. THIS PAGE IS THE ENERGY PERFORMANCE CERTIFICATE WHICH MUST BE AFFIXED TO THE DWELLING AND NOT BE REMOVED UNLESS IT IS REPLACED WITH AN UPDATED CERTIFICATE

Flat 1-2, 317 Eldon Street, Greenock, PA16 7QN

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Summary of the energy performance related features of this home

This table sets out the results of the survey which lists the current energy-related features of this home. Each element is assessed by the national calculation methodology; 1 star = very poor (least efficient), 2 stars = poor, 3 stars = average, 4 stars = good and 5 stars = very good (most efficient). The assessment does not take into consideration the condition of an element and how well it is working. 'Assumed' means that the insulation could not be inspected and an assumption has been made in the methodology, based on age and type of construction.

Element	Description	Energy Efficiency	Environmental
Walls	Sandstone or limestone, as built, no insulation (assumed)	★★☆☆☆	★★☆☆☆
	Cavity wall, as built, partial insulation (assumed)	★★★☆☆	★★★☆☆
Roof	(another dwelling above) Flat, limited insulation (assumed)	★★☆☆☆	★★ ☆☆☆
Floor	(other premises below) To unheated space, no insulation (assumed)		
Windows	Fully double glazed	★★★★☆	★★★★☆
Main heating	Boiler and radiators, mains gas	★★★★☆	★★★★☆
Main heating controls	Programmer, room thermostat and TRVs	★★★★☆	★★★★☆
Secondary heating	None	_	_
Hot water	From main system	★★★★☆	★★★★☆
Lighting	Low energy lighting in 80% of fixed outlets	*****	****

The energy efficiency rating of your home

Your Energy Efficiency Rating is calculated using the standard UK methodology, RdSAP. This calculates energy used for heating, hot water, lighting and ventilation and then applies fuel costs to that energy use to give an overall rating for your home. The rating is given on a scale of 1 to 100. Other than the cost of fuel for electrical appliances and for cooking, a building with a rating of 100 would cost almost nothing to run.

As we all use our homes in different ways, the energy rating is calculated using standard occupancy assumptions which may be different from the way you use it. The rating also uses national weather information to allow comparison between buildings in different parts of Scotland. However, to make information more relevant to your home, local weather data is used to calculate your energy use, CO₂ emissions, running costs and the savings possible from making improvements.

The impact of your home on the environment

One of the biggest contributors to global warming is carbon dioxide. The energy we use for heating, lighting and power in our homes produces over a quarter of the UK's carbon dioxide emissions. Different fuels produce different amounts of carbon dioxide for every kilowatt hour (kWh) of energy used. The Environmental Impact Rating of your home is calculated by applying these 'carbon factors' for the fuels you use to your overall energy use.

The calculated emissions for your home are 54 kg $CO_2/m^2/yr$.

The average Scottish household produces about 6 tonnes of carbon dioxide every year. Based on this assessment, heating and lighting this home currently produces approximately 3.7 tonnes of carbon dioxide every year. Adopting recommendations in this report can reduce emissions and protect the environment. If you were to install all of these recommendations this could reduce emissions by 1.1 tonnes per year. You could reduce emissions even more by switching to renewable energy sources.

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Estimated energy	costs for this home		
	Current energy costs	Potential energy costs	Potential future savings
Heating	£3,483 over 3 years	£2,373 over 3 years	
Hot water	£558 over 3 years	£561 over 3 years	You could
Lighting	£351 over 3 years	£351 over 3 years	save £1,107
Tota	ls £4,392	£3,285	over 3 years

These figures show how much the average household would spend in this property for heating, lighting and hot water. This excludes energy use for running appliances such as TVs, computers and cookers, and the benefits of any electricity generated by this home (for example, from photovoltaic panels). The potential savings in energy costs show the effect of undertaking all of the recommended measures listed below.

Recommendations for improvement

The measures below will improve the energy and environmental performance of this dwelling. The performance ratings after improvements listed below are cumulative; that is, they assume the improvements have been installed in the order that they appear in the table. Further information about the recommended measures and other simple actions to take today to save money is available from the Home Energy Scotland hotline which can be contacted on 0808 808 2282. Before carrying out work, make sure that the appropriate permissions are obtained, where necessary. This may include permission from a landlord (if you are a tenant) or the need to get a Building Warrant for certain types of work.

Recommended measures		Indiantivo anot	Typical saving	Rating after improvement	
Re	commended measures	Indicative cost per year		Energy	Environment
1	Cavity wall insulation	£500 - £1,500	£55	D 65	D 61
2	Internal or external wall insulation	£4,000 - £14,000	£251	C 71	C 69
3	Floor insulation (suspended floor)	£800 - £1,200	£63	C 72	C 71

Alternative measures

There are alternative improvement measures which you could also consider for your home. It would be advisable to seek further advice and illustration of the benefits and costs of such measures.

• External insulation with cavity wall insulation

Choosing the right improvement package

For free and impartial advice on choosing suitable measures for your property, contact the Home Energy Scotland hotline on 0808 808 2282 or go to www.greenerscotland.org.



About the recommended measures to improve your home's performance rating

This section offers additional information and advice on the recommended improvement measures for your home

1 Cavity wall insulation

Cavity wall insulation, to fill the gap between the inner and outer layers of external walls with an insulating material, reduces heat loss; this will improve levels of comfort, reduce energy use and lower fuel bills. The insulation material is pumped into the gap through small holes that are drilled into the outer walls, and the holes are made good afterwards. As specialist machinery is used to fill the cavity, a professional installation company should carry out this work, and they should carry out a thorough survey before commencing work to ensure that this type of insulation is suitable for this home and its exposure. They should also provide a guarantee for the work and handle any building standards issues. Further information about cavity wall insulation and details of local installers can be obtained from the National Insulation Association (www.nationalinsulationassociation.org.uk).

2 Internal or external wall insulation

Internal or external wall insulation involves adding a layer of insulation to either the inside or the outside surface of the external walls, which reduces heat loss and lowers fuel bills. As it is more expensive than cavity wall insulation it is only recommended for walls without a cavity, or where for technical reasons a cavity cannot be filled. Internal insulation, known as dry-lining, is where a layer of insulation is fixed to the inside surface of external walls; this type of insulation is best applied when rooms require redecorating. External solid wall insulation is the application of an insulant and a weather-protective finish to the outside of the wall. This may improve the look of the home, particularly where existing brickwork or rendering is poor, and will provide long-lasting weather protection. Further information can be obtained from the National Insulation Association (www.nationalinsulationassociation.org.uk). It should be noted that a building warrant is required for the installation of external wall insulation. Planning permission may also be required and that building regulations apply to external insulation so it is best to check with your local authority on both issues.

3 Floor insulation (suspended floor)

Insulation of a floor will significantly reduce heat loss; this will improve levels of comfort, reduce energy use and lower fuel bills. Suspended floors can often be insulated from below but must have adequate ventilation to prevent dampness; seek advice about this if unsure. Further information about floor insulation is available from many sources including www.energysavingtrust.org.uk/scotland/Insulation/Floor-insulation. Building regulations generally apply to this work so it is best to check with your local authority building standards department.

Low and zero carbon energy sources

Low and zero carbon (LZC) energy sources are sources of energy that release either very little or no carbon dioxide into the atmosphere when they are used. Installing these sources may help reduce energy bills as well as cutting carbon.

LZC energy sources present: There are none provided for this home

Your home's heat demand

In this section, you can see how much energy you might need to heat your home and provide hot water. These are estimates showing how an average household uses energy. These estimates may not reflect your actual energy use, which could be higher or lower. You might spend more money on heating and hot water if your house is less energy efficient. The table below shows the potential benefit of having your loft and walls insulated. Visit https://energysavingtrust.org.uk/energy-at-home for more information.

Heat demand	Existing dwelling	Impact of loft insulation	Impact of cavity wall insulation	Impact of solid wall insulation
Space heating (kWh per year)	11,089	N/A	(608)	(2,778)
Water heating (kWh per year)	1,970			

Addendum

This dwelling has stone walls and so requires further investigation to establish whether these walls are of cavity construction and to determine which type of wall insulation is best suited.

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About this document

This Recommendations Report and the accompanying Energy Performance Certificate are valid for a maximum of ten years. These documents cease to be valid where superseded by a more recent assessment of the same building carried out by a member of an Approved Organisation.

The Energy Performance Certificate and this Recommendations Report for this building were produced following an energy assessment undertaken by an assessor accredited by Elmhurst (www.elmhurstenergy.co.uk), an Approved Organisation Appointed by Scottish Ministers. The certificate has been produced under the Energy Performance of Buildings (Scotland) Regulations 2008 from data lodged to the Scottish EPC register. You can verify the validity of this document by visiting www.scottishepcregister.org.uk and entering the report reference number (RRN) printed at the top of this page.

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Related party disclosure:	No related party

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Use of this energy performance information

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Advice and support to improve this property

There is support available, which could help you carry out some of the improvements recommended for this property on page 3 and stop wasting energy and money. For more information, visit greenerscotland.org or contact Home Energy Scotland on 0808 808 2282.

Home Energy Scotland's independent and expert advisors can offer free and impartial advice on all aspects of energy efficiency, renewable energy and more.





PART 4.

PROPERTY QUESTIONNAIRE

The owner of the property is required to complete this document which asks for information on the property such as 'Which council tax band?' etc.



Property Questionnaire

Property Address

Flat 1-2 317 Eldon Street Greenock PA16 7QN

Seller(s)

Jamie McMillan

Completion date of property questionnaire

22/01/2024

Note for sellers

1.	Length of ownership		
	How long have you owned the property? 4		
2.	Council tax		
	Which Council Tax band is you []A [x]B []C []D []E []F []G []H		
3.	Parking		
	What are the arrangements for parking at your property? (Please tick all that apply)		
	Garage	[]	
	Allocated parking space	[]	
	Driveway	[]	
	Shared parking	[]	
	On street	[X]	
	Resident permit	[]	
	Metered parking	[]	
	Other (please specify):		

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4.	Conservation area	
	Is your property in a designated Conservation Area (that is an area of special architectural or historical interest, the character or appearance of which it is desirable to preserve or enhance)?	[]YES [x]NO []Don't know
5.	Listed buildings	
	Is your property a Listed Building, or contained within one (that is a building recognised and approved as being of special architectural or historical interest)?	[]YES [x]NO
6.	Alterations/additions/extensions	
а	(i) During your time in the property, have you carried out any structural alterations, additions or extensions (for example, provision of an extra bath/shower room, toilet, or bedroom)?	[]YES [x]NO
	If you have answered yes, please describe below the changes which you have made:	
	(ii) Did you obtain planning permission, building warrant, completion certificate and other consents for this work?	[]YES []NO
	If you have answered yes, the relevant documents will be needed by the purchaser and you should give them to your solicitor as soon as possible for checking.	
	If you do not have the documents yourself, please note below who has these documents and your solicitor or estate agent will arrange to obtain them:	
b	Have you had replacement windows, doors, patio doors or double glazing installed in your property	[]YES [x]NO
	If you have answered yes, please answer the three questions below:	
	(i) Were the replacements the same shape and type as the ones you replaced?	[]YES []NO
	(ii) Did this work involve any changes to the window or door openings?	[]YES []NO
	(iii) Please describe the changes made to the windows doors, or patio doors (with approximate dates when the work was completed):	
	Please give any guarantees which you received for this work to your solicitor or estate agent.	

7.	Central heating	
а	Is there a central heating system in your property? (Note: a partial central heating system is one which does not heat all the main rooms of the property - the main living room, the bedroom(s), the hall and the bathroom).	[x]YES []NO []Partial
	If you have answered yes or partial - what kind of central heating is there? (Examples: gas-fired, solid fuel, electric storage heating, gas warm air).	
	If you have answered yes, please answer the three questions below:	
	 (i) When was your central heating system or partial central heating system installed? Not sure 	
	(ii) Do you have a maintenance contract for the central heating system?	[]YES [x]NO
	If you have answered yes, please give details of the company with which you have a maintenance contract	
	(iii) When was your maintenance agreement last renewed? (Please provide the month and year).	
8.	Energy Performance Certificate	
	Does your property have an Energy Performance Certificate which is less than 10 years old?	[x]YES []NO
9.	Issues that may have affected your property	
а	Has there been any storm, flood, fire or other structural damage to your property while you have owned it?	[]YES [x]NO
	If you have answered yes, is the damage the subject of any outstanding insurance claim?	[]YES []NO
b	Are you aware of the existence of asbestos in your property?	[]YES [x]NO []Don't know
	If you have answered yes, please give details:	
10.	Services	
а	Please tick which services are connected to your property and gis supplier:	ive details of the

	Services	Connected	Supplier
	Gas or liquid petroleum gas	Y	
	Water mains or private water supply	Y	
	Electricity	Y	
	Mains drainage	Y	
	Telephone	Ν	
	Cable TV or satellite	Ν	
	Broadband	Y	
b	Is there a septic tank system at your property?		[]YES [x]NO
	If you have answered yes, please answer the two below:	o questions	
	(i) Do you have appropriate consents for the disc your septic tank?	[]YES []NO []Don't know	
	(ii) Do you have a maintenance contract for your	[]YES []NO	
	If you have answered yes, please give details of with which you have a maintenance contract:		
11.	. Responsibilities for shared or common areas		
а	Are you aware of any responsibility to contribute anything used jointly, such as the repair of a shar private road, boundary, or garden area? If you have answered yes, please give details:	[]YES [x]NO []Don't know	
b	Is there a responsibility to contribute to repair and of the roof, common stairwell or other common a If you have answered yes, please give details:	[]YES [x]NO []N/A	
с	Has there been any major repair or replacement the roof during the time you have owned the prop	[]YES [x]NO	
d	Do you have the right to walk over any of your neighbours' property- for example to put out your rubbish bin or to maintain your boundaries? If you have answered yes, please give details:		[x]YES []NO
	Communal Garden area		
е	As far as you are aware, do any of your neighbour right to walk over your property, for example to p	[]YES [x]NO	

	rubbish bin or to maintain their boundaries? If you have answered yes, please give details:		
f	As far as you are aware, is there a public right of way across any part of your property? (public right of way is a way over which the public has a right to pass, whether or not the land is privatelyowned.) If you have answered yes, please give details:	[]YES [x]NO	
12.	Charges associated with your property		
a	Is there a factor or property manager for your property? If you have answered yes, please provide the name and address, and give details of any deposit held and approximate charges:	[]YES [x]NO	
b	Is there a common buildings insurance policy?	[]YES []NO [x]Don't know	
	If you have answered yes, is the cost of the insurance included in your monthly/annual factors charges?	[]YES []NO []Don't know	
С	Please give details of any other charges you have to pay on a regular basis for the upkeep of common areas or repair works, for example to a residents' association, or maintenance or stair fund.		
13.	Specialist works		
13. a	Specialist works As far as you are aware, has treatment of dry rot, wet rot, damp or any other specialist work ever been carried out to your property?	[]YES [x]NO	
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	As far as you are aware, has treatment of dry rot, wet rot, damp or any other specialist work ever been carried out to your property? If you have answered yes, please say what the repairs were for, whether you carried out the repairs (and when) or if they	[]YES [x]NO []YES [x]NO	
a	As far as you are aware, has treatment of dry rot, wet rot, damp or any other specialist work ever been carried out to your property? If you have answered yes, please say what the repairs were for, whether you carried out the repairs (and when) or if they were done before you bought the property. As far as you are aware, has any preventative work for dry rot,		
a	As far as you are aware, has treatment of dry rot, wet rot, damp or any other specialist work ever been carried out to your property? If you have answered yes, please say what the repairs were for, whether you carried out the repairs (and when) or if they were done before you bought the property. As far as you are aware, has any preventative work for dry rot, wet rot, or damp ever been carried out to your property?		

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14.	Guarantees		
а	Are there any guarantees or warranties for any of the following:		
(i)	Electrical work	[x]NO []YES []Don't know []With title deeds []Lost	
(ii)	Roofing	[x]NO []YES []Don't know []With title deeds []Lost	
(iii)	Central heating	[x]NO []YES []Don't know []With title deeds []Lost	
(iv)	National House Building Council(NHBC)	[x]NO []YES []Don't know []With title deeds []Lost	
(v)	Damp course	[x]NO []YES []Don't know []With title deeds []Lost	
(vi)	Any other work or installations? (for example, cavity wall insulation, underpinning, indemnity policy)	[x]NO []YES []Don't know []With title deeds []Lost	
b	If you have answered 'yes' or 'with title deeds', please give details of the work or installations to which the guarantee(s) relate(s):		
с	Are there any outstanding claims under any of the guarantees listed above?	[]YES [x]NO	
	If you have answered yes, please give details:		

15.	Boundaries	
	So far as you are aware, has any boundary of your property been moved in the last 10 years?	[]YES []NO [x]Don't know
	If you have answered yes, please give details:	
16.	Notices that affect your property	
In the past three years have you ever received a notice:		
а	advising that the owner of a neighbouring property has made a planning application?	[]YES [x]NO
b	that affects your property in some other way?	[]YES [x]NO

с	that requires you to do any maintenance, repairs or improvements to your property?	[]YES [x]NO
	If you have answered yes to any of a-c above, please give the notices to your solicitor or estate agent, including any notices which arrive at any time before the date of entry of the purchaser of your property.	

Declaration by the seller(s)/or other authorised body or person(s) I/We confirm that the information in this form is true and correct to the best of my/our knowledge and belief.

Signature(s):	Jamie McMillan
Capacity:	[x]Owner []Legally Appointed Agent for Owner
Date:	22/01/2024