

# Proxy bidding form



Date of Auction ..... Lot Number .....

**I hereby instruct and authorise you to bid on my behalf in accordance with the terms and conditions attached hereto and I understand that should my bid be successful the offer will be binding upon me.**

Address of Lot .....

Maximum bid price ..... Words .....

Cheque\* bankers draft\* bank transfer\* debit card for 10% deposit (£3,000 minimum) £ ..... enclosed herewith (made payable to Countrywide). **Please see Note 3 regarding cleared funds overleaf.** (In all cases we will require proof of funds). If the deposit has been transferred by bank transfer please provide the sort code and account number from where the money has been sent:

Sort Code ..... Account Number .....

**Buyer's Administration Charge** – Should my bid be successful I agree to pay a Buyer's Administration Charge of £950+VAT (£1,140 including VAT @ 20%) (unless stated otherwise within the property description in the catalogue) upon exchange of contracts to Blundells, the auctioneers

## Purchaser Details

Full name(s) .....

Company .....

Address .....

..... Postcode .....

Business telephone..... Home telephone .....

Solicitors .....

..... Postcode .....

For the attention of .....

Telephone .....

Person acting .....

**I ..... attach deposit for 10% (£3,000 minimum) of my maximum bid .....**

I have read the Common Auction Conditions, Extra Conditions and Special Conditions of Sale. I accept that it is my responsibility to check for any amendments or addendum notes which may be read out by the auctioneer on the auction day. I authorise the auctioneer to sign the Memorandum of Sale on my behalf and I recognise that I will then be the fully bound purchaser of the property referred to above and must complete this transaction within the time specified in the Conditions of Sale.

Signed by prospective purchaser .....

Date .....

or person signing on purchaser's behalf. The signatory warrants that authority has been given by the bidder.

Name and address of signatory if different from purchaser's details given above:

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Date of signing .....

Please note we must hold 2 forms of certified ID prior to auction: 1 x Photo ID (Driving Licence or Passport) & Proof of Address (Utility Bill or Bank Statement) Your information is being collected and processed by Countrywide. All information will be processed in accordance with the General Data Protection Regulation. Full details of how we process your information can be found on our website [www.countrywide.co.uk/notices/PrivacyNotice.pdf](http://www.countrywide.co.uk/notices/PrivacyNotice.pdf). Print copies of our privacy notice are available on request. If you need to discuss how your information is being processed, please contact us a [privacy@countrywide.co.uk](mailto:privacy@countrywide.co.uk).

## FOR BLUNDELLS OFFICE USE ONLY: Identification documentation seen (one from each list)

### List A – Photographic evidence of Identity

Tick	Item	Ref No
	Valid Passport with MRZ (Machine Readable Zone – two alphanumeric lines on photo page as verifiable.)	
	Valid full UK photo driving licence.	
	Valid EU/EEA/Switzerland photo driving licence.	
	Valid EU/EEA/Switzerland national Identity Card.	
	Valid UK Armed Forces ID Card.	
	Valid UK Biometric Residence Permit (When copying include both sides.)	
	Valid Blue Badge scheme (disabled pass with photo)	
	Valid Freedom Pass	
	Valid Local Authority Bus pass	
	Valid full UK Driving licence (Non photo, paper) issued before 1998	
	Department for Works & Pensions letter confirming pension details including National insurance Number dated within the last 12 months	

### List B – Evidence of Residence

Tick	Item	Ref No
	Valid full UK photo driving licence.	
	Valid full UK Driving licence (Non photo) issued before 1998	
	Local authority council tax bill (dated within the last 12 months).	
	UK Bank / Building societies statements/bills showing activity, dated within the last 6 mths. Including account number and sort code as verifiable.) (Accept internet printed.)	
	UK mortgage statement (dated within the last 12 months) (Accept internet printed.)	
	Utility bills dated within the last 6 months including - Electricity bill (with MPAN number - as verifiable.) Landline, Gas, Satellite TV, Water. (Accept internet printed.) (Not mobile phone bills.)	
	Her Majesty's Revenue and Customs (HMRC) Inland Revenue (IR) Coding / assessment / statement (dated within the last 12 months) with National Insurance number - as verifiable.	
	Department for Works & Pensions letter confirming pension details and NI Number - as verifiable. (Dated within the last 12 months).	

Signed on behalf of Blundells ..... Date .....

# Terms & conditions for telephone/proxy bidders

The following terms and conditions apply to all intended buyers who wish bids to be made by proxy or by telephone

- For those who are unable to attend the auction the proxy bidding form should be used in order to submit a maximum bid to the Auctioneer. This bid will not be called upon prior to the time of offering the particular lot for which the bid has been made.

A prospective buyer should fill in the appropriate telephone bidding form or proxy bidding form in the catalogue and should ensure that all sections are completed. Failure to complete any part of the appropriate form may render the instructions ineffective.
- Maximum bids must be for an exact figure and any reference to a bid to be calculated by reference to other bids will not be acceptable. In the event of there being any confusion as to the maximum bid, the auctioneer reserves the right to refuse a bid on behalf of the prospective buyer.
- All proxy and telephone bidding completed forms must be delivered to the auctioneer not less than 48 hours prior to the start of the auction at which the property, the subject of the bid, is to be sold. Funds to the sum of 10% of the maximum bid or £3,000 whichever is the greater, must be cleared and held with the auctioneer 48 hours prior to the auction to validate the proxy or telephone bidding form. Proof of funds for a 10% deposit must also be provided. We will not bid on your behalf or accept your telephone bid unless we hold cleared funds.

Funds can be paid by cheque made payable to Sutton Kersh (you should allow 4 working days for them to clear) bankers draft, bank transfer or debit card. Please note we do not accept cash.

Buyer's Administration Charge – The successful buyer will be required to pay the Auctioneers a Buyer's Administration Charge of £950+VAT (£1,140 including VAT @ 20%) (unless stated otherwise within the property description in the catalogue) upon exchange of contracts for each property purchased (cheques made payable to Sutton Kersh).

A separate proxy or telephone bidding form, deposit and buyer's administration charge should be
- supplied for each property upon which a bid is to be placed.
- Any alteration to the proxy or telephone bid or withdrawal must be in writing and be received in writing and be received by the auctioneer prior to commencement of the auction.
- The auctioneer, in accepting proxy bids, acts as agent for the prospective buyer and the prospective buyer shall be considered to have authorised the auctioneer on the basis of the terms and conditions set out in this auction catalogue, all relevant conditions of sale and any amendments to the auction catalogue. In the event of the prospective buyer's bid being successful, the auctioneer is authorised by the prospective buyer to sign any memorandum or contract relating to the property concerned.
- The auctioneer accepts no liability for any bid not being made on behalf of the prospective buyer and reserves the right to bid himself or through an agent up to the reserve price for the particular property concerned.
- In the event that another bidder makes a bid equal to the maximum bid the prospective buyer is prepared to make, the auctioneer reserves the right to accept the bid of any bidder attending the auction in person or through an agent.
- The auctioneer accepts no responsibility for failure of telecommunications in respect of a telephone bid, or any delays in the postal system if a proxy bidding form is sent through the post.
- If the prospective buyer wishes to attend the auction and bid in person, he or she shall notify the auctioneer who will then no longer bid. Such notification must be in writing and received by the auctioneer prior to commencement of the auction.
- Prospective bidders should check with the auctioneer's office immediately prior to the auction to ensure there are no changes to the published terms and conditions.
- In the case of unsuccessful bidders deposits, received by us into our clients' account, we will use best endeavours to return these to the originating bank account within 48 hours of the conclusion of the Sale. As part of this process our accounts team will contact you to ensure the funds are returned securely.
- Should the property be knocked down to the proxy bidder by the Auctioneer at a figure which is less than the maximum bid price on the form, the whole of the deposit supplied with the form will still be cashed and will count towards the purchase price sold.
- Proxy bidders are deemed to be making their bid with full knowledge of and in accordance with the Common Auction Conditions, Extra Conditions and Special Conditions of Sale, Addendum and the Important Notice for Prospective Buyers in the catalogue.
- Proxy bidders are also deemed to have knowledge of any Addendum sheet which may be issued prior to or at the auction sale. Proxy bidders are advised to telephone the Auctioneer's offices before 10am on the day of the sale in order to find out whether any addenda apply to the property for which they have authorised the Auctioneer to bid on their behalf.
- The proxy bidder authorises the Auctioneer or any duly authorised partner or employee of Sutton Kersh as the prospective purchaser's agent to sign the Memorandum of Sale or Sale Contract incorporating any addendum at or after the auction.
- Please note we must hold 2 forms of certified ID prior to auction: 1 x Photo ID (Driving Licence or Passport) & Proof of Address (Utility Bill or Bank Statement). If you are the successful purchaser we will carry out an additional electronic verification check on your identity which will leave a "soft footprint" on your credit history but does not affect your credit score. This will be undertaken by The Lexis Nexis company (Lexis House, 30 Farringdon Street, London, EC4A 4HH).
- Proxy or telephone bidding forms should be sent to The Auction Administration Team, Blundells, 2 Cotton Street, Liverpool L3 7DY. Tel: 0114 254 1185

# Auctioneer's pre-sale announcements

This catalogue contains details about properties being sold at auction. Those details are subject to change up to and including the day of the auction. Please check our website regularly at [www.blundellspropertyauctions.co.uk](http://www.blundellspropertyauctions.co.uk) and look out for any additional materials available on the day of the auction, in order to stay fully informed with the up to date information.



- 1 The auctioneer will offer all lots in the order as shown in the catalogue.
- 2 An addendum to the catalogue and Conditions of Sale is currently available for distribution in the auction room.
- 3 This addendum is an important document providing updates and corrections to the auction catalogue.
- 4 Blundells will always endeavour to inform prospective purchasers of changes that may have taken place after the catalogue was printed when such changes are brought to their attention.
- 5 Would prospective purchasers please ensure they have a copy of the auction catalogue and an addendum prior to bidding.
- 6 Prospective purchasers are deemed to have read the addendum whether they have done so or not.
- 7 You are bidding on the basis that you have checked the General Conditions of Sale, which are detailed at the back of the catalogue, and the Special Conditions of Sale relating to each individual lot.
- 8 The Special Conditions of Sale together with the title documentation have been available for inspection at the auctioneer's office in the immediate period leading up to auction date.
- 9 You are bidding on the basis that you have made all necessary enquiries, particularly in respect of lots the auctioneer has not inspected or had initial sight of tenancy details, and have checked the General and Special Conditions of Sale and are satisfied that you fully understand their content. Please note that some legal packs may contain additional fees (such as the requirement for the seller to pay the vendor's legal fees).
- 10 If you have a question in respect of any of the lots within the catalogue would you please ask one of the Blundells representatives who will attempt to answer your question during the auction. The auctioneer will not answer any questions whilst the auction is proceeding.
- 11 Guide Prices shown in the catalogue are merely an approximation and the auctioneer's opinion only. They should not be regarded as anything more. (see definition of Guide Prices below)
- 12 The auctioneer will not describe each individual property in detail or elaborate on its features or finer points. He will merely state the address, lot number and a very brief description.
- 13 Please remember it is the bidder's duty to attract the auctioneer's attention.
- 14 Please bid clearly and do not delay.
- 15 At the fall of the hammer the successful bidder will be in a binding contract of sale. At this point, an auction runner will come to your place of bidding, take your name and address and details of your solicitor and will lead you to one of the contract tables in the auction room. Identification details (details of which are available from Blundells staff) will be required from you. Please make sure that you have the required documentation readily available. If in doubt, please contact a member of the auction team prior to bidding. You will then be invited to sign the Memorandum or Contract of Sale and provide a 10% deposit cheque subject to a minimum of £3,000 whichever is the greater. Please note we will not accept cash deposits under any circumstances.
- 16 We only accept deposit cheques on the basis that there are adequate funds in the account on which the cheque is drawn. We reserve the right to take any action as appropriate against a purchaser whose cheque is not honored on first presentation.
- 17 A successful purchaser will also be required to pay a Buyer's Administration charge of £950+VAT (£1,140 including VAT @ 20%) (unless stated otherwise within the property description in the catalogue) by cheque made payable to Blundells.
- 18 Completion of the sale and payment of the balance of the purchase money is 28 days after the auction unless the conditions of sale provide otherwise.
- 19 Unless otherwise stated all property is sold subject to a reserve price whether declared or not. (see definition of Reserve Prices below)
- 20 Please note that purchasers will not be entitled to keys or access to properties until completion of the sale. If access is required it may be arranged through the auctioneers with the express permission of the vendor.
- 21 Blundells hold regular property auctions throughout the year.
- 22 Blundells operate a substantial dedicated mailing list free of charge to applicants. If you wish to be placed on the mailing list, please give your details to one of our representatives.

## \*Guide Prices, Reserve Prices and Buyer's Fees

**Guide Price** An indication of the seller's current minimum acceptable price at auction. The guide price or range of guide prices is given to assist consumers in deciding whether or not to pursue a purchase. It is usual, but not always the case, that a provisional reserve range is agreed between the seller and the auctioneer at the start of marketing. As the reserve is not fixed at this stage and can be adjusted by the seller at any time up to the day of the auction in the light of interest shown during the marketing period, a guide price is issued. This

guide price can be shown in the form of a minimum and maximum price range within which an acceptable sale price (reserve) would fall, or as a single price figure within 10% of which the minimum acceptable price (reserve) would fall. A guide price is different to a reserve price (see separate definition). Both the guide price and the reserve price can be subject to change up to and including the day of the auction.

**Reserve Price** The seller's minimum acceptable price at auction and the figure below which the auctioneer cannot sell.

The reserve price is not disclosed and remains confidential between the seller and the auctioneer. Both the guide price and the reserve price can be subject to change up to and including the day of the auction.

**Buyer's Fees** There is a £950+VAT (£1,140 including VAT @ 20%) buyer's administration charge on each lot purchased (unless stated otherwise in the property description). We strongly recommend all purchasers check the special conditions of sale as other fees may also apply to individual properties.

# Money Laundering Regulations

**Due to the new changes to Money Laundering regulations for buying and selling at auction, as of the 26 June we are now required by Law to ID check everyone who buys at auction**

## **What the new regulations mean for you as a buyer at the auction:**

1. In the case of an **individual** purchasing at auction, we will require a certified copy of a passport and utility bill.
2. In the case of an **individual acting on behalf of a third party individual**, we will require a certified copy of a passport and recent utility bill from **both parties**.
3. In the case of an **individual acting on behalf of a company** we will require details about the company including ownership information on the ultimate holding company and ultimate beneficial owners of the company, including current addresses and dates of birth.
4. If you are **unable to attend in person** or will be sending us a remote bidding form, we will require certified ID that has been identified by a professionally recognised individual. This will need to be provided to us in advance of the auction date.
5. Your ID will be kept on file for 3 years and will we will only require updated documents if you change address .
6. Registration on the day of the auction opens from 10:30am so please ensure you arrive early to ensure we have been able to satisfactory fulfil the necessary requirements. **In all cases we will require proof of funds.**

**Upon a successful purchase you must provide 2 forms of ID, one photographic and one proof of residence that is dated within the last 3 months (a list of acceptable ID documents can be seen below):**

### List A – Photographic evidence of Identity

Tick	Item	Ref No
	Valid Passport with MRZ (Machine Readable Zone – two alphanumeric lines on photo page as verifiable.)	
	Valid full UK photo driving licence.	
	Valid EU/EEA/Switzerland photo driving licence.	
	Valid EU/EEA/Switzerland national Identity Card.	
	Valid UK Armed Forces ID Card.	
	Valid UK Biometric Residence Permit (When copying include both sides.)	
	Valid Blue Badge scheme (disabled pass with photo)	
	Valid Freedom Pass	
	Valid Local Authority Bus pass	
	Valid full UK Driving licence (Non photo, paper) issued before 1998	
	Department for Works & Pensions letter confirming pension details including National insurance Number dated within the last 12 months	

### List B – Evidence of Residence

Tick	Item	Ref No
	Valid full UK photo driving licence.	
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	Local authority council tax bill (dated within the last 12 months).	
	UK Bank / Building societies statements/bills showing activity, dated within the last 6 mths. Including account number and sort code as verifiable.) (Accept internet printed.)	
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### **ID can be approved as follows:**

- Come to any of our offices with originals and we will certify them free of charge
- Solicitors, the bank, an accountant or other professional body can certify the relevant ID
- The Post Office can verify up to 3 x forms of ID for a charge of £10.50

**All certified ID can be sent to us at [auctions@countrywide.co.uk](mailto:auctions@countrywide.co.uk)**

**The purpose of Blundells obtaining this information is in order for us to carry out customer due diligence in compliance with the regulations. There are no exceptions and Blundells takes its obligations very seriously.**

**IF YOU HAVE ANY QUERIES PLEASE CONTACT US ON 0114 254 1185.**

**Thank you for your understanding and helping us comply with these regulations.**

# Bidder's registration and identification form



Please complete the following details in full and IN BLOCK CAPITALS and provide two forms of identification prior to bidding as detailed in Lists A & B below.

If bidding on behalf of a company, and if successful, you will also be required to present a copy of the Certificate of Incorporation and a letter of authority on company letterheaded paper and signed by a company director prior to signing the contract.

Bidder:

First name(s) ..... Surname .....

Address .....

Postcode ..... Tel no .....

Mobile no ..... Email .....

SECURITY QUESTIONS Date of birth ..... / ..... / ..... Mother's maiden name .....

Bidder's solicitor:

Firm ..... Contact name .....

Address .....

..... Postcode ..... Tel no .....

Bidder's signature ..... Date .....

Data Protection: The information that you provide on this form and the identification documentation details requested are required under the Money Laundering Regulations 2007 for identification and security purposes, and will be retained by Blundells for a minimum of 5 years from the above date. The details may also be supplied to other parties if Blundells are legally required to do so. Your information is being collected and processed by Countrywide. All information will be processed in accordance with the General Data Protection Regulation. Full details of how we process your information can be found on our website [www.countrywide.co.uk/notices/PrivacyNotice.pdf](http://www.countrywide.co.uk/notices/PrivacyNotice.pdf). Print copies of our privacy notice are available on request. If you need to discuss how your information is being processed, please contact us at [privacy@countrywide.co.uk](mailto:privacy@countrywide.co.uk).

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