

# **Industrial Unit to let**

Dacorum Borough Council Central Store Bellgate, Hemel Hempstead, Herts, HP2 5SB







### Offers are invited for a lease of the above commercial storage unit

#### Location

The premises is situated to the rear of the Bellgate neighbourhood shopping parade and has an approximate gross internal floor area of 56 sq.m (602 sq.ft) with lights and a double electrical socket.

#### Tenancy

The unit will be let under the main heads of terms as set out in Appendix A. It is expected that offers of rent will be in the region of £4,000 per annum exclusive. This figure is given as a guide only and, if necessary, you should consult your own valuer.

#### Rates

The rates payable (2023/2024) are £2,694.60 per annum based on small business multiplier of 49.9p. Small business rate relief may be available. This figure does not take into account any relief deductions which may specifically apply to the tenant (i.e. small business). The tenant is advised to make their own enquiries to verify the business rates payable. For more information on business rates please see <a href="https://www.voa.gov.uk">www.voa.gov.uk</a>.

#### Use

For commercial storage in connection with the trade or business of the tenant. Not to be used for the purpose of carrying on any trade or business.

#### **Application Form**

The Council's Form of Application is attached and it is required to be completed in full.

#### **Interview and References**

Applicants may be called upon to attend an interview and the selected applicant required to provide satisfactory references. In the case of a person new to business, a guarantor and/or rent deposit will also be required.

#### **Further Information**

For further information or to arrange a viewing please email <a href="mailto:claire.rowbotham@dacorum.gov.uk">claire.rowbotham@dacorum.gov.uk</a>

#### Misrepresentation

These particulars are provided as a general guide to the property offered, subject to contract and Council approval. The details do not constitute the offer of a contract or any part of a contract. The Council does not employ, make or give any representation, guarantee or warranty whatsoever relating to the terms. Any intending lessee must, by inspection or otherwise, satisfy him/herself as to the correctness of any of the statements contained in these particulars. The Council does not undertake to accept the highest or any offer.

### Seek legal advice

Dacorum Borough Council strongly recommends that if you are considering leasing a property that you seek legal advice from the outset. Entering into a lease commits you to a legally binding contract with the landlord. You will be legally and financially obligated under the terms of the lease and it is vital that you fully understand those obligations prior to signing a lease.

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### Main heads of terms for the lease

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#### Term

5 years from a date to be agreed.

#### Rent

£ (as per the successful applicant) per annum exclusive payable quarterly in advance.

#### **Rent Review**

None

#### **Rent Free Period**

None

#### Insurance

Tenant to pay the Council's annual premium for effecting insurance cover of the premises.

#### Repairs

Tenant to be responsible for all internal repairs and maintenance to the premises.

#### Alienation

Tenant is not to assign, sublet or part with possession of the whole or any part of the premises.

#### **Alterations**

External & structural alterations are strictly prohibited. Any other alterations (including non-structural alterations) are subject to Landlord's consent not to be unreasonably withheld.

#### **Break Clause**

None

#### **Rent Deposit/Guarantor**

Either or both may be required depending on the proposed tenants credit rating and business experience

#### **Outgoings**

Tenant to pay all rates, taxes and any other outgoings.

#### Use

To be agreed with the Landlord.

#### VAT

VAT will be added to all rents, service charges etc.

#### **Service Charges**

None

### LTA 1954

The lease to be outside of the provisions of security of tenure under Sections 24 to 28 of the Landlord and Tenant Act 1954.

### **Legal Costs**

Tenant to pay the Council's legal fees in the preparation and execution of the lease of £370 plus VAT to be paid in advance.

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## **Application form**

### **Central Store Bellgate, Hemel Hempstead**

All offers must be in writing using this Application Form only and remain **subject to contract**. Completed application forms should be sent electronically, together with a covering e-mail to <a href="mailto:claire.rowbotham@dacorum.gov.uk">claire.rowbotham@dacorum.gov.uk</a>

All application forms must be received by 12 noon Friday 5 January 2024.

| Details required                 | Answers              |
|----------------------------------|----------------------|
| Name of applicant(s) and postal  |                      |
| address                          |                      |
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| Name of individual or Company    |                      |
| to be named on the lease. (If    |                      |
| Company Please also provide      |                      |
| Company Registration number).    |                      |
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| Email address and phone number   |                      |
| of applicant                     |                      |
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| Brief description of company/    |                      |
| nature of business               |                      |
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| Are you a first time business?   |                      |
| Are you a mot time business:     |                      |
| Previous business experience     |                      |
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| Proposed use of unit             |                      |
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| Other terms required for         |                      |
| consideration (break clause/rent |                      |
| free period)                     |                      |
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| Proposed Rental                  | £per annum exclusive |
| In figures :                     | ·                    |
| In words :                       |                      |

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