

Commercial Property New Lease Checklist



IPM PERSONAL PENSION SCHEME

If you have a vulnerability or need specific support during the life of your SIPP, please let us know. You do not need to tell us what it is, just how we can help to make things easier.

Please ensure that all questions on this questionnaire are answered in full. We will then send a copy of the questionnaire to our solicitors to enable them to prepare a draft lease. Once prepared, this draft will be sent both to IPM and to the tenant's solicitor for approval. Once approved, the draft will then be sent to any prospective mortgagee/head landlord for approval. This process can take two or more weeks to complete.

Additionally, If the tenant's automatic rights of renewal are to be excluded, by obtaining an Order of the Court under the Landlord and Tenant Act (1954), our solicitors will issue the necessary Court application to the tenant's solicitor for signature/swearing before filing the papers with the Court.

Please note that in all cases:

- 1. Where the lease is to be granted to a connected party, you must provide us with a professional open market rental valuation supporting the proposed rental figure; A connected party constitutes any close family member, business partner or fellow company director. If you are unsure whether your relationship with the tenant constitutes a "connection", please call this office to clarify.
- 2. The lease will limit the liability of IPM as Landlord to the value of the assets of the arrangements for you in the IPM Personal Pension Scheme;
- 3. The lease will prohibit any residential use;
- 4. If you or your company/business are the proposed tenant :
- (i) you must satisfy yourself that the proposed use of the property is authorised by the local planning department; and
- (ii) you must seek independent legal advice regarding the proposed lease terms or any of the circumstances surrounding it, if you have any doubts or concerns as to your position. Our solicitors will be unable to offer you any such advice.
- 5. An EPC (Energy Performance Certificate) must be presented to the tenant prior to completion of the lease

Please note that in respect of any lease to be granted to you or your company/business, it will be your responsibility to pay any Stamp Duty Land Tax (SDLT) which may be due and to register the lease at the Land Registry. As a rule, all leases with a term of more than seven years must be registered. There are strict time limits for the payment of SDLT and penalties and fines will be imposed by HMRC if these are not observed. Equally, it is important that the lease is registered at the Land Registry promptly following completion. Once completion has taken place, we will send you the Lease duly executed by IPM Personal Pension Trustees Limited, so that you may attend to these formalities.

We would therefore recommend, that you instruct your own solicitors, in order that they may advise you as to the amount of SDLT payable and also confirm their requirements and fees for dealing with these matters on your behalf.

INFORMATION	
Members Names	Membership Numbers
Address of Property	
	Postcode

Tenant's details				
Tenant Name				
Email Address				
Type of business				
What will be stored at the property				
Is the tenant a connected party?	Yes No			
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3 TENANTS' VERIFICATION Please only complete this section if the tenant is a sole trader or partnership. Tenant's address i.e. home address if individuals, or registered office address if a company Name Address Postcode Registered number (if a company) Registered Number If tenant is a sole trader, please provide the additional following information Date of Birth Mobile Number If the tenant is a limited company, please provide the following information Registered Company Number If the tenant is a partnership, please provide the following information: Partnership Name The following information is required for anyone who owns 25% or more of the company / partnership Name Address Postcode Date of Birth Mobile Number Name Address Postcode Date of Birth Mobile Number Name Address Postcode Date of Birth Mobile Number Name Address Postcode Date of Birth Mobile Number

Solicitor's Details			
Are you happy for an IPM panel solicitor to act for IPM as the landlord?	Yes	No	
f not, then please provide details of your preferred solicitors below. Plea panel solicitors to approve all documentation prior to signature. This will		•	olicitor is to act for IPM, then we will require one of ou
Name			
Address			
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Reference			

lf e	existing lease is being renewed, should the terms of the new lease mirror those of the old lease?
٩re	e the whole of the premises to be let? Yes No
lf r	ot, provide both an accurate description of the part to be let and a plan
Tei	rm of the lease <i>ie. number of years</i>
Со	mmencement date
Δn	nual rent as detailed by the valuation
Fre	equency of rental payment, i.e. monthly or quarterly in advance
Fre	equency of rent review
ls t	here to be a break clause? Yes No If so, when can it be actioned?
Wŀ	oo can action the break clause? Tenant Landlord Either
Bre	eak notice request period (IPM's minimum requirement is three months)
ls t	he tenant to pay a rent deposit? Yes No
	o, how much?
	e there any Guarantors? Yes No If so, provide their full name(s) and address(es)
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ls t	here to be any break clause in favour of either landlord or tenant or both?
f s	o, please provide details

nat are the premises to be used for?			
subletting of part of the premises to be permitte	ed?	Yes	No
the tenant to be granted security of tenure?	Yes	No	
•	ms to the	existing le	es an automatic right to renew the lease upon its expiration and therefore hase, save for a revised rental charge and possible other amendments to refiby a chartered surveyor.
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