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MORTGAGE CONDITIONS AND EXPLANATIONS 2007

Teachers Building Society ("the Society")

The paragraphs headed "Introduction" and "Membership Rights" below are included purely for the purposes of clarity and do not form part of or amend the Mortgage Conditions and Explanations.

INTRODUCTION

This booklet explains how your mortgage works. It defines the terms used in the mortgage documents and sets out in detail the conditions that you accept when you sign your mortgage deed.

If you have any queries about these Conditions or Explanations, we will be pleased to help you. The paragraphs in this booklet are numbered in order to make it easy for you to refer to individual details if you have questions to ask.

Your solicitor should advise you about these Conditions and Explanations and the commitment you make when you take out a mortgage.

When you sign a mortgage deed, you automatically become a member of the Society and you will be bound by the Society's Rules.

We suggest that you keep this booklet in a safe place in case you want to check the Conditions and Explanations that apply to your mortgage.

MEMBERSHIP RIGHTS

If there is more than one of you, the first named applicant in the mortgage application form will be the Society's member with borrowing membership rights. He or she is known as the representative joint borrower. If you wish to change the person who is the representative joint borrower, you can do so by giving notice to us. The change will take effect when the Society's records are amended.

The name provided in the mortgage application form must be in the same style as on any other account held with the Society to ensure that the Society does not provide duplicate mailings to you. Any previous error or discrepancy must be notified to the Society as soon as possible.

Membership will cease if the Society exercises its power of sale or takes possession of the property, and may cease if the Society transfers the mortgage under Condition N.

FINANCIAL YEAR

The Society's financial year is currently the period of 12 months ending 31 December.

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EXPLANATION OF TERMS IN THESE CONDITIONS

Throughout this booklet, the terms set out here are in bold print. When **you** come across a word in bold print when reading these **Conditions** this will remind **you** to look here for the meaning of those words. If there are other terms that **you** do not understand, your solicitor should always be pleased to help **you**. These Explanations form part of your agreement with **us**.

- Advance is any sum of money which we lend to you under the Mortgage Deed. It includes further loans made after the date of the original loan. It does not include any loan which is a regulated agreement as defined by the Consumer Credit Act 1974. In releasing any Advance monies to you, we do not guarantee that either the price or condition of the Property is reasonable. You must satisfy yourself on these points.
- Assignment is an agreement under which the benefit of a Life Policy is given to us for the term of the Mortgage. Instead of an Assignment, we may require you to deposit (that is to say, let us have possession of) the Life Policy during the term of the Mortgage (see Condition I). The Mortgage Offer will state if we require an Assignment or deposit for your Mortgage.
- 3 Borrower means the person or people shown as Borrower in the Mortgage Offer and includes successors in Title. If two or more people are the Borrower then each one of them is liable for the whole of the Total Debt.
- Capital Repayment is an amount of at least the figure specified in the Mortgage Offer (or such other amount as we may specify in the future) paid to us, in addition to your Monthly Payment and any other amounts then due and payable. A Capital Repayment may be paid during a Special Mortgage Scheme if the rules of the Special Mortgage Scheme allow, but early repayment charges may also be payable.
- 5 Completion Date is the date on which we release funds for the Advance, that is to say, the day we post a cheque, or make an electronic transfer of money, to you or your solicitor or any other person on your behalf.
- 6 **Condition** is a Condition or Explanation set out in this booklet.
- 7 Covenant is a promise by you to us to do certain things under the Mortgage.
- 8 **Endowment Policy** is a life assurance policy that pays a sum assured on a pre-determined maturity date or death of the **Policy Owner** if earlier. A premium is paid to the life assurance company which in return provides a guaranteed level of life cover with the expectation that the policy will produce a given maturity value at the end of the term of the policy. The policy term must not exceed the **Mortgage Term**. It is your responsibility to ensure that the maturity value of any **Endowment Policy** is adequate to repay your **Mortgage**. Annual checks with the life assurance company should be made by **you** to ensure that the **Endowment Policy** is on target to pay your **Mortgage** at the end of the **Mortgage Term**. If it is insufficient **you** will have to pay **Interest** on the debt until it is repaid.
- 9 **Financial Year** is the financial year for the **Society** as set out in our **Rules**. **We** may change the **Financial Year** but, if **we** do, **we** will ensure that **you** will not be worse off as a result.
- 10 Further Advance is any sum of money lent by us under the Mortgage Deed after the original loan. It does not include any loan which is a regulated agreement as defined by the Consumer Credit Act 1974. Any Further Advance is subject to these Conditions and Explanations and any variation made at that time.
- Guarantor is any person who has agreed to guarantee your responsibilities which are set out in these Conditions and Explanations should you fail to carry them out. The Guarantor will be named in the Mortgage Offer. The Guarantor will also include the personal representatives of the Guarantor if he or she should die. A Guarantor may or may not provide additional security by way of an additional property which will be secured by a legal charge. You consent to our providing details of your Mortgage to any Guarantor.
- Higher Lending Charge means a higher lending fee, which we usually charge if the amount you are borrowing is more than the maximum loan we would normally make on the Property. Part of this fee may be used by us to purchase additional security in the form of indemnity insurance. If we do purchase indemnity insurance this in no way affects your liability and promise to repay all monies owed to us in full, despite any claim that might be made by the Society on the insurance

company, in the event the **Property** is **Taken into Possession** and sold by **us** for less than the amount **you** owe. The insurer has the right to recover from **you** any monies paid to **us** under the indemnity insurance. **We** may seek to recover on the insurer's behalf the money **you** owe at the same time as recovering the balance of our loss which was not covered by indemnity insurance. The amount of the **Higher Lending Charge** (if any) is shown on your **Mortgage Offer**. If **you** require a fuller explanation of indemnity insurance, please ask your solicitor.

- 13 **Initial Monthly Payment** is the amount payable as set out in your **Mortgage Offer** if **you** have a **Special Mortgage Scheme** or concessionary **Endowment** or **Interest Only Mortgage**.
- 14 Insurance means buildings or buildings and contents insurance where the Society is arranging your Property insurance. Where the Insurance is arranged from the commencement of the Mortgage (or earlier, if requested), the Property will be insured for the amount shown on the Mortgage Offer. Unless we tell you otherwise, premiums will be debited to the Mortgage account. The portion of the annual Insurance premium not paid by you during the first Financial Year of your Mortgage will be added to the Total Debt at the start of the following Financial Year.
- 15 Interest means interest at the rate that applies to your Mortgage as specified in the Mortgage Offer. The rate of Interest may vary from time to time in accordance with Condition D. Interest will be charged and is payable on the Advance from the Completion Date. This applies even if we obtain a court order against you for payment of some or all of the Total Debt.
- 16 Interest Period means a Financial Year or any shorter period shown as the interest period in your Mortgage Offer. We may decide to reduce the Interest Period, if it is more than a day (so that, for example, we may change a mortgage from yearly to daily interest). If we do this we will give you at least 30 days' advance notice of the change.
- 17 **Life Policy** means an **Endowment Policy** or other life assurance policy.
- 18 **Month** is a calendar month.
- 19 Monthly Payment is the amount which you must pay each Month on the Payment Day. If we have arranged your Insurance your Monthly Payment will include any Insurance premiums, unless we tell you otherwise. Your Monthly Payment will be shown on your Mortgage Offer. We may change the amount of your Monthly Payment in accordance with Condition E.
- 20 Mortgage is the entire legal agreement under which we lend you money and includes the Mortgage Deed, these Conditions and Explanations and your Mortgage Offer. By signing the Mortgage Deed you promise us that you will comply with everything contained in your Mortgage Deed, Mortgage Offer and these Conditions and Explanations and that you understand all the terms.

If there is any inconsistency between these **Conditions** and Explanations and the **Mortgage Offer**, the **Mortgage Offer** will prevail.

The **Mortgage Deed** gives **us** certain rights over your **Property**. These rights may be exercised by **us** if **you** break the **Conditions** and Explanations of the **Mortgage**. If, for example, **you** fail to pay any of your **Monthly Payments** on time, **we** are entitled to take over your **Property** to sell it in order to recover the money **you** owe **us**. Our rights under the **Mortgage** continue until **you** have repaid all the money **you** owe **us**, including all **Interest** and any other charges.

You cannot take out a Mortgage with us if you are under 18 years old.

There are different types of Mortgages.

Repayment Mortgage

If you have a **Repayment Mortgage** with the **Society** the payments made comprise capital and **Interest** together with any **Insurance** premiums if applicable. The **Monthly Payment** is calculated so as to pay off the **Total Debt** by the end of the **Mortgage Term**, providing payments are made on time and in full.

There is no life cover in force in connection with a **Repayment Mortgage** unless **you** have made separate arrangements for this. **You** are recommended to make your own arrangements for life cover protection if **you** have not already done so.

Endowment Mortgage

If you have an Endowment Mortgage with the Society, the monthly payments you make to the Society consist of Interest only together with any Insurance premiums if applicable. They do not include any amount for the Endowment Policy, which is your responsibility. You must ensure that the guaranteed death benefit covers the amount of your Mortgage and that the maturity value is sufficient to redeem your Mortgage at the end of the Mortgage Term. It is your responsibility to make annual checks to ensure that policy proceeds will be adequate for this purpose. You must pay the premiums directly to the life assurance company. The term of the Endowment Policy must not be longer than the Mortgage Term.

You must make sure that you have Assigned to the Society the Endowment Policy (if we so require) and that it has sufficient guaranteed death benefit to repay your Mortgage in full.

Interest Only Mortgage

If you have an Interest Only Mortgage the monthly payments you make to the Society consist of Interest only together with any Insurance premiums if applicable. You will not have given to the Society any Assignment or security over any other means of repaying the capital amount of your Mortgage at the end of the Mortgage Term (e.g. ISA investment, pension plan). As there is no life cover in force in connection with your Mortgage you must make separate arrangements for this.

Your **Mortgage** may be made up of different elements, so that part of it is on a **Repayment** basis, and part of it is on an **Endowment** or **Interest Only** basis. Your **Mortgage Offer** will say if this is the case.

It is your responsibility to make certain that **you** have adequate capital available to pay the **Total Debt** at the end of the **Mortgage Term**. In order to achieve this **you** must ensure that an adequate repayment method is in place and **you** should check this annually. If an adequate repayment method is not in place **you** must ask **us** to convert your **Mortgage** to a **Repayment Mortgage** in order that your **Monthly Payment** will comprise capital as well as **Interest**. If your **Mortgage** is not paid off at the end of the **Mortgage Term**, **Interest** will be charged on the amount outstanding until it is fully paid off.

You must remember that if **you** pay your **Mortgage** early or surrender an investment or there is a change in your personal circumstances (for example long-term sickness or relationship breakdown) this can have an adverse financial consequence depending on the particular type of **Mortgage** or investment.

- 21 **Mortgage Deed** is the legal document **you** sign to give **us** security over the **Property**, and to say that **you** understand all these **Conditions** and Explanations and that **you** will comply with all of them. These **Conditions** and Explanations have the same meaning in the **Mortgage Deed**.
- 22 Mortgage Offer means our written offer of loan to you. Your Mortgage Offer may consist of more than one document. We may withdraw a Mortgage Offer at our discretion. We will only do this in cases of fraud, misrepresentation, non-disclosure of material information or Title defect, or any other matter that comes to light which adversely affects the value of the Property as security for an Advance, or which is inconsistent with the basis on which we made the Mortgage Offer. We will not be responsible to you for any loss if we withdraw a Mortgage Offer. If you do not accept the Mortgage Offer you will not be responsible for any loss suffered by us, although you must pay for any Property Assessment Report that has been carried out on the Property. Remember that you will be responsible for your own solicitor's costs if you do not proceed with the Mortgage. Check your Mortgage Offer to find out when it will lapse.
- 23 **Mortgage Payment Protection Policy** is a policy of insurance which may cover **you** in the event of unemployment and/or sickness and accident for a specified period. **We** recommend that **you** seriously consider taking out this insurance.
- 24 Mortgage Term is the period of time (usually up to 25 years) during which you agree to repay the Advance to us and is shown on your Mortgage Offer. This may be varied by agreement with us. The Total Debt must be paid by you at the end of the Mortgage Term. If you have selected a term that extends beyond your anticipated date of retirement then you must ensure that you have adequate means to repay your loan during retirement.
- 25 Other Rights mean:

- Any rights to which you may become entitled in respect of the Property for whatever reason. They may include:-
 - (a) compensation or other money received or receivable in respect of damage caused to the **Property** or because it (or any part of it) has reduced in value, or been compulsorily purchased;
 - (b) any agreement, option, right of pre-emption, guarantee or indemnity relating to the **Property** or its construction, state or condition;
 - (c) any share in or rights of membership in a management company, tenants' or residents' association relating to the **Property**;
 - (d) the benefit of any right to obtain the improvement of, or any payment in connection with, any roads, sewers, drains and other services or amenities relating to the Property;
 - (e) any policy providing insurance against any of the following risks, namely a defect in Title to the Property, an adverse right being enforced against the Property or revealed in a local authority search and an earlier dealing with the Property being set aside or varied by the Court.
- Any other benefits which **you** may have or receive in respect of the **Property**, but not including money or grants payable to **you** in respect of maintenance or improvement of the **Property** or any money from an insurance policy (which as between **you** and **us** is dealt with in **Conditions** H, I and J).
- 26 Payment Day means the day specified as such in the Mortgage Offer.
- 27 **Planning and Housing Acts** means Acts of Parliament or Statutory Instruments in force from time to time relating to town and country planning and housing matters.
- Policy Owner means you if you are the owner of any Life Policy that is to be Assigned to, or deposited with, us in connection with the Mortgage. It can also mean any other person owning a Life Policy that is to be used in connection with the Mortgage. The Policy Owner also means anyone who takes over a Life Policy and who is not the original Policy Owner.
- 29 Power of Sale is when we are entitled to sell the Property. This may happen whether or not we are in possession of the Property.
- 30 Property means all the property (or any part of it) described in the Mortgage Deed. It includes all fixtures and buildings of any kind (including fixtures and buildings added after the Completion Date).
- 31 **Property Assessment Report** means a report obtained by the **Society** for its own purposes to assess the adequacy of the **Property** as security before releasing any **Advance**.
- 32 Receiver is a person appointed to manage the Property when you have not fulfilled one or more of your covenants to us or when we can exercise our Power of Sale. The Receiver may be an officer of the Society. Your solicitor should explain this to you. The appointment of a Receiver does not mean that the Property has been Taken into Possession unless you are specifically notified by the Receiver or us that the Property has been Taken into Possession. A Receiver is an agent of yours. Therefore you (and not us) are responsible for actions of the Receiver.
- 33 Rules means the rules of the Society.
- 34 Special Mortgage Scheme is any product which is not at our Standard Variable Rate or is at our Standard Variable Rate but you have had the benefit of a cashback or other scheme benefit. A Special Mortgage Scheme may be for a specified period as set out in your Mortgage Offer conditions.
- 35 **Standard Variable Rate** means our standard variable rate of interest.
- 36 Taken into Possession means that the Society or a Receiver has taken over your Property. Your rights, which might include receiving income produced by the Property such as rent paid by tenants, are also taken over. If the Property is Taken into Possession this does not necessarily mean that we actually occupy it. We can also appoint a Receiver to take over these

responsibilities.

- 37 Tariff of Mortgage Charges means a list of charges that apply to your Mortgage. Our Tariff of Mortgage Charges will be sent to you annually with your annual mortgage statement showing current fees payable.
- 38 **Title** is the documentary evidence that gives **you** proof of ownership of the **Property**.
- 39 **Total Debt** is all the money **you** owe **us** under the **Mortgage**. It is explained in more detail in **Condition** A1.
- 40 **We**, **us** and the **Society** means Teachers Building Society, and anyone who takes over the **Mortgage** from **us**.
- 41 You means the Borrower and anyone who takes over your responsibilities for the payment of the Mortgage. If there is more than one Borrower then all these Conditions and Explanations apply equally and separately to each of you. That means each of you is responsible on your own for the whole of the Total Debt.

A BORROWER'S AND GUARANTOR'S COVENANTS

- 1 You and the Guarantor (if any) Covenant to us:-
 - 1.1 To make Monthly Payments beginning with a payment on the first Payment Day and continuing until your Total Debt has been fully repaid, and to repay the Total Debt on or before the end of the Mortgage Term.

The **Total Debt** is all the money **you** owe **us** under the **Mortgage**. It includes the following:-

- (a) the **Advance** and any **Further Advances** (less repayments made);
- (b) Interest on all Advances;
- Interest on any arrears of payments, in accordance with these Conditions and Explanations;
- (d) any money owing to us as a result of your repaying the Advance or part of the Advance early under a Special Mortgage Scheme. If you have taken out a Special Mortgage Scheme details of any Interest, costs and other charges will be set out in the Mortgage Offer.
- (e) any other early repayment charges or Interest due;
- all costs and expenses notified to you in respect of the arrangement of any Advance whether or not it is actually made;
- (g) all insurance premiums which we have paid on your behalf (whether or not we arranged the insurance);
- (h) any reasonable costs or expenses we incur in taking or defending any court actions in order to protect our security or any Advance;
- (i) any other money, costs, expenses, fees or additional **Interest** that may become due and owing by **you** to **us** under these **Conditions** and Explanations, the **Mortgage Offer** or the **Society's Rules** or by law whenever they fall due.
- 1.2 To pay the insurance premium if you are responsible for insuring the Property. The Mortgage Offer will state if we are to insure the Property for you. It is your responsibility to ensure that the Property is insured at all times. (See also Condition H.)
- 1.3 To do whatever else is required by the Mortgage for as long as any of the Total Debt is unpaid.
- 1.4 To do whatever is required by the deeds and documents affecting the **Property** and to comply with all regulations of the local or other authority including planning conditions which affect the **Property**.

- 1.5 To complete (properly and without delay) any building work that is being carried out on the **Property** at the time your **Mortgage** is signed or at a later date.
- 1.6 To allow us to visit and inspect the Property at any reasonable time to ensure you have complied with your Conditions and Explanations or to obtain an assessment of the Property. Except in an emergency, we will give you reasonable notice of any inspection we propose to make.
- 1.7 To keep the **Property** in good repair and to allow **us** or a **Receiver** to inspect the **Property** at a time that is convenient for **you** upon reasonable prior notice. If it is not in good repair the **Society** may require **you** to ensure that it is. It may require **you** also to complete any building works. **We** may also carry out works on the **Property** to ensure the **Property** is in good repair if **you** do not do so. **You** agree to pay **us** any costs and expenses **we** incur in this respect. (See **Condition** R1.)
- Unless you obtain our written consent (which we will not unreasonably refuse) in advance, not to allow anyone to live in your Property or share occupation with you or grant any tenancy agreement or lease. If you do so, we are not bound by the conditions of such an agreement. Any consent that we may give may be subject to a fee or other charge, and will be consent for those people only and for a set period. It will not be consent for future occupiers or for any extended periods. Therefore you must ensure that consent is given by us before any future occupiers live in the Property or any extensions of time are given.
- 1.9 To comply fully with Planning and Housing Acts or any other legislation in relation to your Property. Your local authority may issue notices that relate to the Property. If that happens, you must send us a copy of the notices and keep us informed about your progress in complying with them. If you fail to comply we may carry out any necessary work. You agree to pay us any costs and expenses we incur in this respect. (See Condition R1.)
- 1.10 To obtain our written consent (which we will not unreasonably refuse) before making any alterations or additions to the Property or before changing its use. These works may require planning permission and/or building regulation consent, and you must ensure you comply with any Planning and Housing Acts.
- 1.11 Not to allow anything to be done to the **Property** which might increase your insurance premiums unless **you** obtain our written consent in advance.
- 1.12 Not to damage the **Property** or do anything to lessen its value in any way.
- 1.13 To ensure that all taxes, service charges, rates and rents are paid promptly in respect of the **Property**. We may have to pay any of these if they are not paid by you, to ensure that your and our rights in the **Property** are protected. You agree to pay us any costs and expenses we incur in this respect. (See Condition R1.)
- 1.14 Not to apply for a grant or any other loan on the **Property** without first writing to **us**. If it is a grant from a local authority **you** will have to ask for our consent. The reason for this is that the grant may have to be paid back in certain circumstances prior to this **Mortgage**.
- 1.15 Not to take out any other loan secured on the **Property**, or otherwise create any charge over the **Property**, without first getting our written consent.
- 1.16 Not without our consent to sell or transfer the **Property** or any part of it to any other person.
- 1.17 If the **Property** is leasehold, not to ask your landlord for an extension of the lease, or agree any alteration to it, without our consent (which **we** will not unreasonably refuse). **You** must send **us** a copy of any notice **you** give or send to your landlord. If **we** give our consent **you** must comply with any conditions **we** require as a condition of our consent.
- 1.18 To ensure that, if the **Property** is sold by the **Society** and the sale proceeds after payment of any costs and expenses are less than the **Total Debt**, **you** immediately pay the shortfall to the **Society** with **Interest**.

- 1.19 To pay back the **Total Debt** if we give you at least three months' prior notice in writing. In these circumstances we would not charge any additional **Interest** or other charges, as set out in **Condition** F3.
- 2 If **you** fail to perform any of your obligations under these **Conditions**, **we** can perform them instead of **you** and pay any money which is necessary to perform them. **You** agree to pay **us** any costs and expenses **we** incur in this respect. (See **Condition** R1.)
- If you fail to observe any of these obligations we have the right to sell your **Property** to recover the money we have lent you. If that happens the sale may not produce enough money to repay the **Total Debt**. In that case you will owe us the amount outstanding and **Interest** on that amount will be charged until full repayment has been made.

B POWERS OF THE SOCIETY

This section sets out the legal powers **you** will give **us** when **you** sign your **Mortgage Deed** and highlights some of the consequences if **you** fail to observe the **Conditions** of your **Mortgage**.

- If you break any of your legal obligations under your Mortgage, we are entitled to do whatever may be necessary to fulfil those obligations on your behalf in order to protect the value of the Property. This may mean that we need to enter the Property. If we do so, that does not necessarily mean that the Property has been Taken into Possession by us. Except in an emergency, we will give you reasonable notice if we intend to enter the Property.
- 2 Under the Law of Property Act 1925 we have to tell you when the Total Debt becomes due and payable. For this purpose the Total Debt will become due and payable immediately.
- 3 The Total Debt will become immediately due and repayable and we will be able to exercise the Power of Sale or appoint a Receiver without giving you any notice if you are in breach of any of the Conditions of your Mortgage or any one of the following happens (and for this purpose therefore the restrictions in Section 103 of the Law of Property Act 1925 shall not apply to your Mortgage):-
 - 3.1 if **you** do not pay any **Monthly Payment** at the time it is due and payable:
 - 3.2 if a bankruptcy order is made against you or the Guarantor (if there is one) or you or the Guarantor enter into any arrangement with or for the benefit of the creditors of you or your Guarantor:
 - 3.3 if you fail to observe any other Condition or Explanation of your Mortgage (whether or not you keep up your Monthly Payments);
 - 3.4 if the Property becomes subject to a compulsory purchase order or if it is acquired or requisitioned by any authority legally entitled to do so;
 - 3.5 if you give the **Property** to us or if you abandon it;
 - 3.6 if any part of the **Property** is demolished without our consent;
 - 3.7 if any payment which is due under the **Insurance** is not paid or if the **Property** is not insured by **you** as promised;
 - 3.8 if a payment which is due under any Life Policy which has been Assigned or deposited with us is not paid;
 - 3.9 at the end of the notice given under **Condition** A1.19.
- 4 At any time or times after our **Power of Sale** has become exercisable **we** (or a **Receiver** appointed by **us**) may do any of the following:-
 - 4.1 take possession of the **Property** and require **you** to leave it;
 - 4.2 require any tenants or workmen or others who may be in the possession of the **Property** to leave it unless they are there with our consent;
 - 4.3 carry out all the powers which are given to **us** and the **Receiver** by the Law of Property Act 1925 (except that the restrictions which are imposed by Section 103 of that Act will not apply) or the Insolvency Act 1986;

- 4.4 accept surrenders of leases and grant or renew leases or tenancies of the **Property**, or sell or otherwise dispose of it, as **we** think fit;
- 4.5 arrange and carry out all repairs, works, alterations, demolition, change of use under **Planning and Housing Acts**, additions, road schemes and developments to the **Property** and generally to manage the **Property** as **we** think fit;
- 4.6 employ and also pay persons for carrying out any of these powers at a price or fee and upon any terms as **we** think fit;
- 4.7 let and manage the **Property** (but this will be at your risk);
- 4.8 put any money which **we** receive in exercising any of these powers towards any future **Monthly Payments** that become due or towards other money that may be due or become due from **you** under these **Conditions** and Explanations;
- 4.9 at the time that we take possession of the Property, or afterwards, remove, store, sell or deal with any furniture or goods that you may have in the Property and that you have failed or have refused to remove. In exercising this additional power we will be acting as your agent. We will not be liable for any loss or damage that may occur and you will be responsible for our costs and expenses. (See Condition R1.) In carrying out this power we will not have any right to keep any of these items as security under the Mortgage;
- 4.10 after **we** have entered into possession of the **Property** or appointed a **Receiver** of it or any part of it, give up possession or remove a **Receiver** if **we** give notice to **you**;
- 4.11 retain all sums allowed to **us** by way of commission or otherwise. They will belong absolutely to **us** and **we** will not be required to disclose or give **you** the commission;
- 4.12 divide the **Property** as **we** see fit and sell any part of the **Property** separately. **We** may also sell the **Property** for a price to be paid in instalments over a period that **we** shall determine if **we** believe that **we** will be able to obtain a better price for the **Property**.
- As the owner of the **Property**, **you** may belong to a management company or a tenants' or residents' association. If **we** have no **Mortgage** over those membership rights when **we** exercise our **Power of Sale** of the **Property**, **you** give **us** an irrevocable power of attorney to transfer your membership rights to the purchaser and to keep any payment made for the transfer.
- When the **Property** is sold, either by **you** or by **us**, it may not realise enough money to repay your **Total Debt**. If that happens, **you** must immediately pay **us** the difference and **Interest** will continue to be charged on the amount **you** owe **us** until **we** have received payment of the **Total Debt** in full. Your **Guarantor** (if **you** have one) may also be asked to repay the outstanding amount. (See also **Condition** M.)
- 7 The money that **we** receive after **we** have exercised any of the powers contained in these **Conditions** and Explanations will be used as follows:-
 - 7.1 first, we will pay all costs and expenses which have been incurred by us or any Receiver in exercising any of our rights under the Mortgage including the sale of the Property or any previous attempts to sell it;
 - 7.2 second, we will use any remaining money towards repaying the **Total Debt**;
 - 7.3 third, if any money remains after the **Total Debt** has been paid **we** will pay that surplus money to **you** or if **you** are not entitled to it to the persons who reasonably appear to **us** to be entitled to it (after making reasonable enquiries).

Section 109 of the Law of Property Act 1925 will apply as if the words "not exceeding five per centum on the gross amount of all monies received" were omitted from its subsection (6) and as if subsection (8)(iv) read "in payment of the money whether for interest or otherwise in arrear or accruing due under the mortgage". (This means a **Receiver's** remuneration is not limited and alters the method by which a **Receiver** can apply money received.)

8 Our powers contained in the **Mortgage** are in addition to and are not instead of any other powers and remedies that **we** have by law. **We** will not be stopped from exercising any power given to

- us by law if we have already exercised any powers given in the Mortgage.
- 9 All costs and expenses that we pay or incur (or a Receiver that we appoint pays or incurs) in connection with any rights or powers given to us under this Mortgage in relation to the Property must be repaid by you to us. (See Condition R1.)

C INTEREST

- 1 We will charge and you will pay Interest:-
 - 1.1 for the whole of the Interest Period on the Total Debt at the end of the previous Interest Period:
 - 1.2 on any Advance we lend you during the Interest Period from the Completion Date of the Advance until the end of the Interest Period:
 - 1.3 on any costs and expenses or fees which become due from **you** during the **Interest Period**, in accordance with these **Conditions** and Explanations.
- 2 If unpaid Interest is capitalised other than at the end of the Interest Period, this will be specified in your Mortgage Offer.
- You should note that, if your Interest Period is a day (i.e. Interest is charged on a daily basis), then you will pay more interest if you choose to make your Monthly Payment on a day later than the Payment Day.
- Interest for the period from the Completion Date of any Advance to the last day of that month should be paid separately to us. We will advise you of this amount following the release of the Advance. This Interest will be added to the Total Debt if it is not paid by the end of the Interest Period.
- 5 In calculating **Interest**, percentages will not be taken beyond three decimal places.
- We will use any payments you make to us under the Mortgage in any Interest Period in the following way. First, we will use them to pay off any arrears and outstanding costs, expenses or fees, in such order as we may decide. (See Condition R.) Then we will use any balance to pay off any Interest you owe. Any remaining balance will be used to reduce the Total Debt at the end of the Interest Period.

D VARIATION OF INTEREST

- 1 The **Interest** rate can be changed by **us** from time to time. The ways in which **we** can change the **Interest** rate are set out in the following **Conditions**.
- 2 The Interest rate can be changed by giving notice. Notice of a change of Interest rate can be given in one of two ways as follows:-
 - 2.1 unless your **Mortgage Deed** requires **us** to write to **you** individually **Interest** rates can be changed by **us** placing a notice in our Principal Office and advertising in two newspapers. **You** can find out which are the relevant newspapers by contacting our Principal Office. The change will not take place earlier than the date on which the notice of the change is first exhibited at our Principal Office. If **we** do not write to **you** individually **we** will tell **you** the **Interest** rate **you** pay annually in your annual mortgage statement. If **we** omit accidentally to exhibit any notice or place any advertisement or give individual notification this will not affect the change in **Interest** rate being applied to your **Mortgage**:
 - 2.2 alternatively we will write to you informing you of your new Interest rate and the date when the Interest rate will change.
- 3 The Interest rate can be reduced without notice, but we shall inform you at the earliest opportunity.
- 4 We can change the rate of Interest for any of the following reasons (which may relate to

circumstances existing at the time or those which are expected to apply in the near future):-

- 4.1 to respond to changes in the Bank of England base rate or mortgage or investment rates generally;
- 4.2 to respond to changes in the law, or the decisions of a Court or ombudsman;
- 4.3 to meet relevant regulatory requirements;
- 4.4 to reflect new (or changes to) statements or codes of practice designed to enhance consumer protection;
- 4.5 to reflect any changes in the costs incurred by us in providing the Mortgage;
- 4.6 to reflect any increased cost or risk incurred by us as a result of any change of use of the Property (for example, if you let the Property, with or without our permission, or if you miss two or more consecutive Monthly Payments); or
- 4.7 for any other reason set out specifically in the **Mortgage Offer**.
- 5 Any change that **we** make to the rate of **Interest** will be proportionate to the circumstances giving rise to the change.

E THE MONTHLY PAYMENT

- 1 You agree to pay us the Monthly Payment (or Initial Monthly Payment if applicable) on each Payment Day until such time as you have paid the Total Debt.
- 2 The amount of the Monthly Payment has been calculated by us based on the amount of the Total Debt, the Interest rate, any Insurance premium you may have to pay us and the Mortgage Term shown in the Mortgage Offer.
- 3 The Monthly Payment (or Initial Monthly Payment if applicable) may be changed by us from time to time by giving you notice in writing:-
 - 3.1 when there is a change in the **Interest** rate or any **Insurance** Premium or the **Mortgage Term**:
 - 3.2 if you have an Initial Monthly Payment and you are in a Special Mortgage Scheme and that scheme ends or your Endowment Policy lapses, falls into arrears of premiums or is surrendered or you notify us that your chosen repayment vehicle is not adequate;
 - 3.3 when **vou** have received a **Further Advance**:
 - 3.4 if **you** have made a **Capital Repayment** provided that there is or are no **Interest**, costs, expenses or fees owing to **us**. If there are, the money will be used to pay them off first:
 - 3.5 when we consent in writing to suspend your Monthly Payment for any period or agree to accept a reduced Monthly Payment:
 - 3.6 where we wish to recover costs or expenses payable by you under these Conditions and Explanations:
 - 3.7 if we need to ensure that the **Total Debt** is repaid by the end of the **Mortgage Term**:
 - 3.8 by agreement with **you**.
- 4 The **Monthly Payment** may be rounded up to the next pound.

F REPAYING YOUR MORTGAGE EARLY (WHOLE OR PART)

- If you wish, you may repay all or part of your Advance before the date on which we originally agreed that the Mortgage would end. If you wish to repay all of your Advance before that date you will need to pay the Total Debt.
- You will also be required to pay to us Interest calculated up to the day of receipt by us of the repayment money, or as otherwise specified in the Mortgage Offer. We will not release the whole or part of your Mortgage until all money has been received by us to clear your Total Debt.
- 3 There may be additional **Interest** or other early repayment charges to pay because your **Mortgage**

Offer was taken out under one of our Special Mortgage Schemes. You will find details of the early repayment charges set out in your Mortgage Offer. It is important that you check your Mortgage Offer before redeeming the whole or repaying part of your Mortgage early. We will not release your Mortgage in whole or in part until all money has been received by us to clear your Total Debt.

G REDEMPTION

If we release your **Mortgage** in error (because, for example, we miscalculate the amount of the **Total Debt**) we may claim from you any amount still owing. However, we will not be entitled to do this if:

- 1 **we** do not give **you** notice in writing within 3 months of the date of release (unless **you** were, or your **Guarantor** was, aware of the mistake at the time of the release); or
- 2 you can show that you have changed your financial position as a result of the error, at a time when you were not aware of it.

H INSURANCE COVER

- 1 The Property must be fully and adequately insured. You are responsible for paying the premiums. You are also responsible for ensuring that there is adequate insurance cover on your Property at all times.
- 2 If the **Property** is a leasehold property and insured by the landlord **you** must, on request, show **us** such documentation relating to the insurance policies as **we** may reasonably require. **We** must approve in writing the choice of insurer, but **we** will not unreasonably refuse approval.
- If we decide that the **Property** is inadequately insured, we may take out insurance on your behalf. We are under no obligation to you however to ensure that the **Property** is adequately insured.
- If **we** insure the **Property you** will have to pay the premiums. This may be due to your failure to insure adequately. If **you** fail to do so, the cost of the premiums will be added to your **Total Debt** together with any costs and expenses **we** incur in administering the insurance. Remember this may give **us** the right to exercise our **Power of Sale** and **Interest** will be charged on the premiums.
- If **we** arrange any insurance policy on your behalf **we** may retain any sums **we** receive, whether as commission or otherwise, from the insurance company and **we** shall not be required to account to **you** unless required by law to do so.
- 6 If a claim is made under any insurance policy **we** may negotiate all the details and settle claims with the insurers.
- Money paid as a result of any buildings insurance claim must be used either to repay part of your loan or to repair or rebuild the **Property**. If payment is made directly to **you**, this money is held by **you** in trust for **us** (i.e. on our behalf).
- 8 If you or any of your family or associates act in such a way that the insurers cancel your policy, we will have the right to demand repayment of your Total Debt and/or Take the Property into Possession.
- You are responsible for telling your insurers about any changes in circumstances which may affect your insurance cover.
- 10 If **you** wish to make your own insurance arrangements **you** may do so on the following conditions:-
 - 10.1 **you** must pay to **us** any administration fee if requested in accordance with **Condition** R2;
 - 10.2 **you** must pay all the premiums and other insurance charges;
 - 10.3 should **we** ask **you** to do so, **you** must give **us** receipts to show that the premiums are being paid;
 - 10.4 **you** must allow **us** to pay any insurance premiums which **you** fail to pay;
 - 10.5 **you** must deposit the insurance policy with **us**, if **we** ask **you** to do so;
 - 10.6 your insurance company must provide **us** with an undertaking in our standard format and the current schedule of insurance must be noted with our interest:

- 10.7 our written consent must be obtained to the policy (**we** will not unreasonably withhold this consent if the policy meets with the minimum cover and conditions **we** require).
- 11 For the purpose of this **Condition** H section 108 (1) and (2) of the Law of Property Act 1925 shall not apply to this **Mortgage**. This means that the amount of any **Insurance** effected by **us** or our ability to effect any **Insurance** will not be restricted.

I LIFE POLICIES

- This Condition applies to every Life Policy that may be used from time to time to secure obligations under this Mortgage. Your Mortgage Offer will indicate whether a Life Policy is required and whether we require an Assignment or a deposit of the policy with us. In the event that you do not for any reason keep up any Life Policy taken out in relation to an Endowment Mortgage, we reserve the right to convert your Mortgage to a Repayment Mortgage.
- 2 If we require a Life Policy as security and there is no Assignment of it, the policy will be treated as deposited with us and we will have an equitable charge on it. The Policy Owner appoints us to be their attorney so that we can assign, surrender or sell or otherwise deal with the policy or the policy money. The Policy Owner cannot revoke this appointment unless and until the Total Debt is repaid.

J THE POLICY OWNER AND YOU (if you are not the Policy Owner)

- 1 The Policy Owner and you (if you are not the Policy Owner) Covenant as follows:-
 - 1.1 to **Assign** the **Life Policy** to **us** (if **we** so require);
 - 1.2 to pay on time all premiums and other money necessary for keeping the **Life Policy** in force. If a premium is not paid on time this allows **us** to exercise our **Power of Sale**;
 - 1.3 to produce to **us** (if **we** ask) a receipt for any payments of premiums that **you** make;
 - 1.4 that the Life Policy is valid and in force and that the Policy Owner will not do anything or permit anything to be done which would make it invalid or which would prevent us from receiving the policy money. The Policy Owner must not give or attempt to give to any other person any interest in the policy or proceeds of it;
 - 1.5 that should there be any possibility of the Life Policy becoming invalid the Policy Owner will do everything necessary to keep it in force. If the Life Policy does become invalid the Policy Owner will do everything necessary to put into force a new policy on the same life or lives and for the same amount as in the old policy. For the purposes of the Mortgage and these Conditions and Explanations any new policy will automatically take the place of the old one and if it is not Assigned to us it will be treated as deposited with us and we will have an equitable charge on it.
- 2 If there is any failure by the Policy Owner to comply with the above Condition or if we are able to exercise our Power of Sale in respect of the Property we may also do any of the following (so far as applicable, depending on the type of Life Policy concerned):-
 - 2.1 we may surrender the Life Policy to the insurers;
 - 2.2 we may exchange it for a fully paid Life Policy;
 - 2.3 we may make such other arrangements as we think fit for realising the value of the Life Policy;
 - 2.4 we may arrange for the sale of the Life Policy;
 - 2.5 **we** may make such other arrangements with the insurer as **we** reasonably decide.
- 3 Any money that we receive in respect of the Life Policy at any time or for whatever reason will be used to reduce or discharge the Total Debt.
- 4 If the **Total Debt** is repaid **we** will, if requested, give the **Life Policy** back to the person entitled to it so that **we** no longer have any right to the policy. Any costs that **we** incur in doing this must be paid by the person entitled to the policy.
- 5 If the **Total Debt** is repaid to **us we** may (with the agreement of the **Policy Owner**) keep the **Life**

Policy to be used in connection with the payment of other money that **we** may have lent to **you** or that **we** may lend to **you** by a new mortgage. In this case the conditions that will govern that mortgage will then apply.

- The **Policy Owner** (when this is not **you**) **Covenants** not to compete with **us** in claiming the **Life Policy** or any money payable on it until the **Total Debt** has been repaid in full.
- 7 The Policy Owner Covenants that no money has been or will be borrowed from the insurer by the Borrower or the Policy Owner, and that no monies have been or will be borrowed from any source by the Borrower or the Policy Owner or any other persons under any option or privilege conferred by or in connection with the Life Policy.
- 8 We will be entitled to keep any commission we receive from the sale of the Life Policy.

K INTEREST ONLY AND ENDOWMENT MORTGAGES

- If we allow you to pay your Mortgage (or any part of it) on an interest only basis you will at the end of the Mortgage Term repay the Total Debt to us from your own resources. We reserve the right (but are not obliged) at any time during the life of your Mortgage to convert your Interest Only or Endowment Mortgage (or the relevant part of it) to a full Repayment Mortgage if for any reason you do not keep up your payments under the Mortgage or in respect of any repayment vehicle, or if you fail to comply with any of the other Conditions and Explanations of your Mortgage.
- 2 It is your responsibility to check that any repayment vehicle is adequate to redeem your Mortgage at the end of the Mortgage Term and that there is sufficient life cover in the event of your death. If there are insufficient funds you will have to pay Interest until the Total Debt is repaid.

L LEASEHOLD PROPERTY

- 1 You must ensure you pay all service charges and ground rent promptly to your landlord. If there is a dispute you must inform us immediately. We may pay your landlord any monies due to prevent your landlord from entering into possession of your Property. You agree to pay us any costs and expenses we incur in this respect. (See Condition R1.)
- 2 If the **Property** is leasehold there will be included in the **Mortgage** any extended lease which may be granted to **you** in substitution for the original lease.

M GUARANTORS

Your **Mortgage Offer** may require **you** to provide a **Guarantor** for your **Mortgage**. By signing the **Mortgage** the **Guarantor Covenants** to pay your **Total Debt** if **you** fail to do so. These Mortgage **Conditions** and Explanations apply equally to the **Guarantor** as they do to **you**. The **Guarantor** will be given a copy of these **Conditions** and Explanations and will sign your **Mortgage Deed**.

- The **Guarantor Covenants** with the **Society** to be equally as responsible as **you** for all the **Covenants** and obligations and **Conditions** in connection with this **Mortgage**. Any arrangements that **we** make with **you** will not affect the obligations of the **Guarantor** to pay your **Total Debt** if **you** fail to do so.
- 2 The Guarantor does not have any rights or interests in any monies held by us or acquired by us, whether from you or any other source towards the reduction of the Total Debt.
- 3 The Guarantor agrees:-
 - 3.1 not to share in any security **we** have or take any security from **you** or any other person in connection with this guarantee;
 - 3.2 not to enforce any right or pursue any claim against the **Borrower** or any other persons in respect of the **Mortgage**:
 - 3.3 not to make any claim which would compete with ours

unless and until the Total Debt has been repaid in full.

4 The **Guarantor** will not be responsible for any **Further Advance** or **Interest** relating to that **Further Advance** unless the **Guarantor** has consented to that **Further Advance** in writing.

- 5 Unless the **Guarantor** agrees otherwise, the **Guarantor's** liability under any guarantee given is limited to the amount of the initial **Advance** together with all **Interest**, costs, charges and expenses forming part of the **Total Debt**.
- If **you** or your **Guarantor** are declared bankrupt or go into liquidation or receivership **we** will immediately be entitled to exercise our rights to sell the **Property** without giving **you** any further warning of the fact.
- 7 If there is more than one **Guarantor** each **Guarantor** is separately responsible for the whole of the obligations and liabilities of the **Guarantor** under the **Conditions** and Explanations.
- 8 Any correspondence sent to **you** shall be deemed to have been sent to the **Guarantor** as well.

N TRANSFER OF THE MORTGAGE

- We may at any time transfer some or all of our rights under the Mortgage to any person, whether or not a building society. However, we will only transfer our rights if we reasonably think that the policies operated by that person in connection with the Mortgage are not less favourable to you, to any material extent, than the policies we were following before the transfer.
- 2 In connection with such a transfer:-
 - 2.1 if it is to a person who is not a building society, the Rules of the Society will cease to apply;
 - 2.2 we may disclose any information relating to you and the Mortgage;
 - 2.3 unless the terms of the transfer state otherwise, the person to whom we transfer the Mortgage will be able to exercise all the rights and powers that we could exercise before the transfer.
- 3 This **Condition** does not apply to a transfer of the **Mortgage** on a merger between **us** and another building society, or to a transfer of our business to a company.

O TRANSFER OF PROPERTY SUBJECT TO MORTGAGE

- 1 **You** may, subject to these **Conditions** and Explanations and our consent (on which **we** may impose conditions), sell or otherwise transfer the **Property** subject to the **Mortgage**.
- 2 Upon such a sale or transfer, you must pay to us all sums then owing (or such lesser amount as we may decide) under the Mortgage.
- 3 The purchaser or transferee shall, from the date of the transfer, become answerable to **us** for all your liabilities arising under the **Mortgage**. If so, **we** may release **you** at your expense. The transferee shall not be registered in our records nor will **you** be released from your obligations to **us** unless:-
 - 3.1 the requirements of **Conditions** 1 and 2 have been fulfilled;
 - 3.2 the deed by which the **Property** has been transferred and such further deeds, if any, as **we** may require have first been approved by or on behalf of **us**, without cost to **us**; and
 - 3.3 such deed or deeds have been deposited with us.

P OTHER RIGHTS

- 1 So far as you can (but only until the time when the Total Debt is repaid) you:-
 - 1.1 assign to us all Other Rights that you have or may be entitled to have. This will include copyright in any designs or plans made in respect of the Property;
 - 1.2 agree that **you** will hold all **Other Rights** on our behalf;
 - 1.3 appoint **us** irrevocably to be your attorney to act for **you** to do the following:-
 - (a) to do all such things to assess, agree, obtain, enforce and recover Other Rights:
 - (b) to give any notices or counter notices in relation to **Other Rights**;
 - (c) to carry out or enforce any right in respect of the Property which you may have by

law or which **you** may have or become entitled to against any local authority or other body.

2 Any money received in respect of Other Rights must be used to reduce the Total Debt unless we tell you in writing that it can be used to restore or improve the Property.

Q BORROWERS WITH A MORTGAGE ON MORE THAN ONE PROPERTY

If you have more than one property mortgaged to us this Condition Q applies to you.

- If you wish to pay off the loan secured on any of your properties you may at the same time have to pay the total debt secured on all or any of your other properties if we require you to do so, before we release the Property from the Mortgage. Section 93 of the Law of Property Act 1925 will not apply to the Mortgage.
- 2 This Mortgage will be security not only for the Advance but also for all money which may at any time be owing by you to us on any other mortgage with us. This means that if you fail to make any Monthly Payments on any mortgage with us and we sell the Property or you sell the Property, any surplus funds will be applied to any remaining mortgage with us. If money is still owing on any properties that have been sold that amount will be added to the amount owed on your other properties still remaining in mortgage to us. In these circumstances we are still able to take legal action to recover your Total Debt on the properties not yet sold.
- 3 **Conditions** 1 and 2 above do not apply to money which is owing to **us** under a loan which is a regulated agreement as defined by the Consumer Credit Act 1974, unless the appropriate requirements of the Act have been complied with.

R COSTS, EXPENSES AND FEES

- 1 Where **we** are entitled under these **Conditions** to recover from **you** any costs or expenses incurred by **us**, then:-
 - 1.1 **you** must pay them to **us** as soon as **we** give **you** written notice to pay them;
 - 1.2 **you** must pay them to **us** in full, as long as they are reasonable; and
 - 1.3 if you do not pay them to us within 7 days of the date of our written notice, they will be added to the Total Debt and Interest may be charged on them from the date the notice is given.
- We may charge fees for items relating to the making of a mortgage loan, the operation of your account, the storage of title deeds or the mortgaged Property. The fees will take account of expenses we incur and the cost of staff time and the use of our office and computer facilities. You must pay any fee we charge under this Condition R2 as soon as we give you written notice to pay it. If you do not pay it within 7 days of the date of our written notice, Interest may be charged on it from the date the notice is given.

We will tell you about our current fees in our Tariff of Mortgage Charges. We can change our fees as follows:-

- We can change the fees we charge at any time. Changes may include the abolition of, or amendment to, existing fees, or the introduction of new fees and may be made if we reasonably believe that the change is needed for any of the following reasons (which may relate to circumstances existing at the time or those which are expected to apply in the near future):-
 - (a) to reflect changes in the costs or expenses (including tax and charges by third parties) we incur in providing the service or carrying out the function to which the fee relates;
 - (b) to meet relevant regulatory requirements;
 - (c) to respond to changes in the law, or to reflect new (or changes to) statements or codes of practice designed to enhance consumer protection.

Any changes that **we** make to our fees will be proportionate to the circumstances giving rise to the change.

- 2.2 Where **we** introduce new fees, or increase existing fees, **we** will tell **you** about the change, not less than 30 days before it takes effect, as follows:-
 - (a) by letter or other personal notice; or
 - (b) by sending you a copy of our revised Tariff of Mortgage Charges; or
 - (c) by general notice in our Principal Office, together with advertisements in two or more newspapers of our choice. You can find out which are the relevant newspapers by contacting the Principal Office.
- 2.3 A change which abolishes a fee, or reduces the amount of an existing fee, may be introduced with immediate effect and without notice.

S WHAT DO YOU DO IF YOU ARE HAVING TROUBLE MAKING YOUR MORTGAGE PAYMENTS?

- If you are having problems making your Monthly Payments we may be able to help you. Whenever you think you may have a problem it is important to contact our Principal Office. We can sometimes defer a Monthly Payment. This means that your Total Debt may increase and your Mortgage Term may also increase. We may be able to make special arrangements allowing you to alter the amount and timing of your Monthly Payments or make other agreed variations to the type or Mortgage Term.
- You must remember that if any help is given to you this does not release you from any of the Conditions and Explanations of your Mortgage. It is particularly important to realise that any special arrangement that we might make does not affect our rights over the Property including the right to exercise our Power of Sale together with the right to collect from you the Total Debt. If you have a Guarantor any special arrangement made by ourselves will not alter the Guarantor's legal responsibility to repay your Total Debt should you fail to do so.
- 3 It is your responsibility to satisfy yourself as to the effect of any special arrangement on your Mortgage Term, the Total Debt and/or the amount of your Monthly Payments or Initial Monthly Payments.

T NOTICES

- 1 If **we** have to serve on **you** a letter or personal notice or other document under this **Mortgage** it will be in writing and sent to your registered address or other last known address.
- If we send a notice in the post you are deemed to have received it by the time specified in the Society's Rules or, if the Rules no longer apply (by virtue of Condition N2), 48 hours after we have posted it regardless of the class of post used.
- 3 If there is more than one of **you**, a notice given to one of **you** will be treated as having been given to all of **you**.
- 4 If we serve a notice on you this is as good as if we had served it on the Guarantor as well.
- 5 If we, accidentally, fail to:-
 - 5.1 send to **you** a communication intended for our borrowers generally or a category of our borrowers of which **you** are one; or
 - 5.2 display a notice at our Principal Office

this will not make the notice invalid.

U FURTHER LOANS

Although **we** are not obliged to make any further loans to **you** the **Mortgage** has the effect of securing any **Further Advance** that **we** may make to **you**.

V LEGISLATION

Any reference to an Act of Parliament includes reference to that Act as amended or replaced.

W CHANGES TO TERMS AND CONDITIONS

We may change the terms and conditions applying to your **Mortgage** if **we** give **you** not less than one month's written notice, as long as the change does not work to your disadvantage. **We** will only make such a change to reflect the requirements of any regulation, to clarify any existing term or condition or make it fairer, or to enable **us** to enhance the terms of your **Mortgage**.

YOUR HOME WILL BE TAKEN AS SECURITY FOR ANY LOAN ADVANCED TO YOU BY THE SOCIETY.

YOUR HOME MAY BE REPOSSESSED IF YOU DO NOT KEEP UP REPAYMENTS ON YOUR MORTGAGE



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