

# FOR SALE / TO LET

## **Retail Premises**

Planning consent granted for change of use to Class 3 (Restaurant)

Prominent Location in Alford Town Centre

Price - £130,000

**Rent - On Application** 

Size - 131.69 SQM (1417.69)

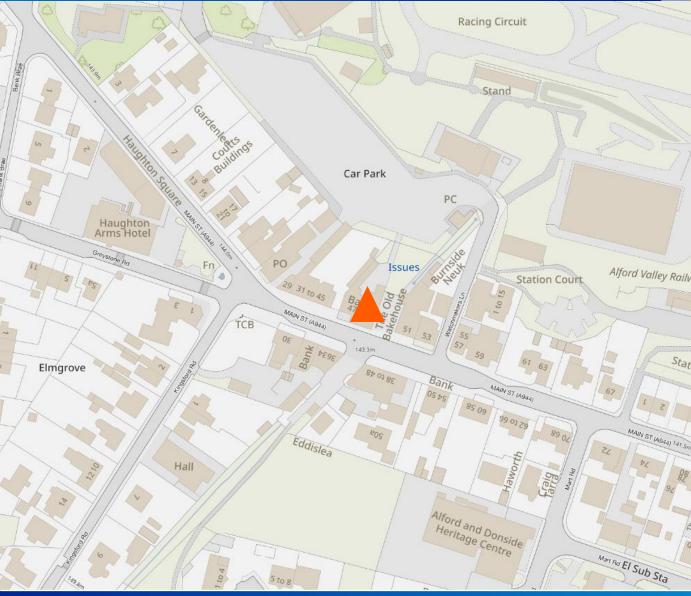


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Retail Premises
Within Busy Rural Village

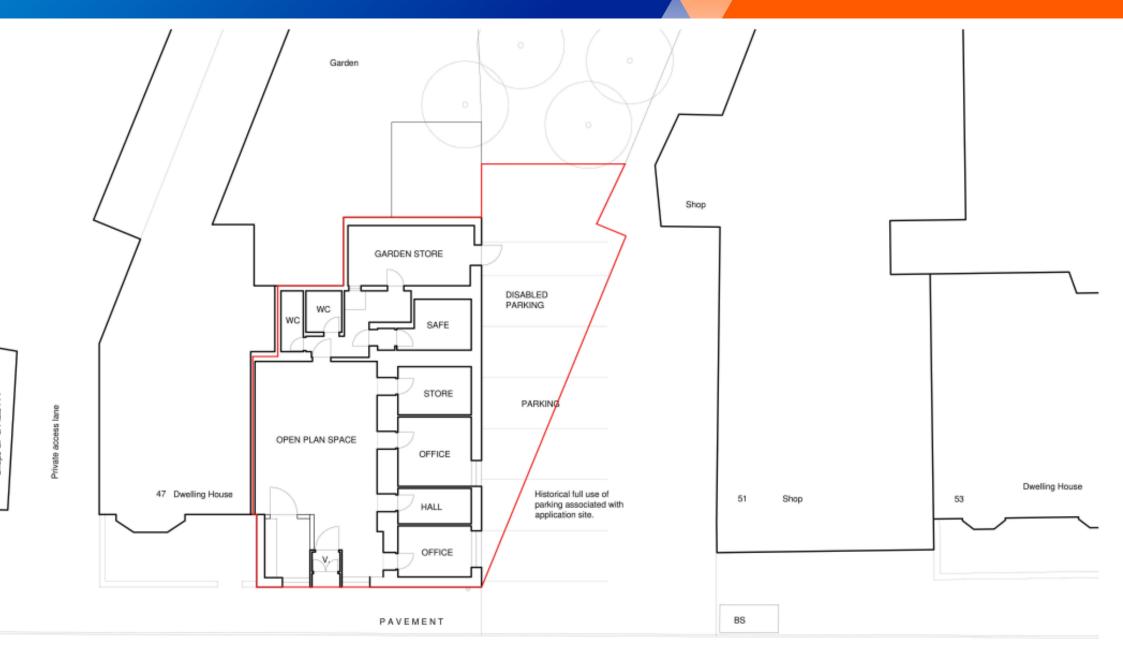


The subjects can be found within the village of Alford, which is located 25 miles west of Aberdeen City Centre. Alford is a busy rural village which serves as an important service centre for the expanding local population and surrounding agricultural community within Aberdeenshire.

The subjects themselves are located on the north side of Main Street which serves as a primary thoroughfare through the town and the main route to Aberdeen. As such there are substantial levels of vehicular and pedestrian passing trade. Surrounding occupiers include The Alford Bistro, Daisy Tree Baby Boutique, N.S Wilson Pharmacy and Alford Post Office. The premises also benefit from being near to the town's main car parking and accordingly is a visible unit with high pedestrian foot flow.















The subjects comprise a ground floor, single storey property attached to a two-storey traditional property, which is out with the subjects under consideration. Externally, the subjects are of solid blockwork construction with a flat roof over and access is via a recessed pedestrian door.

Internally, the subjects provide open plan office space with four cellular meeting rooms to the right. The open plan office area is finished with suspended timber and carpeted flooring, suspended ceiling and painted plasterboard lined walls. The meeting rooms are finished to a similar manner to the open plan area although ceilings are of painted plasterboard design. The rear of the property provides an inbuilt safe room and a store with solid concrete flooring and unlined walls. Two W.Cs can be found at the rear

#### **Accommodation**

	m²	ft²
Ground Floor	131.69	1417.69

The above floor areas have been calculated on a Net Internal Floor Area basis in accordance with the RICS Code of Measuring Practice (6th Edition).



#### **Price**

£130,000 is sought for our client's interest in the premises.

#### Rental

On Application

#### **Lease Terms**

The premises are available on the basis of a new lease of negotiable duration.

## Planning

The subjects had conditional planning consent granted on the 30th January 2024 for a change of use from Office (Class 1A) to Restaurant (Class 3). Further information can be found on the Aberdeenshire Planning portal using reference APP/2023/1141.

#### Rateable Value

The subjects are currently entered into the Valuation Roll as an office at a rateable value of £12.500.

On this basis the premises would be eligible for 87.50% rates relief, resulting in a net liability of £778.12 payable by an incoming occupier.

## **Energy Performance Certificate**

The subjects have a current Energy Performance Certificate Rating of ''.

Further information and a recommendation report is available to seriously interested parties on request.

#### VAT

All figures quoted are exclusive of VAT at the prevailing rate.

### Legal Costs

Each party will be responsible for their own legal costs incurred in the transaction. The ingoing purchaser/tenant will be responsible for any Land and Building Transaction Tax (LBTT) and Registration Dues, if applicable.



## **Get in Touch**

For further information or viewing arrangements please contact the sole agents:



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