

# ESTATES SECTION HOUSING AND ENVIRONMENT

# For Lease



Retail Premises
Net Internal Area: 406 sq ft (37.8 sq m)
or thereby

155 North High Street Musselburgh EH21 6AN

Offers around £6,295 per annum are invited

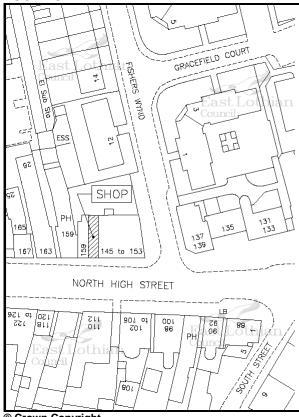
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## SITUATION

The property is located on the north side of North High Street, Musselburgh in a parade of shops close to the Brunton Theatre.

This property is approximately 6 miles from Edinburgh City Centre. The A1 trunk road and Edinburgh City By-Pass are readily accessible.

## **LOCATION PLAN**



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# **DESCRIPTION**

The property forms a ground floor shop unit within a 2 storey stone built terraced block with flats above. The shop has a single timber framed display window with entrance door.

Internally the shop is divided into a front sales area totalling 214  $\rm ft^2$  (19.84  $\rm m^2$ ) and a back shop totally 167  $\rm ft^2$  (15.51  $\rm m^2$ ) plus w.c. compartment and a small kitchen area.

# USE

The current permitted use is Class 1 (Shops) with reference to the Town and Country Planning (Use Classes) (Scotland) Order 1997. Interested parties should consult East Lothian Council's Planning Department on 01620 827216 with any use queries.

# **ENERGY PERFORMANCE CERTIFICATE**

The Energy Performance Certificate gives the property a G rating.

## SERVICES

Mains Electricity, Water and Drainage are connected to the subjects. Mains Gas is available close by. The subjects have no fixed heating.

#### **LEASE TERMS**

The premises are available on "easy in/easy out" terms. The Landlord maintains the property in a wind and watertight condition with the tenant being responsible for all other repairs and maintenance and the replacement of glass.

No gas or electrical works will be undertaken by the Tenant under any circumstances without the Council's prior consent.

Parties who are interested in taking a lease of the premises should request an "Application to Lease" form following viewing and this should be completed and returned to the address given on the form.

Only those who have returned a completed Application to Lease form will be notified of the closing date.

# **RATING ASSESSMENT**

The rateable value of the subjects has been assessed at £4,450 per annum.

Under the Small Business Bonus Scheme for 2012/13 properties with a RV of up to £10,000 may qualify for 100% rates relief, depending on individual circumstances. Water and sewerage charges will still apply.

# **VIEWING**

Strictly by prior appointment. Arrangements can be made via the Estates Section by contacting Edward Hawkridge on 01620 827511.

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# **LEGAL FEES**

The ingoing Tenant will pay the East Lothian Council £100 (+VAT) administration fee towards the preparation and completion of the lease.

If you wish to discuss any of the details of these particulars please contact Housing & Environment, Estates

Section per Edward Hawkridge, Estates Surveyor (Tel 01620 827511)

For further local information, please visit our website <a href="www.eastlothian.gov.uk">www.eastlothian.gov.uk</a>

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