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# Buy-to-Let Product Guide

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Individuals

Ltd Companies / LLP

Short Term Lets

## Buy-to-Let Mortgages for Individuals

Fixed Term	LTV	Rate	Product Fee	ICR	ERC %	Product Code
	75%	4.31%	2%			IND5YRLTV75c.014
<b>F</b>	75% 5 years	4.55%	1%	Davidante	5/4/3/2/1	IND5YRLTV75a.014
o years		4.75%	2%	Pay rate		IND5YRLTV80c.014
	80%	5.00%	1%			IND5YRLTV80a.014
7 years	75%	4.39%	2%	Pay rate	5/5/5/4/3/2/1	IND7YRLTV75c.014

Revert Rate: BBR + 4.50% BBR = Bank of England Base Rate / Bank Rate (www.bankofengland.co.uk)

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### Buy-to-Let Mortgages for Limited Companies / LLPs

Fixed Term	LTV	Rate	Product Fee	ICR	ERC %	Product Code
75%	75%	4.31%			5 // /0 /0 //	LTD5YRLTV75c.014
	4.55%	1%	Davida	LTD5YRLTV75a.014		
5 years		4.75%	2%	Pay rate	5/4/3/2/1	LTD5YRLTV80c.014
80%	80%	5.00%	1%			LTD5YRLTV80a.014
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## Buy-to-Let Mortgages for HMO / MUFB

Size	Fixed Term	LTV	Rate	Product Fee	ICR	ERC %	Product Code
<b>Small</b> Up to 6 HMO Bedrooms or MUFB Units		70%	4.40%	2%		5/4/3/2/1	SHMO5YRLTV70c.014
	<b>F</b>	70%	4.64%	1%			SHMO5YRLTV70a.014
	5 years	750/	4.50%	2%	Pay rate		SHMO5YRLTV75c.014
		75%	4.74%	1%			SHMO5YRLTV75a.014
	7 years	75%	4.59%	2%	Pay rate	5/5/5/4/3/2/1	SHMO7YRLTV75c.014
Large Up to 10 HMO Bedrooms or MUFB Units		70%	4.49%	2.5%	Pay rate	5/4/3/2/1	LHMO5YRLTV70f.014
	5 years	70% 5 years 75%	4.81%	1.25%			LHMO5YRLTV70d.014
			4.55%	2.5%			LHMO5YRLTV75f.014
			4.85%	1.25%			LHMO5YRLTV75d.014

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## Buy-to-Let Mortgages for Short Term Lets

Fixed Term	LTV	Rate	Product Fee	ICR	ERC %	Product Code
	70% <b>years</b> 75%	4.75%	2%	Pay rate	5/4/3/2/1	SLET5YRLTV70c.013
<b>F</b>		4.99%	1%			SLET5YRLTV70a.013
5 years		4.85%	2%			SLET5YRLTV75c.013
		5.09%	1%			SLET5YRLTV75a.013

Revert Rate: BBR + 4.50% BBR = Bank of England Base Rate / Bank Rate (www.bankofengland.co.uk)

This range is designed for borrowers who intend to let the property for a short period such as a holiday let or serviced apartment.

For further information please see Criteria Guide (page 4) or contact your BDM.



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## Buy-to-Let Mortgages for Refurbishment

Works Type	Fixed Term	LTV	Borrower Type	Rate	Product Fee	ICR	ERC %	Product Code	<b>Revert</b> BBR + 4
			Individual	4.41%				LRIC5YRLTV75c.014	BBR = Bank o Base Rate / E (www.bankot
Cosmetic	5 years	75%	Ltd Co. / LLP	4.41%	2%	Pay rate	5/4/3/2/1	LRCC5YRLTV75c.014	·
Improvement			Small HMO/MUFB <b>4.60%</b>			LRHC5YRLTV75c.014	_		
	5 years		Individual	4.61%	2.5%	Pay rate		LRIE5YRLTV75f.014	-
		75%	Ltd Co. / LLP	4.61%			5/4/3/2/1	LRCE5YRLTV75f.014	
EPC Improvement			Small HMO/MUFB	4.80%				LRHE5YRLTV75f.014	•
Light Refurbishment		<b>5 years</b> 75%	Individual	4.76%		5% Pay rate	Pay rate 5/4/3/2/1	LRIL5YRLTV75f.014	-
	5 years		Ltd Co. / LLP	4.76%	2.5%			LRCL5YRLTV75f.014	
			Small HMO/MUFB	4.95%				LRHL5YRLTV75f.014	1

No need to bridge. No need to switch. Refurbishment mortgages designed to help landlords to improve property condition and EPC rating.

These products are designed for cosmetic or non-structural refurbishment works which can be signed off under the government Competent Persons Scheme. They are not suitable for projects where full planning/permitted development/change of use is not in place upon completion of the initial mortgage advance.

For details of acceptable works and more please see page 8 or contact your BDM.

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#### Criteria at a Glance

	Individuals	Limited Companies / LLP	HMO / MUFB			
		68100 • 68209 • 68320 • 68201. Properties related SPV accepted. LLPs accepted. Trading companies considered				
		New company incorporations accepted	At least one applicant must prove they have			
Applicant/Experience	At least one applicant must have a minimum of 12 months as a current property owner	A personal guarantee must be provided by Limited Company Directors and/or Shareholders with ≥20% shareholding, and all designated members and members with management rights of an LLP.	owned a minimum of 1 BTL property for 2 years Available to both Individual and Limited Companies / LLP applicants.			
		Deposits from Inter-company/Director/ Shareholder/Partner loans accepted				
Applicants		Guarantors must together hold a <b>minimum of 75</b> % or more of th de all designated members and those members with manageme				
Age Limits	Minimum Age: Prime	ary applicant: 21 Secondary applicants: 18 • Maximum Age:	<b>85</b> at the end of term			
Minimum Income	£20,000 c	<b>£20,000</b> combined income per application • Rental income accepted as per SA302				
Loan Amount	Minimum Loan: £25,0	01 • Maximum Loan: £1m (up to 75% LTV) / £500k (up to 80%	LTV) or £2m for MUFB			
Loan Term		Minimum Term: 5 years • Maximum Term: 30 years				
Maximum LTV	Standard properties: <b>80%</b> † • Studio flats: Above/Adjacent to Commercial <b>75%</b> • For	<ul> <li>New builds: 75% (houses) / 70% (flats)</li> <li>mer Local Authority: 75% (houses) / 70% (flats)</li> </ul>	75%			
Portfolio Landlords	Min. landlord experience of 12 months • Max. Portfolio Lendi	ng held within the CHL group £2.5m (up to £5m considered after	12 months) • Unlimited properties/mortgages in BTL portfol			
Adverse		s (Max. 1 instance), Status 2 in 24 months • Secured arrears: atisfied max. £500 in 36 months • CCJ's: Unsatisfied max. £25				
Acceptable Exposure	Blocks of up to 6 units: Maximum 6 units per block •	Blocks of 7 to 20 units: Maximum 10 units per block • Blocks o	f more than 20 units: Highest of 10 units <u>or</u> 20% per block			
Rooms / Units	Up to 5 bedrooms • Properties curre	ntly let as shared accomodation accepted	Small HMO/MUFB: Up to 6 bedrooms / units Large HMO/MUFB: Up to 10 bedrooms / units			
Minimum value	• Ex-local authority £100,000 • Studio flat	<b>£75,000 except for:</b> • Ex-local authority £100,000 • Studio flat £100,000 • Flats above 10 storeys £250,000 • Flats above / adjacent to commercial inside M25 £250,000 (£150,000 elsewhere)				
New builds	Definition: Built or converted within th	e last 12 months • All new build or properties less than 10 year	s old must hold an adequate warranty.			
Shared Houses	Rental Assessment is on	a single family unit basis	Rental Assessment is on a room-by-room / unit-by-unit bas			
ICR*	Basic Rate Tax	Payer: 125% • Higher Rate Tax Payer: 140% • Limited Comp	bany / LLP: <b>125</b> %			
See Page 7: The Rental Calculatio	n † Max. 75% LTV for properties highlighted by our valuer as 'non-standard construction'		•			

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	Light Refurbishment (LR)	EPC Improvement (EPC)	Cosmetic Improvement (CI)		
Designed for	Non-structural and modernisation works which can be signed off under the Competent Persons Scheme	All works accepted as per the Light Refurbishment product <u>and</u> will ultimately improve the EPC rating to C or above	Works which improve the cosmetic appearance of a property such as painting & decorating, flooring and fittings		
Pre-works status	Property does not need to be lettable at point of i	Property must be lettable at point of initial mortgage advance			
Cost of works	Costs must not exceed 25% of the pre-works value				
Maximum LTV	75% (pre-works and post-works)				
Works timeframe	Up to 90 days from initial mortgage advance				
Retention	A retention will be held between the pre-works and post-works value and market rent for up to 120 days from initial mortgage advance. The retention will be released upon confirmation by a Valuer Reinspection of full completion of works as defined within the agreed schedule and of the post-works value and market rent. If the property is not lettable at the point of reinspection the retention will continue to apply for up to 120 days from initial mortgage advance.				
Borrower / Property	Individual & Limited Company / LLP borrowers accepted. Refurbishment products are not available for properties intended to be let as Large HMO/MUFB or on a short term basis.				

Examples of acceptable works	PRO	рист	TYPE
Examples of acceptable works	LR	EPC	CI
Replacement floor coverings	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Painting & decorating	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Replacement fixtures & fittings	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Replacement internal doors	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Minor repairs	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Replacement heating systems	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	
Improved insulation	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	
Full rewiring	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	
Replacement windows & doors	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	
Replacement bathrooms & kitchens	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	
Integral garage/loft conversion to habitable space*	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	
Conversion of C3-dwelling to Shared house/C4-HMO	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	
Replacement roof coverings	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	
Non-load bearing internal re-configuration	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	

**PRODUCT TYPE** Supporting evidence required Schedule of works and costs for the proposed works  $\checkmark$ Evidence of available funds to cover the proposed works (including contingency)  $\checkmark$ Evidence of available funds to cover at least 3 months mortgage payments of the proposed BTL  $\checkmark$  $\checkmark$ Details of the applications/main contractors relevant experience of previous development/refurbishment projects  $\checkmark$  $\checkmark$  $\checkmark$ Copies of full plans/drawings relating to the proposed works  $\checkmark$  $\checkmark$ Copies of any planning/permitted development/change of use required for proposed use of the property post works

#### Unacceptable works

- 🛞 Projects where full planning/permitted development/change of use is not in place on completion of the initial advance
- 🛞 Works requiring building controls sign off (that cannot be signed-off under a Competent Person Scheme)
- 😣 Any works to fix ongoing or progressive structural movement
- 8 Any project where the intention is not to let the security property post-works
- 8 Any works where the current or proposed structure/materials are unacceptable to CHL Mortgages
- 8 Any load-bearing reconfiguration, footprint expansion or anything with direct structural impact (eg. Digging of basement)
- 😣 Outbuilding conversion to a habitable space
- 8 Conversion to MUFB (refurbishment of an existing MUFB is permitted)
- 😣 Conversion to / let as Large HMO

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\* Loft conversion works must not affect the roofline

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#### The Rental Calculation

Tax band	ICR
Basic Rate	125%
Ltd Companies / LLP	125%
Higher Rate	140%

	Assessment Rate
Less than 5 year fixed	Highest of 5.50%; <u>or</u> the initial pay rate +2.00%; <u>or</u> the reversionary rate.
Less than 5 year fixed* where a historic borrower is looking to remortgage without capital raising	Highest of 5.00%; <u>or</u> the initial pay rate.
5 year fixed or more	The initial pay rate
Lifetime Tracker.	The initial pay rate +2.00%

\*Historic Borrower: A borrower who owned their BTL property before 6th April 2017

NOTE: Should a borrower choose a Capital & Interest repayment mortgage then, in addition to the Interest Cover Ratio test above, the gross monthly rental income must be equal to or greater than the monthly payment.

Security Type	Basis of rental income	Basis of Valuation
Single self-contained unit	Single tenancy	Comparable basis
Shared House	Single tenancy	Comparable basis
Short-term lets/Serviced Apartments	Single tenancy	Comparable basis
Holiday Let	Single tenancy	Comparable basis
Small HMO (≤6 bedroom)	Tenancy per room	Comparable basis
Large HMO (>6 bedroom)	Tenancy per room	Investment valuation
Small MUFB (≤6 units)	Tenancy per unit	Comparable basis
Large / Hybrid <sup>†</sup> MUFB (>6 units)	Tenancy per unit / per room	Investment valuation

† For definition of Hybrid MUFB see Criteria Guide, Page 5

#### Additional Fees

Application	Funds Release	Redemption Admin	Reinspection (Ind. / Ltd Co.)	Reinspection (HMO / MUFB)
£125.00	£25.00	£90.00	£150.00	£250.00

#### **Property Valuation Fees**

	Individuals	Small	Large	Refurbishment
Property Value	Ltd Co. / LLP	HMO / MUFB	HMO/MUFB	(Inc. reinspection)
Up to £100k	£150	£450	£1,250	£700
Up to <b>£150k</b>	£175	£450	£1,250	£700
Up to <b>£200k</b>	£200	£465	£1,250	£715
Up to <b>£250k</b>	£225	£465	£1,300	£715
Up to £300k	£250	£535	£1,350	£785
Up to <b>£350k</b>	£275	£595	£1,425	£845
Up to £400k	£300	£595	£1,425	£845
Up to <b>£450k</b>	£325	£655	£1,500	£905
Up to £500k	£350	£655	£1,500	£905
Up to £600k	£485	£720	£1,600	£970
Up to £700k	£585	£780	£1,750	£1,030
Up to £800k	£650	£890	£1,900	£1,140
Up to £900k	£710	£965	£2,025	£1,215
Up to <b>£1.0m</b>	£825	£1,035	£2,175	£1,285
Up to <b>£1.25m</b>	£1,025	£1,235	£2,500	£1,485
Up to <b>£1.5m</b>	£1,225	£1,435	£2,750	£1,685
Up to <b>£1.75m</b>	£1,425	£1,635	£3,000	£1,885
Up to <b>£2.0m</b>	£1,625	£1,835	£3,200	£2,085
>£2.0m	By referral	By referral	By referral	By referral

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