# Tenant (Incremental) Purchase Scheme 2016

# **Application Form**



Dublin City Council
Loans, Sales & Consents Section
Block 2, Floor 2
Civic Offices
Dublin 8

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# Rent Account Number: Address of Property: Section 2—Applicant Details **Tenant** Joint Tenant Name PPS Number Phone Number **Email** Address Date of Birth Income Sources: Employed Income Sources: Employed Self-Employed Self-Employed If other please specify If other please specify **Gross Annual** Income

Section 1—Property Details

Name		PPS Number		
Date of Birth		Phone Number		
Realtionship To Tenant	Wife/Husband Civil Partner Co-habitant		Employed Self-Employed Unemployed Other	
Gross Annual Income				
Section 4—Previous Schemes & Funding				
Do you or any member of your household currently own or have a financial interest in property/land in Ireland or any other country?		YES NO		
What is the intended source of funding for the purchase money		Own Resources*		
		Private Mortgage		
		Local Authority Loa	n	

Section 3—Tenant's Spouse/Civil Partner/Co-Habitant, resident in the house (if not a joint tenant)

<sup>\*</sup> No cash payment will be accepted for funding purposes

### Section 5—Convictions and Court Orders In the five year period prior to the date of this ap-YES plication has any member of the household been convicted of an offense under the sections of the Criminal Justice (Public Order) Act 1994 as out-NO lined in Appendix 3? YES In the five year period prior to the date of this application has any member of the household been subject of Court Orders under the statutory provisions outlined in Appendix 4? NO Section 6—Declarations and Signature Dublin City Council will use the data which you have supplied to assess and administer your application. Data may be shared and verified with other public bodies for the purpose of detection or prevention of fraud. Dublin City Council may, in conjunction with the Department of the Environment, Community and Local Government, process this data for research purposes. Where requested by Dublin City Council, additional information must be provided by the applicant(s) within four weeks. All correspondence between Dublin City Council and the applicant(s) is without prejudice and subject to any transfer order. I/We hereby apply to Dublin City Council to purchase the above property under the terms of the 2016 Tenant Incremental Purchase scheme. I/We accept that the sale of a house under the scheme does not imply any warrant on the part of the housing authority in relation to the state of repair or condition of the house or its fitness for human habitation and that as the house will be valued on the basis of its existing condition, the housing authority is under no obligation to put the house being under the scheme into good structural condition prior to sale. I/We accept that the maintenance and repair of the house after sale is the responsibility of the purchaser. I/We declare that unless otherwise instructed, Dublin City Council will upon completion of the purchase, arrange to have the property vested in the joint names of the tenant and his/her spouse/partner. I/We declare that the information and particulars given by me/us on the application are true and correct. I/We authorise the housing authority to make whatever enquiries it considers necessary to verify the details of this application. I/We am/are aware that the furnishing of false or misleading information is on offence liable to prosecution. **APPLICANT 2** APPLICANT 1 Signed

Date

### **Applicant Checklist**

# Before submitting your application please confirm that you: Have read and understand the Tenant Incremental Purchase scheme Information Booklet—including the terms and conditions of the scheme. Have completed all parts of the application form about you and your household. Have attached evidence of income/supporting documentation as detailed in Appendix 1 attached. Have signed and dated the declaration. Have included the €150 application fee (non-refundable). Have provided an up-to-date Rent Assessment.

### **Contact Information**

### To submit your application by post please send to:

Tenant Incremental Purchase Scheme,

Block 2, Floor 2, Civic Offices, Wood Quay, Dublin 8

### To contact us:

Email: tenant.purchase @dublincity.ie

Tel: (01) 2225449 or 222 6581

Disclaimer: This application form is furnished for information purposes only and is not intended to create a legal relationship or constitute a contract, an offer or agreement, and is not intended to give rise to any expectation or entitlement or confirm or indicate an eligibility for inclusion in this or any Tenant Purchase Scheme.

This application form does not constitute an acknowledgement by Dublin City Council of a tenancy in any premises in respect of which no tenancy exists or in respect of which a Notice to Quit/Demand for Possession/Tenancy Warning has been served or in respect of which an order for possession or a possession order has been made or in respect of any unauthorised or unlawful occupier and is written without prejudice to any existing legal proceedings.

Please note that nothing in this letter and/or in the process to which it refers shall operate to confer rights on you or any other unauthorised or unlawful occupier or affect the validity of any Notice to Quit/Demand for Possession/ Tenancy Warning or any order for possession or a possession order made in respect of the premises or in any way effect or be a waiver of the right of Dublin City Council to recover possession of the premises.

### Appendix 1— Supporting Documentation to Accompany Your Application

The following documentary evidence, verifying the different types of reckonable income, must be submitted.

### **Employee income:**

one or both of the Employment Detail Summary Form (old P60) and 2 months payslips for each employment and, where necessary, a signed and stamped employer's salary certificate, stating employment terms, basic salary, overtime, commission, bonuses and any other payments.

### Income from self-employment:

Form F11 Return Summary for the 2 previous relevant tax years or such documentation that satisfies the housing authority as to the nature and amount of income involved.

### Payments made by the Department of Social Protection:

### A. The following payments will be now considered as primary source of income:

- The Widow's, Widower's, Surviving Civil Partner's (Contributory and Non-Contributory) Pension,
- Blind Pension,
- Invalidity Pension, and Disability Allowance.

### B. The following payments will now be considered as a secondary source of income:

- Working Family Payment, (old FIS)
- Age 80 (Pension) increase, and
- Rural Social Scheme.

Income from social welfare payments (including pensions) by the Department of Social Protection, <u>will only be reckonable where these payments constitute a secondary source of income</u>, i.e. a social welfare payment to a tenant in receipt of income from employment is reckonable income, as is a social welfare payment to the spouse, civil partner or cohabitant of a tenant in employment, whether or not that payment is in addition to employment income of that spouse, civil partner or cohabitant.

### Rental income from land or property:

a copy of accounts or a statement of rental income

### Interest on savings, investments or dividends:

a statement from the financial institution or other provider, detailing the amount paid;

### A pension other than a pension paid by the Department of Social Protection:

a document issued by the body involved, detailing the payments made;

### Maintenance payments received:

the Court Order, formal or informal maintenance arrangement or agreement, or solicitor's statement, detailing the amount and frequency and end-date of payments, and documentary evidence that the required payments are being made in accordance with the order, arrangement, agreement or statement concerned.

### Income from any other source:

documentary evidence from the appropriate person or body involved, detailing the source and nature of the income and the amount paid.

### Appendix 2 — Income Disregards

Income from the following sources is **NOT** reckonable under the scheme and is not included in determining a tenant's gross income:

- (a) Child Benefit;
- (b) Carer's Allowance, Carer's Benefit and Half- (z) Rate Carer's Benefit
- (c) Income earned by children
- (d) Guardian's Payment
- (e) Exceptional Needs Payments
- (f) Diet Supplement
- (g) National Fuel Scheme
- (h) Respite Care Grant
- (i) Prescribed Relative Allowance
- (j) Living Alone (Pension) Allowance
- (k) Age 80 (Pension) Allowance
- (I) Jobs Bridge, the National Internship Scheme
- (m) Domiciliary Care Allowance
- (n) Tús (Community Work Placement Initiative)
- (o) Back to Education Allowance
- (p) Gateway (Local Authority Activation Scheme)
- (q) Rural Social Scheme
- (r) Community Employment Programme
- (s) Fostering Allowance
- (t) Blind Welfare Allowance
- (u) Back to Work Family Dividend
- (v) Boarding-Out Payments
- (w) Student grants and scholarship schemes
- (x) Home Tuition Scheme

- (y) Youthreach training allowance
- (z) Payments by charitable organisations, one of the functions of which is to assist persons in need by making grants of money to them
- (aa) Payments made by another EU Member State that correspond to Child Benefit
- (bb) Rehabilitation training allowances.

## Other benefits disregarded effective from 29th January 2024

- Constant Attendance Allowance,
- Household Benefits Package (including Electricity and Gas Allowance),
- Telephone Allowance,
- Increase for living on a Specified Island,
- Payments under Medical Care Scheme,
- Disablement Benefit,
- Training Support Grant,
- Back to School Clothing and Footwear Allowance,
- Humanitarian Assistance Scheme,
- Funeral Grant,
- Community Service Programme,
- Work Placement Experience Programme,
- Payments in respect of education or training courses,
- Mobility Allowance, and
- Income earned by children.

### Appendix 3 — Applicable Offences under the Criminal Justice (Public Order) Act 1994

Section 5: Disorderly conduct in a public place

Section 6: Threatening, abusive or insulting behaviour in a public place

Section 7: Distribution or display in a public place of material which is threatening, abusive, insulting or obscene

Section 14: Riot

Section 15: Violent disorder, or

Section 19: Assault or obstruction of a peace officer or emergency services personnel

### Appendix 4 — Applicable Statutory Provisions

Sections 3, 3A or 4 Housing (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1997: Subject of an excluding order or interim excluding order,

Section 257D of the Children Act 2001 (No. 24 of 2001): Subject of a behaviour order, or

Section 115 of the Criminal Justice Act 2006 (No. 26 of 2006): Subject of a civil order.