Appendix 2 – Indicative Decision Matrix

ROTHERHAM METROPOLITAN BOROUGH COUNCIL STRATEGIC ACQUISITION VIABILITY MODEL

General information

Homeowner name:	
Address:	
Postcode:	
Electoral Ward:	
Number of bedrooms / House type:	
Type of acquisition:	
Date offered:	
Decision required by* :	

^{*}The Council has 8 weeks to accept the offer of a former Council home through Right of First Refusal (ROFR). Where the property offered is a ROFR, please enter the date 8 weeks after receiving complete Offer Notice from the homeowner.

Questions where an answer will prevent an acquisition:	
Does the property have a sitting tenant?	If yes - do not progress
Does the owner wish to stay in the property and rent from the Council?	If yes - do not progress
Is the property shared ownership?	If yes - do not progress
Is the property freehold?	See next question
Does the property have a district heating system that is not the Council's district heating system?	If yes - do not progress
If no, is the property a flat in a building owned by the Council?	If no - do not progress
If yes, how many other flats in the block are leased?	If all other flats in the block are leased, do not progress
Is the property of a traditional construction type?	If no - do not progress
Is the property in ownership of the person offering the property, or has probate been granted if not?	If no - do not progress
If not progressed, date decision made:	
Is the property a former Council home?	
Are there any adaptations or extensions for disability?	
Is there a parlour room (separate living room and dining room) or downstairs bedroom?	
Surveyors report - any issues, advice and recommendations	

Housing Needs Assessment	
Does the property meet a strategic priority? 1 bedroomed 4+ bedroomed	
Demand Average number of bids for this type of home (Ward) Average number of bids for this type of home (Rotherham)	
Stock Number of this type of home in area Number of this type of home in Ward Turnover of this type of home in area Turnover of this type of home in Ward	
RTB Number of RTB sales in the Ward	
Recent delivery Number of homes delivered since Jan 2018 in the Ward Number of this type of home delivered since Jan 2018 in the Ward	
Forecasted delivery Number of homes forecasted for delivery in the Ward	

Finance (under development)		
Valuation of property:		
Cost to bring property to EPC		
C & Decent Homes standard:		
Cost of acquisition (inc. legal,		
survey, admin)		
Any RTB discount repayment		
period to deduct?		
Total cost:		
Value for money?		

Value for money to be calculated from the total cost of acquisition in comparison to the equivalent Council build cost (10pts) for this type of home AND cost compared to the approved budget per property.

Decision making

Is the property of the required standard?	
Does the property meet strategic housing need?	
Does the property represent value for money?	
Decision:	
Date sent to SHAD SMT for approval:	
Date approved	
Date sent to *delegated decision maker*	
Date approved	
Date sent to *asset management/development coordinator*	