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### CHARTERED SURVEYORS

# 5 Bank Street Ashford, Kent TN23 1BX

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### **INCENTIVES AVAILABLE**

### **TOWN CENTRE LOCK-UP RETAIL PREMISES**

## **TO LET**

- 485 sq.ft.
- Newly refurbished retail unit
- New lease available
- Town Centre location
- Planning permission for extra glazed frontage if required.

### Rent Sought: £14,000 per annum

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These property particulars are believed to be a fair description of the property, but are provided as a guide only and are not intended to form part of a contract. All measurements and dimensions are approximate. Any reference to service installations or appliances is intended to be descriptive only and no tests have been carried out by us.

#### LOCATION

No 5 Bank Street is on the eastern side of Bank Street, mid-way between the junctions with Tufton Street and the High Street in the heart of Ashford town centre.

Ashford, one of Kent's designated growth centres, currently has a population of approximately 75,000 inhabitants and is set to grow substantially in the next 20 years. The town is centrally located within the county, benefitting from a fine communications network via the A20/M20 and five mainline railways. Ashford International Passenger station gives direct access to northern continental Europe via Eurostar and London is some 38 minutes distant via HS-1.

#### DESCRIPTION

5 Bank Street is a ground floor lock-up premises within a four-storey building built we believe in the late 1800s, comprising a little under 500 sq.ft. of accommodation complete with WC and kitchen facilities. The lock-up unit has recently been refurbished following the re-development of the former office building and is suitable for a variety of uses, having an "E" planning consent. These include the former "A1/A2 and A3" uses. The shop has been completed with a shell specification and is now ready for fit-out.

#### ACCOMMODATION

Ground floor lock-up shop: Plus WC

#### SERVICES

Mains water and electricity are connected to the premises.

#### **BUSINESS RATES**

The property is awaiting re-assessment upon first occupation, the uniform business rate multiplier for the current year being 49.9p.



#### TERMS

The premises are available by way of a new fully repairing and insuring lease, the terms of which are negotiable however, rent in the order of £14,000 per annum is being sought.

#### **INCENTIVES**

To reflect the "shell" nature of this retail unit the Landlord is willing to grant an attractive "rent free period" to permit the tenant to fit out the premises; ask agent for full details.

#### LEGAL COSTS

The ingoing tenant to be responsible for both parties' reasonable legal costs in the transaction.

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#### **ENERGY PERFORMANCE CERTIFICATE**

The premises were assessed in February 2023 as having an Energy Efficiency Rating of 34 (Band B) Certificate and Report can be viewed at <a href="https://find-energy-certificate.digital.communities.gov.uk/">https://find-energy-certificate.digital.communities.gov.uk/</a>

#### VIEWING

Strictly by appointment through Stafford Perkins. Tel: 01233 613900

#### ANTI MONEY LAUNDERING REGULATIONS

In order to comply with Anti-Money Laundering Regulations, we are required to obtain proof of identity for tenants.

