# GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR VALUATION REPORTS

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#### 1 Scope of the valuation report

- 1.1 The object of the valuation covers, in the valuation report, the real property or the equivalent stated, with appurtenant rights and obligations in the form of easements, rights of way, community association and other rights or obligations stated in extracts from the Land Register (Sw. Fastighetsregistret/ The Real Property Register) pertaining to the object of the valuation.
- 1.2 The valuation report also covers, where applicable, fixtures and fittings of the property and fixtures and fittings of the building relating to the object of the valuation, however not industrial fixtures and fittings to an extent other than as set forth in the report.
- 1.3 Registered rights in respect of the property have been verified by means of an extract from the Land Register. Since the information obtained from the Land Register has been assumed to be accurate and complete, no further investigation has been conducted of the legal relations and rights of use. Legal relations beyond those set forth in the Land Register have only been taken into account to the extent information thereon has been provided in writing by the client/owner or his representative. Other than as set forth in extracts from the Land Register and information provided by the client/owner or his representative, it has been assumed that the object of the valuation is not encumbered by any unregistered easements, right of use agreements or any other agreements which limit, in any respect, the property owner's right to use the property and that the object of the valuation is not encumbered by onerous expenses, fees or other encumbrances. It has also been assumed that the object of the valuation is, in no respect, the subject of a dispute.

# 2 Assumptions for the valuation report

- 2.1 The information included in the valuation report has been obtained from sources which are deemed to be reliable. All information obtained from the client/owner or his representative and any holders of rights of use has been assumed to be accurate. The information has only been verified through a general assessment of reasonableness. In addition, it has been assumed that no information of relevance to the valuation opinion has been omitted by the client/owner or his representative.
- 2.2 The land areas which form the basis of the valuation have been obtained from the client/owner or his representative. The valuer has relied on these land areas and has not measured them on site or on drawings, but the areas have been verified by means of an assessment of reasonableness. The areas have been assumed to be measured in accordance with the "Swedish Standards" applicable from time to time.
- 2.3 As regards tenancies and leasehold conditions relating to land or other rights of use, the valuation opinion has, where applicable, been based on applicable leases of property and leases of land, and other rights of use agreements. Copies of these, or other documents, indicating relevant terms and conditions have been obtained from the client/owner or his representative.
- 2.4 It has been assumed that the object of the valuation complies with all requisite requirements from public authorities and terms and conditions applicable to the property, such as plans, etc., and has obtained all requisite permits from public authorities for its use in the manner stated in the report.

### 3 Environmental matters

3.1 The valuation opinion is conditional on land or buildings relating to the object of the valuation not being in need of an environmental clean-up and there being no form of environmental encumbrance. 3.2 In light of the provisions of 3.1, the valuer shall not be liable for any loss incurred by the client or a third party as a consequence of the inaccuracy of the valuation opinion due to the object of the valuation being in need of an environmental clean-up or there being any form of environmental encumbrance.

#### 4 Inspection, technical condition

- 4.1 The physical condition of the facilities (buildings, etc.) as described in the report is based on an overall ocular inspection. The inspection conducted has not been of such a nature as to satisfy the seller's duty of disclosure or the buyer's duty to investigate pursuant to Chapter 4, Section 19 of the Land Law Code (Sw. Jordabalken SFS 1970:994/Code of Land Laws). The object of the valuation is assumed to be in a condition and to be of the standard which the ocular inspection indicated at the time of the inspection.
- 4.2 The valuer assumes no liability whatsoever for any latent defects or circumstances which are not obvious on the property, under the ground or in the building and which might affect the value. No liability is assumed for:
  - any matter which would require specialist expertise or special knowledge to discover;
  - the functionality (freedom from defects) and/or the condition of fixtures of buildings, mechanical equipment, pipes or electrical components.

#### 5 Liability

- 5.1 Any claims for damages arising from proven loss arising from any error in the valuation report must be made within one year from the date of the valuation (the date on which the valuation is signed).
- 5.2 The maximum amount of damages which may be payable for proven loss arising from an error in the valuation report is 25 times the price base amount at the date of the valuation.

## 6 Validity of the valuation report

- 6.1 Depending on whether the factors influencing the market value of the object of the valuation change, the valuation opinion referred to in the report is only valid at the date of the valuation subject to the assumptions and reservations set forth in the report.
- 6.2 Future incoming payments and outgoing payments and growth in value as declared in the report, where applicable, have been made based on a scenario which, in the opinion of the valuer, reflects the future projections of the property market. The valuation opinion does not constitute any undertaking as regards actual future growth in cash flow and growth in value.

# 7 Use of the valuation report

- 7.1 The content of the valuation report and its appendices is the property of the client and shall be used in its entirety for the purpose set forth in the report.
- 7.2 Where the valuation report is used for legal matters, the valuer shall only be liable for direct and indirect loss which may effect the client provided that the report is used in accordance with 7.1. The valuer shall have no liability whatsoever for any loss incurred by any third party as a consequence of such third party having used the valuation report or information provided therein.
- 7.3 Prior to the valuation report or parts thereof being reproduced or referred to in any other written document, the valuation company must approve the content and the manner in which the report is to be referred to.