PROMINENT RETAIL INVESTMENT FOR SALE

16-18 High Street, Rugby, Warwickshire, CV21 3BG









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LOCATION

Rugby is a market town in north east Warwickshire, close to the M6 motorway. The town has an estimated population of 70,628. The property is located on High Street, which is a popular retail pitch on the south side of the town centre. There is rear access off Little Church Street, which is accessed off Hillmorton Road/Lawrence Street (A428).

Surrounding retail occupiers include Holland & Barratt, Specsavers, Nationwide Building Society and Pizza Express. Rugby school is in close proximity.

DESCRIPTION

The property is a substantial mid terraced building arranged over predominantly two floors with a front three storey section. The front section is of solid brick construction with a pitched element, whilst the balance of the property is of relatively modern cavity brick construction under a flat roof system. The property is currently used for retail purposes at ground floor level with a self contained first floor nightclub.

There is a conventional retail façade at ground floor level with access to the shop, which is occupied by British Heart Foundation. There is a substantial retail area with rear stores and loading doors, with a secure rear service yard area.

There is a separate access to the nightclub on the left hand side of the property. The nightclub is occupied by Stonegate Pub Company Limited. There are two principle trading areas with ancillary accommodation including a one bedroom manager's flat (with separate rear access).



ACCOMMODATION

The property offers the following accommodation:

	Sq Ft	Sq M
Ground Floor - Retail & Stores	9,250	859.32
First & Second Floors - Nightclub & Premises	7,567	702.97
Total	16,817	1,562.3

All areas are quoted in accordance with the RICS Code of Measuring Practice

CURRENT RATING ASSESSMENT

Charging Authority: Rugby Town Council

Rateable Value: Ground Floor - £40,750 First Floor - £29.000

We advise all applicants to make their own enquiries of the rating liability which may be subject to transitional arrangements.

EPC

Energy Rating: Ground & First Floor: C

The EPC will be valid until 21 December 2032

PRICE

£1,000,000 for the Freehold

VAT

The property is elected for VAT purposes. The property will be sold as a TOGC.

TENANCIES

Ground Floor

The ground floor is let to British Heart Foundation by virtue of a 5 year lease from 18 February 2022. There is a tenant break clause in February 2024. The current rent is £47,500 per annum. The lease provides the tenant with an effective full repairing and insuring liability.

British Heart Foundation is a registered charity and operates the biggest network of charity shops in the UK with over 700 retail outlets. Annual reports are available https://www.bhf.org.uk/what-we-do/annual-report

First Floor

The first floor is let to Stonegate Pub Company Limited by virtue of a 15 year lease from 17 December 2010. The current rent is £39,000 per annum. The lease provides the tenant with an effective full repairing and insuring liability.

Stonegate is now the largest pub company in the UK, and their portfolio now comprises of 1,289 sites within the managed division and 3,284 leased and tenanted businesses. Annual reports are available https://www.stonegategroup.co.uk/investors

PLANNING

VIEWING

Please get in touch to arrange a viewing.



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