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Category	ltem	Good	Okay	Poor	Yes	No	Notes
Siding and Paint	Condition of exterior walls?						
	Condition of foundations?						
	Condition of windows and doors?						
Windows and Doors	State of the windows?						
	State of sills?						
	Wood or steel windows?						
Budget	What can you afford?						
	Have you factored in everything such as						
Location	Do school or work locations affect options?						
Local Amenities	Gym, Library, Church, Parks, Public transport routes						
Neighbourhood	Have you done research on the area?						
Property Type	Free-standing home, secure apartment, garden, private, communal spaces						
Exterior Details	Does the home represent who we are?						
	Do we need to make changes?						
	What impression do I get from this property?						
Landscaping	Is the garden big enough?						

	Is it private and secure?			
	Do any trees need attention?			
	Is the irrigation system working?			
	Fences and gates in good repair?			
Interior Details	Condition of carpets?			
	Condition of tiles?			
	Are the windows secure?			
	Are there enough window coverings?			
Bathrooms	Are the bathrooms in good condition?			
	Are there enough bathrooms?			
	Number of bathrooms?			
	Shower and/or bath in each?			
Kitchen	Condition of kitchen?			
	Condition of Appliances?			
	Condition of Electrics?			
	Condition of Plumbing?			
	Condition of Internal cupboards?			
Heating and Cooling	Is there air conditioning?			
	If so, when was it last serviced?			
	Are there service records available?			

	Solar power, gas, or electricity to heat or cool?			
	Compliance certificate available for these appliances?			
Entomologist Certificate	Request a recent clearance certificate from a professional entomologist.			
Plumbing and Electrical	Seek professional inspection if you have concerns.			
Roofing and Guttering	Condition of roofing?			
	Condition of guttering?			
	Ask the estate agent for details on roof repairs			
Why is it on the Market?	Ask the agent - Why are the owners selling?			
What is the Local Market Doing?	Find out what is happening within your community			



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