

1.21 **"Strong Local Connection"** means a strong local connection to the relevant area and in determining whether someone has a strong local connection the Owner shall consider (in this order):

1.21.1 whether the person has met the criterion of having lived in the relevant area for 3 out of the 5 years immediately preceding the allocation of the Affordable Dwelling

1.21.2 whether the person has met the criterion of having lived in the relevant area for 6 out of the 12 months immediately preceding the allocation of the Affordable Dwelling

1.21.3 whether immediate family members have lived in the relevant area for the 5 years immediately preceding the allocation of the Affordable Dwelling

1.21.4 whether the person has permanent employment in the relevant area being permanent work with a minimum contract of 16 hours per week which has continued for the 3 months immediately preceding

the allocation of the Affordable Dwelling (such employment to include self-employment)

1.21.5 any periods of ordinary residence of such person or persons in the relevant area

1.22 **"Working Days"** means any Monday to Friday (other than bank or public holidays)