

# **Barratt Developments PLC**

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# Overview

- It has been an eventful year!
- The market fundamentals are strong
- A quick look at Barratt
- > It is a collective responsibility
- Skills and Innovation
- Quality and Service



#### 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2016



**David Cameron** 



George Osborne



Greg Clark



**Brandon Lewis** 

# The 'A' team





Theresa May



**Phillip Hammond** 



Sajid Javid

**Gavin Barwell** 



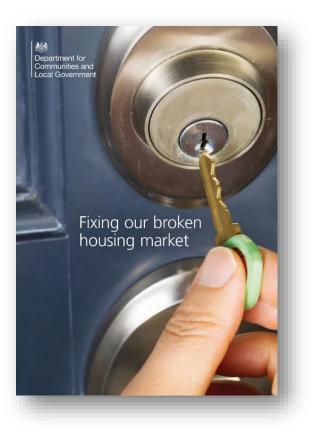


# Industry under attack?





# Housing White Paper - 6 February 2017



- Not <u>radical</u> but positive
- Measures to increase land and speed up planning
- Help to Buy reconfirmed to 2021
- Consulting not imposing



# Market fundamentals remain strong

- Demand continues to exceed supply
- Positive lending environment
- Attractive land market

#### Market fundamentals remain strong - demand continues to exceed supply





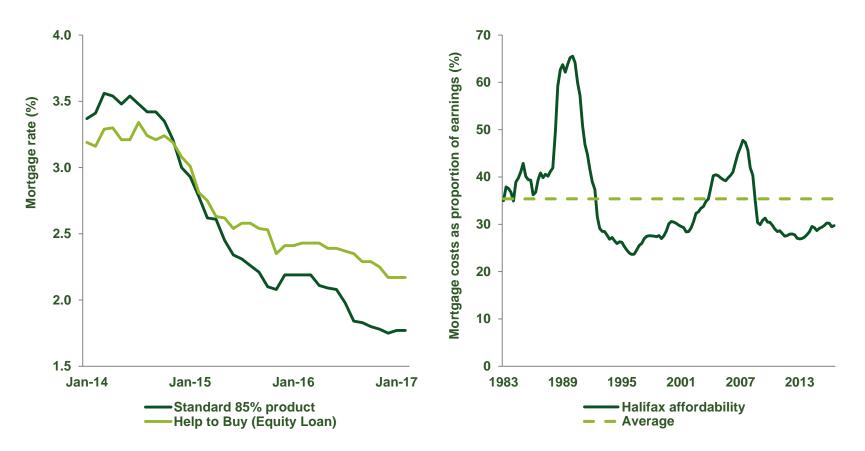
Data source: Department for Communities and Local Government. Numbers based on housing starts and projected household formation in England, for 12 months to March Note: All household formation projections are 2014-based

#### Market fundamentals remain strong – affordability is good helped by Help to Buy



Average mortgage rates<sup>(1)</sup>

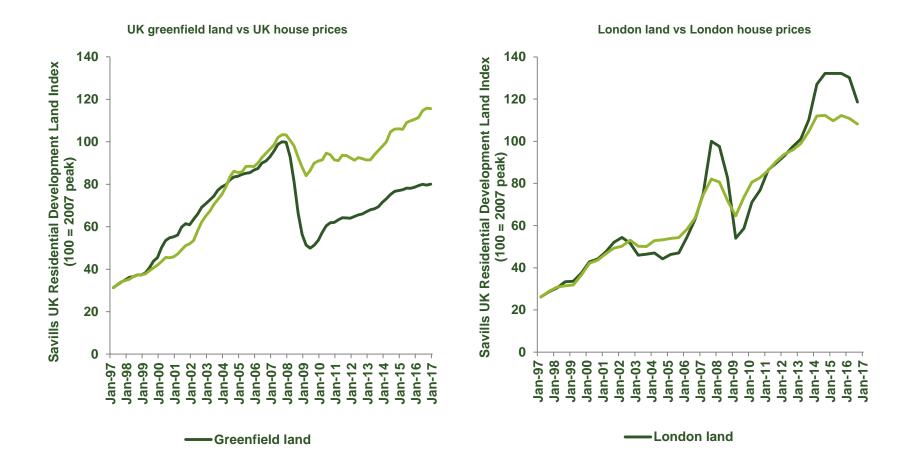
#### Halifax Mortgage Affordability Index<sup>(2)</sup>



- (1) Rates are an average from a basket of six lenders. Standard 85% product based on the best available rate with a fee not exceeding £1,000. HTB product based on the best available HTB equity share rate with no fee. Rates as at 26 January 2017
- (2) The mortgage to earnings ratio is calculated using the Halifax standardised average house price (seasonally adjusted), average disposable earnings (calculated from average earnings for all full time employees (ASHE)) and the Bank of England monthly average rate for new advances to households (CFMBJ95).

# Market fundamentals remain strong - Attractive land market





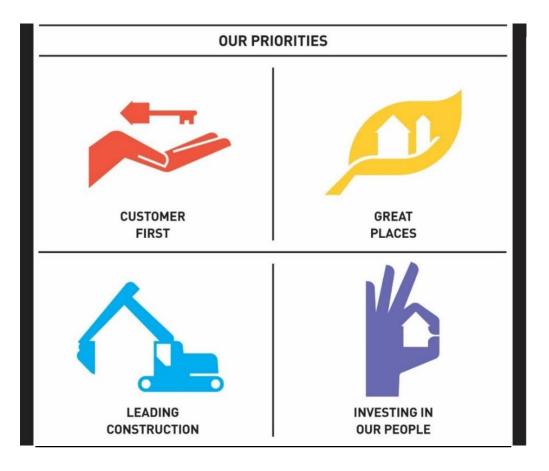




# BARRATT — london —



# Our priorities





# Our performance: operational

Customer service	Over <b>90%</b> customer recommendation (more than any other major national housebuilder for seven years in a row)	
Quality	80 NHBC Pride in the Job Awards won by our site managers (more than any other housebuilder for the twelfth year running)	<b>NHBC</b> Pride in the Job
Design	<b>40</b> Building for Life commendations (74% of all BfL awards)	BUILDING 12

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# Delivering the homes the country needs

#### We all have to take responsibility



Sajid Javid:

"The housing market in this country is broken and the solution means building many more houses in the places that people want to live."

Gavin Barwell:

"We are setting out lasting reforms that will get more of the right homes built in the right places, right now"





# We all must take responsibility

Central Government

Local Government

> Industry



# Central Government has responsibility

#### **Clarity on Help to Buy needed**

- ➢ 82% of buyers needed H2B Equity Loan
- 14-24% additionality effect of Help to Buy on newbuild supply in 2015/6
- Barratt invested >£1billion last year in land build out post 2021



# Local Government has responsibility

#### Positive and proactive local plans

- > >40% of councils do not have a local plan
- > 96 weeks from pre-application to on site
- ➤ 52 weeks from outline to on site



Industry has responsibility

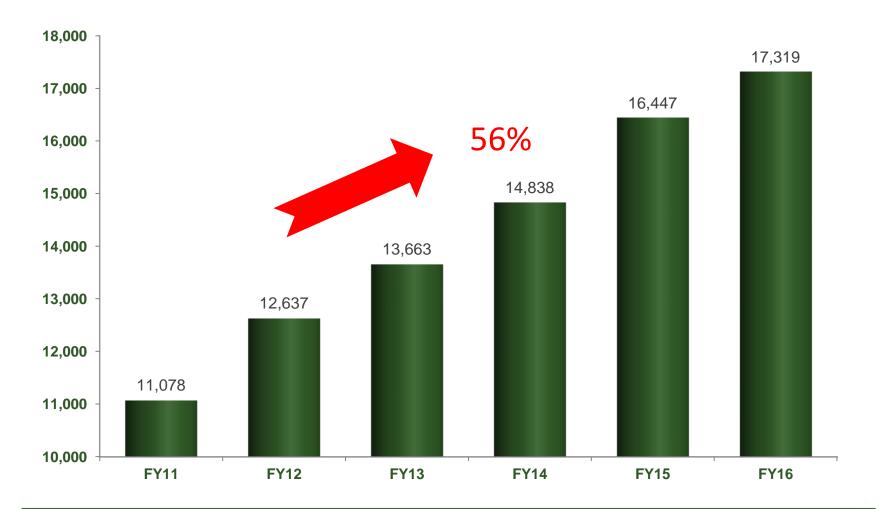
#### To build the homes the country needs:

Skills

#### Innovation

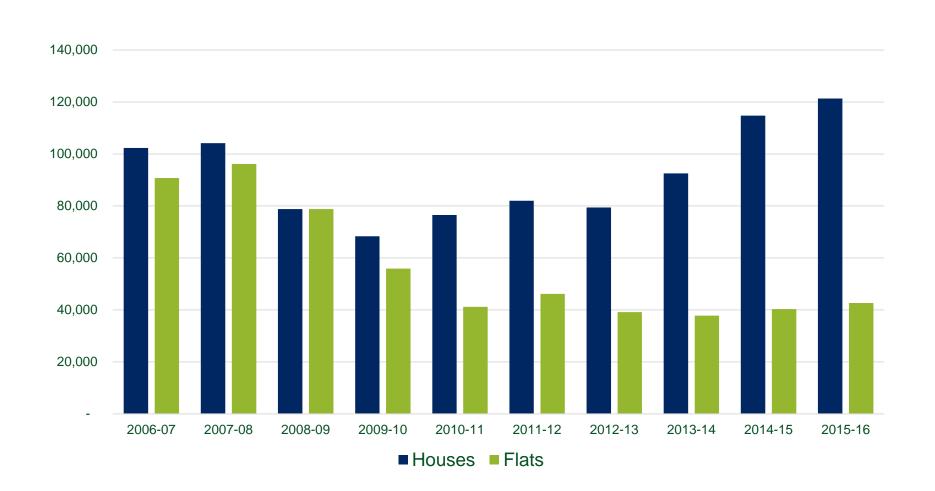


# Barratt volume growth



# It is not just about numbers







# Skills is a balancing act

#### Supply

- Future talent
- Employee retention
- Recruitment

#### Demand

- Modern Methods
- Innovation



# Government supports off-site construction

"Government will directly commission housing projects that use offsite construction through a £3bn fund in an attempt to promote innovation in the industry."



Gavin Barwell, Minister of State for Housing and Planning and Minister for London



"We will encourage new models of building to make houses that people want, more cheaply and at pace. These measures will allow us to get started on 15,000 homes by 2020. We will get more homes built, more quickly." Sajid Javid, Secretary of State for Communities and Local Government



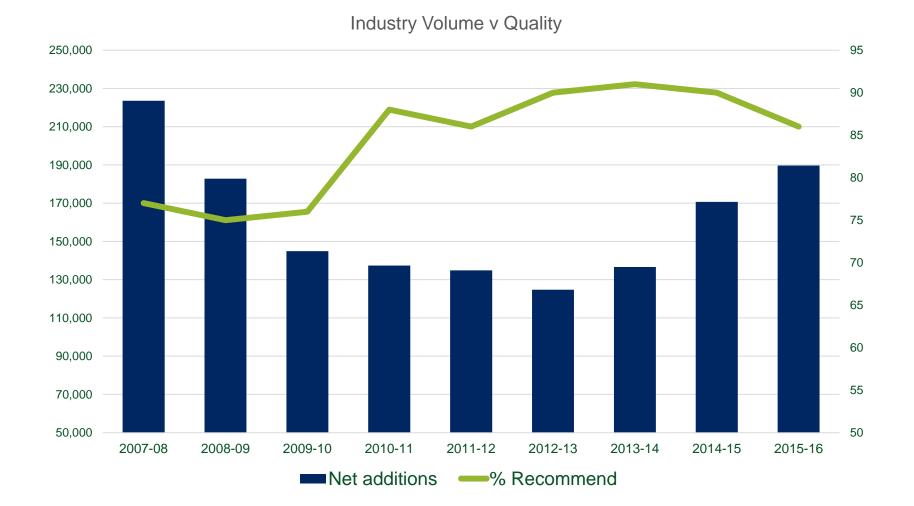
# But we must not forget Quality & Service







# The challenge



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# Quality and Service challenge

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badly?

into shoddy new builds

Families in the UK are being forced to move

theguardian .5 February 2017

THE TIMES February 4

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THE TIMES January 21 2017, A new-build may not offer a guarantee of serenity

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THE TIMES February 7 2017,

Calls for the creation of an ombudsman to protect homeowners from sub-standard new houses are intensifying after concerns emerged over the independence of the biggest warranty provider.



# In summary

The industry has a responsibility to build:

- Investing in People
- Investing in Innovation
- Investing in Quality and Service