Order under Section 69 Residential Tenancies Act, 2006

Citation: MacDonald v Mohamed, 2024 ONLTB 61333

Date: 2024-08-26

File Number: LTB-L-031262-24

In the matter of: 29, 461 BLACKBURN DR

BRANTFORD ON N3T0W9

Between: Robert Campbell MacDonald Landlord

And

Huda Muhumed Abdi Mohamed

Tenants

Osalumense Odigie Anthonia Dada

Robert Campbell MacDonald (the 'Landlord') applied for an order to terminate the tenancy and evict Huda Muhumed Abdi Mohamed, Osalumense Odigie and Anthonia Dada (the 'Tenants') because the Tenants did not pay the rent that the Tenants owe.

This application was heard by videoconference on August 12, 2024.

The Landlord, and the Landlord's Legal Representative, Keri Elliott, attended the hearing.

During the sign-in process, the Tenant, Huda Muhumed Abdi Mohamed, informed the moderator that she was pregnant and en route to an emergency appointment. The moderator explained that she could request an adjournment to address her urgent situation. Despite this option, the Tenant left the hearing without formally requesting an adjournment or notifying the moderator of her departure. Additionally, neither of the other Tenants attended the hearing.

The matter was called at 1:35 p.m., and despite being clearly aware of the hearing, the Tenants were neither present nor represented. Consequently, the hearing proceeded with only the Landlord's evidence being considered.

Determinations:

- 1. The Landlord served the Tenants with a valid Notice to End Tenancy Early for Non-payment of Rent ('N4 Notice'). The Tenants did not void the notice by paying the amount of rent arrears owing by the termination date in the N4 Notice or before the date the application was filed.
- As of the hearing date, the Tenants were still in possession of the rental unit.
- 3. The lawful rent is \$2,300.00. It is due on the 1st day of each month.

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- 4. Based on the Monthly rent, the daily rent/compensation is \$75.62. This amount is calculated as follows: \$2,300.00 x 12, divided by 365 days.
- 5. The Tenants have not made any payments since the application was filed.
- 6. The rent arrears owing to August 31, 2024 are \$18,400.00.
- 7. The Landlord incurred costs of \$186.00 for filing the application and is entitled to reimbursement of those costs.
- 8. The Landlord collected a rent deposit of \$2,300.00 from the Tenants and this deposit is still being held by the Landlord. The rent deposit can only be applied to the last rental period of the tenancy if the tenancy is terminated.
- 9. Interest on the rent deposit, in the amount of \$69.00 is owing to the Tenants for the period from June 1, 2023 to August 12, 2024.
- 10. The Landlord's representative submitted that the Landlord is unaware of any circumstances of the Tenants that would cause the termination of the tenancy to be delayed or denied. Since the Tenants did not attend the hearing to give evidence of their circumstances, I am unable to determine if any relief from eviction should be considered.
- 11. I have considered all of the disclosed circumstances in accordance with subsection 83(2) of the *Residential Tenancies Act, 2006* (the 'Act'), including whether the Landlord attempted to negotiate a repayment agreement with the Tenants and find that it would be unfair to grant relief from eviction pursuant to subsection 83(1) of the Act.

It is ordered that:

- 1. The tenancy between the Landlord and the Tenants is terminated unless the Tenants void this order.
- 2. The Tenants may void this order and continue the tenancy by paying to the Landlord or to the LTB in trust:
 - \$18,586.00 if the payment is made on or before August 31, 2024. See Schedule 1 for the calculation of the amount owing.

OR

- \$20,886.00 if the payment is made on or before September 6, 2024. See Schedule
 1 for the calculation of the amount owing.
- 3. The Tenants may also make a motion at the LTB to void this order under section 74(11) of the Act, if the Tenant has paid the full amount owing as ordered plus any additional rent that became due after September 6, 2024 but before the Court Enforcement Office (Sheriff) enforces the eviction. The Tenants may only make this motion once during the tenancy.
- 4. If the Tenants do not pay the amount required to void this order the Tenant must move out of the rental unit on or before September 6, 2024
- 5. If the Tenants do not void the order, the Tenant shall pay to the Landlord \$14,824.44. This amount includes rent arrears owing up to the date of the hearing and the cost of filing the

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application. The rent deposit and interest the Landlord owes on the rent deposit are deducted from the amount owing by the Tenants. See Schedule 1 for the calculation of the amount owing.

- 6. The Tenants shall also pay the Landlord compensation of \$75.62 per day for the use of the unit starting August 13, 2024 until the date the Tenant moves out of the unit.
- 7. If the Tenants do not pay the Landlord the full amount owing on or before September 6, 2024, the Tenants will start to owe interest. This will be simple interest calculated from September 7, 2024 at 7.00% annually on the balance outstanding.
- 8. If the unit is not vacated on or before September 6, 2024, then starting September 7, 2024, the Landlord may file this order with the Court Enforcement Office (Sheriff) so that the eviction may be enforced.
- 9. Upon receipt of this order, the Court Enforcement Office (Sheriff) is directed to give vacant possession of the unit to the Landlord on or after September 7, 2024.

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Susan Priest
Member, Landlord and Tenant Board

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If you have any questions about this order, call 416-645-8080 or toll free at 1-888-332-3234.

In accordance with section 81 of the Act, the part of this order relating to the eviction expires on March 7, 2025 if the order has not been filed on or before this date with the Court Enforcement Office (Sheriff) that has territorial jurisdiction where the rental unit is located.

Schedule 1 SUMMARY OF CALCULATIONS

A. Amount the Tenants must pay to void the eviction order and continue the tenancy if the payment is made on or before August 31, 2024

Rent Owing To August 31, 2024	\$18,400.00
Application Filing Fee	\$186.00
NSF Charges	\$0.00
Less the amount the Tenants paid to the Landlord since the application was filed	- \$0.00
Less the amount the Tenants paid into the LTB since the application was filed	- \$0.00
Total the Tenant must pay to continue the tenancy	\$18,586.00

B. Amount the Tenants must pay to void the eviction order and continue the tenancy if the payment is made on or before September 6, 2024

Rent Owing To September 30, 2024	\$20,700.00
Application Filing Fee	\$186.00
NSF Charges	\$0.00
Less the amount the Tenants paid to the Landlord since the application was filed	- \$0.00
Less the amount the Tenants paid into the LTB since the application was filed	- \$0.00
Total the Tenant must pay to continue the tenancy	\$20,886.00

C. Amount the Tenants must pay if the tenancy is terminated

Rent Owing To Hearing Date	\$17,007.44
Application Filing Fee	\$186.00
NSF Charges	\$0.00
Less the amount the Tenants paid to the Landlord since the application was filed	- \$0.00
Less the amount the Tenants paid into the LTB since the application was filed	- \$0.00
Less the amount of the last month's rent deposit	- \$2,300.00
Less the amount of the interest on the last month's rent deposit	- \$69.00
Total amount owing to the Landlord	\$14,824.44
Plus daily compensation owing for each day of occupation starting August 13, 2024	\$75.62 (per day)