

Tribunaux décisionnels Ontario

Commission de la location immobilière

Order under Section 69 Residential Tenancies Act, 2006

Citation: TerraCorp. Management Inc. v Smith, 2024 ONLTB 544

Date: 2024-01-08

File Number: LTB-L-054712-23

In the matter of: 1003, 120 BENTON ST

KITCHENER ON N2G0C7

Between: TerraCorp. Management Inc. Landlord

And

Savannah Smith Tenant

TerraCorp. Management Inc. (the 'Landlord') applied for an order to terminate the tenancy and evict Savannah Smith (the 'Tenant') because the Tenant did not pay the rent that the Tenant owes.

This application was heard by videoconference on December 5, 2023.

Only the Landlord's legal representative S. Pelton attended the hearing.

Determinations:

- 1. The Landlord served the Tenant with a valid Notice to End Tenancy Early for Non-payment of Rent (N4 Notice). The Tenant 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.
- 2. The Tenant was in possession of the rental unit on the date the application was filed.
- 3. The Tenant vacated the rental unit on July 31, 2023. Rent arrears are calculated up to the date the Tenant vacated the unit.
- 4. The lawful rent is \$1,826.53. It was due on the 1st day of each month.
- 5. The Tenant has not made any payments since the application was filed.
- 6. The rent arrears owing to July 31, 2023 are \$3,653.06.
- 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 \$1,826.53 from the Tenant and this deposit is still being held by the Landlord. The rent deposit is applied to the arrears of rent because the tenancy terminated.
- 9. Interest on the rent deposit, in the amount of \$42.91 is owing to the Tenant for the period from August 23, 2022 to July 31, 2023.

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It is ordered that:

- 1. The tenancy between the Landlord and the Tenant is terminated as of July 31, 2023, the date the Tenant moved out of the rental unit
- 2. The Tenant shall pay to the Landlord \$1,969.62. This amount includes rent arrears owing up to the date the Tenant moved out of the rental unit and the cost of filing the application. The rent deposit and interest the Landlord owes on the rent deposit is deducted from the amount owing by the Tenant. See Schedule 1 for the calculation of the amount owing.
- 3. If the Tenant does not pay the Landlord the full amount owing on or before January 19, 2024, the Tenant will start to owe interest. This will be simple interest calculated from January 20, 2024 at 7.00% annually on the balance outstanding.

| <u>January 8, 2024</u> | |
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| Date Issued | Joy Xiao |
| | 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.

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Schedule 1 SUMMARY OF CALCULATIONS

A. Amount the Tenant must pay as the tenancy is terminated

| Rent Owing To Move Out Date | \$3,653.06 |
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| Application Filing Fee | \$186.00 |
| NSF Charges | \$0.00 |
| Less the amount the Tenant paid to the Landlord since the application was filed | - \$0.00 |
| Less the amount the Tenant paid into the LTB since the application was filed | - \$0.00 |
| Less the amount of the last month's rent deposit | - \$1,826.53 |
| Less the amount of the interest on the last month's rent deposit | - \$42.91 |
| Less the amount the Landlord owes the Tenant for an {abatement/rebate} | - \$0.00 |
| Less the amount of the credit that the Tenant is entitled to | - \$0.00 |
| Total amount owing to the Landlord | \$1,969.62 |