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Order under Section 69 Residential Tenancies Act, 2006

Citation: Hazelview Property Services v Price Ryan, 2023 ONLTB 41426 Date: 2023-06-07 File Number: LTB-L-077255-22

- In the matter of: 712, 396 QUEENS AVE LONDON ON N6B1X7
- Between: Hazelview Property Services

And

Ryan Price

Tenant

Landlord

Hazelview Property Services (the 'Landlord') applied for an order to terminate the tenancy and evict Ryan Price (the 'Tenant') because the Tenant did not pay the rent that the Tenant owes.

This application was heard by videoconference on May 25, 2023.

The Landlord's Legal Representative Prarthana Bhat and the Tenant Ryan Price attended the hearing.

Determinations:

- 1. At the hearing the Landlord's Legal Representative relied on oral submissions and referred to documents to support their application. The Tenant was also given an opportunity to provide submissions and evidence.
- 2. 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.
- 3. As of the hearing date, the Tenant was still in possession of the rental unit.
- 4. The lawful rent is \$1,634.38. It is due on the 1st day of each month.
- 5. Based on the Monthly rent, the daily rent/compensation is \$53.73. This amount is calculated as follows: \$1,634.38 x 12, divided by 365 days.

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- 6. The Tenant has not made any payments since the application was filed.
- 7. The rent arrears owing to May 31, 2023 are \$16,758.80. The Tenant did not dispute this amount.
- 8. The Landlord incurred costs of \$186.00 for filing the application and is entitled to reimbursement of those costs.
- 9. The Landlord collected a rent deposit of \$1,615.00 from the Tenant 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.
- 10. Interest on the rent deposit, in the amount of \$6.08 is owing to the Tenant for the period from April 1, 2023 to May 25, 2023.

Section 83 Consideration

- 11. The Landlord sought an eviction within 11 days of this order. They stated they had discussions with the Tenant in an effort to reach a payment agreement for the rent arrears. The Tenant himself made a proposal but made no payments. The Landlord also reiterated the Tenant has made no payments to the Landlord since December of 2022.
- 12. The Tenant testified he had lost his job and fell into arrears of rent. He lives alone half of the time and the other half of the time his four year old child resides with him. He stated he has no health or disability issues.
- 13. The Tenant did not suggest a firm, predictable amount he could pay towards the rent arrears in addition to the monthly rent. I canvassed the Tenant's monthly income to determine if the tenancy was sustainable. Based on the Tenant's lack of any payments to the Landlord in the six months leading up to the hearing, and his monthly income, I was not convinced the Tenant could afford the monthly rent and a meaningful monthly payment towards the rent arrears.
- 14.1 have considered all of the disclosed circumstances in accordance with subsection 83(2) of the *Residential Tenancies Act, 2006* (the 'Act'), and find that it would be unfair to grant relief from eviction pursuant to subsection 83(1) of the Act. The termination date provides the Tenant over three weeks from the date of the hearing to obtain alternate living accommodations.

It is ordered that:

- 1. The tenancy between the Landlord and the Tenant is terminated unless the Tenant voids this order.
- 2. The Tenant may void this order and continue the tenancy by paying to the Landlord or to the LTB in trust:

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- \$18,579.18 if the payment is made on or before June 18, 2023. See Schedule 1 for the calculation of the amount owing.
- 3. The Tenant 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 June 18, 2023 but before the Court Enforcement Office (Sheriff) enforces the eviction. The Tenant may only make this motion once during the tenancy.

4. If the Tenant does not pay the amount required to void this order the Tenant must move out of the rental unit on or before June 18, 2023

- 5. If the Tenant does not void the order, the Tenant shall pay to the Landlord \$15,032.59. This amount includes rent arrears owing up to the date of the hearing and the cost of filing the application. The rent deposit and interest the Landlord owes on the rent deposit are deducted from the amount owing by the Tenant. See Schedule 1 for the calculation of the amount owing.
- 6. The Tenant shall also pay the Landlord compensation of \$53.73 per day for the use of the unit starting May 26, 2023 until the date the Tenant moves out of the unit.
- 7. If the Tenant does not pay the Landlord the full amount owing on or before June 18, 2023, the Tenant will start to owe interest. This will be simple interest calculated from June 19, 2023 at 6.00% annually on the balance outstanding.
- 8. The Landlord or the Tenant shall pay to the other any sum of money that is owed as a result of this order.
- 9. If the unit is not vacated on or before June 18, 2023, then starting June 19, 2023, the Landlord may file this order with the Court Enforcement Office (Sheriff) so that the eviction may be enforced.
- 10. 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 June 19, 2023.

June 7, 2023

Date Issued

John Cashmore Member, Landlord and Tenant Board

15 Grosvenor Street, Ground Floor Toronto ON M7A 2G6

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 December 19, 2023 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. <u>Amount the Tenant must pay to void the eviction order and continue the tenancy if</u> the payment is made on or before June 18, 2023

Rent Owing To June 30, 2023	\$18,393.18
Application Filing Fee	\$186.00
NSF Charges	\$0.00
Less the amount the Tenant paid to the Landlord since the application was filed	- \$
Less the amount the Tenant paid into the LTB since the application was filed	- \$0.00
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 the Tenant must pay to continue the tenancy	\$18,579.18
3. Amount the Tenant must pay if the tenancy is terminated	
Rent Owing To Hearing Date	\$16,467.67
Application Filing Fee	\$186.00
NSF Charges	\$0.00
Less the amount the Tenant paid to the Landlord since the application was filed	- \$
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	- \$1,615.00
Less the amount of the interest on the last month's rent deposit	- \$6.08
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	\$15,032.59
Plus daily compensation owing for each day of occupation starting	\$53.73
May 26, 2023	(per day)