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## Order under Section 69 Residential Tenancies Act, 2006

Citation: Sola Kolawole v Rachel Richards, 2023 ONLTB 39013 Date: 2023-05-19 File Number: LTB-L-067390-22

- In the matter of: 21 BUTTERWORTH RD BRAMPTON ON L7A3Y9
- Between:

Landlords

And

**Rachel Richards** 

Sola Kolawole

Deanne Eno

Tenant

Sola Kolawole and Deanne Eno (the 'Landlords') applied for an order to terminate the tenancy and evict Rachel Richards (the 'Tenant') because the Tenant did not pay the rent that the Tenant owes.

This application was heard by videoconference on May 11, 2023.

Only the Landlords and the Landlords' legal representative, Peter Balatidis, attended the hearing.

The hearing was scheduled to begin at 1:00pm. As of 1:30pm, the Tenant was not present or represented at the hearing although properly served with notice of this hearing by the LTB. There was no record of a request to adjourn the hearing. As a result, the hearing proceeded with only the Landlords' evidence.

### **Determinations:**

- 1. The Landlords served the Tenant with a valid Notice to End Tenancy Early for Nonpayment 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 February 14, 2023. Rent arrears are calculated up to the date the Tenant vacated the unit.
- 4. The lawful rent is \$2,400.00. 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 February 14, 2023, are \$16,800.00.
- 7. The Landlords incurred costs of \$186.00 for filing the application and is entitled to reimbursement of those costs.

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8. The Landlords collected a rent deposit of \$2,400.00 from the Tenant and this deposit is still being held by the Landlords. The rent deposit is applied to the arrears of rent because the tenancy terminated.

#### It is ordered that:

- 1. The tenancy between the Landlords and the Tenant was terminated as of February 14, 2023, the date the Tenant moved out of the rental unit
- 2. The Tenant shall pay to the Landlords \$14,586.00. 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 Landlords owe 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 Landlords the full amount owing on or before May 30, 2023, the Tenant will start to owe interest. This will be simple interest calculated from May 31, 2023 at 6.00% annually on the balance outstanding.

## May 19, 2023 Date Issued

Laura Hartslief Member, Landlords and Tenant Board

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#### Schedule 1 SUMMARY OF CALCULATIONS

Rent Owing To Move Out Date	\$16,800.00
Application Filing Fee	\$186.00
NSF Charges	\$0.00
Less the amount the Tenant paid to the Landlords since the application was filed	- \$0.00
Less the amount of the last month's rent deposit	- \$2,400.00
Less the amount of the interest on the last month's rent deposit	- \$0.00
Total amount owing to the Landlords	\$14,586.00

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