Tribunaux décisionnels Ontario

Commission de la location immobilière

Order under Section 69 Residential Tenancies Act, 2006

Citation: Lubberts v Tomlinson, 2023 ONLTB 25415

Date: 2023-03-08

File Number: LTB-L-045056-22

In the matter of: unit B, 752 Sherring st

Cambridge ON N3H2X4

Between: Matthew Lubberts Landlord

And

Charlene Tomlinson and Jason Tomlinson

Tenants

Matthew Lubberts (the 'Landlord') applied for an order to terminate the tenancy and evict Charlene Tomlinson and Jason Tomlinson (the 'Tenants') because the Tenants did not pay the rent that the Tenant owes.

This application was heard by videoconference on March 2, 2023.

Only the Landlord attended the hearing.

As of 10:58 a.m., the Tenants were 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 Landlord's evidence.

Determinations:

- The Landlord served the Tenants 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. As of the hearing date, the Tenants were still in possession of the rental unit.
- 3. The lawful rent is \$1,750.00. It is due on the 1st day of each month.
- 4. Based on the Monthly rent, the daily rent/compensation is \$57.53. This amount is calculated as follows: \$1,750.00 x 12, divided by 365 days.

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- 5. The Tenants have paid \$7,835.00 to the Landlord since the application was filed.
- 6. The rent arrears owing to March 31, 2023 are \$11,265.00.
- 7. The Landlord incurred costs of \$186.00 for filing the application and is entitled to reimbursement of those costs.
- 8. There is no last month's rent deposit.
- 9. I have considered all of the disclosed circumstances in accordance with subsection 83(2) of the *Residential Tenancies Act, 2006* (the 'Act'), including the impact of COVID-19 on the parties and whether the Landlord attempted to negotiate a repayment agreement with the Tenant and find that it would be unfair to grant relief from eviction pursuant to subsection 83(1) of the Act. Although the Tenants have made payments to the Landlord, the arrears owing are close to double when the application was filed and the Tenants did not attend the hearing to offer any other considerations. Further, the Landlord testified that he lowered the rent for a while to try and help the Tenants out.

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:

- \$11,451.00 if the payment is made on or before March 19, 2023. 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 March 19, 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 Tenants do not pay the amount required to void this order the Tenants must move out of the rental unit on or before March 19, 2023
- 5. If the Tenants do not void the order, the Tenants shall pay to the Landlord \$9,816.06. This amount includes rent arrears owing up to the date of the hearing and the cost of filing the application. See Schedule 1 for the calculation of the amount owing.
- 6. The Tenants shall also pay the Landlord compensation of \$57.53 per day for the use of the unit starting March 3, 2023 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 March 19, 2023, the Tenants will start to owe interest. This will be simple interest calculated from March 20, 2023 at 5.00% annually on the balance outstanding.
- 8. The Landlord or the Tenants shall pay to the other any sum of money that is owed as a result of this order.

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- 9. If the unit is not vacated on or before March 19, 2023, then starting March 20, 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 March 20, 2023.

March 8, 2023

Diane Wade

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 September 20, 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.

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Schedule 1 SUMMARY OF CALCULATIONS

A. Amount the Tenant must pay to void the eviction order and continue the tenancy if the payment is made on or before March 19, 2023

Total the Tenant must pay to continue the tenancy	\$11,451.00
Less the amount of the credit that the Tenant is entitled to	- \$0.00
an{abatement/rebate}	
Less the amount the Landlord owes the Tenant for	- \$0.00
application was filed	
Less the amount the Tenant paid into the LTB since the	- \$0.00
application was filed	
Less the amount the Tenant paid to the Landlord since the	- \$7,835.00
NSF Charges	\$0.00
Application Filing Fee	\$186.00
Rent Owing To March 31, 2023	\$19,100.00

B. Amount the Tenant must pay if the tenancy is terminated

Rent Owing To Hearing Date	\$17,465.05
Application Filing Fee	\$186.00
NSF Charges	\$0.00
Less the amount the Tenant paid to the Landlord since the application was filed	- \$7,835.00
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	- \$
Less the amount of the interest on the last month's rent deposit	- \$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 amount owing to the Landlord	\$9,816.06
Plus daily compensation owing for each day of occupation starting March 3, 2023	\$57.53 (per day)

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