

IN THE MATTER between **FORT RESOLUTION HOUSING AUTHORITY**,
Applicant, and **CHRISSY LAFFERTY**, Respondent;

AND IN THE MATTER of the **Residential Tenancies Act** R.S.N.W.T. 1988, Chapter
R-5 (the "Act");

AND IN THE MATTER of a Hearing before, **HAL LOGSDON**, Rental Officer,
regarding the rental premises at **FORT RESOLUTION, NT**.

BETWEEN:

FORT RESOLUTION HOUSING AUTHORITY

Applicant/Landlord

- and -

CHRISSY LAFFERTY

Respondent/Tenant

ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

1. Pursuant to section 41(4)(a) of the *Residential Tenancies Act*, the respondent shall pay the applicant rent arrears in the amount of four hundred sixteen dollars (\$416.00).
2. Pursuant to section 41(4)(b) of the *Residential Tenancies Act*, the respondent shall pay future rent on time.

DATED at the City of Yellowknife, in the Northwest Territories this 18th day of
December, 2002.

Hal Logsdon
Rental Officer

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REASONS FOR DECISION

Date of the Hearing: December 11, 2002

Place of the Hearing: Fort Resolution, NT via teleconference

Appearances at Hearing: Joyce Beaulieu, representing the applicant

Date of Decision: December 11, 2002

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The respondent was served with a Notice of Attendance on December 2, 2002 but failed to appear at the hearing. The hearing was held in her absence.

The applicant alleged that the respondent had breached the tenancy agreement by failing to pay rent and sought an order requiring the respondent to pay the alleged rent arrears and to pay future rent on time.

The applicant provided a copy of the tenant ledger which indicated a balance of rent owing as at September 30, 2002 of \$352. The applicant testified that since that date an additional two months rent totalling \$64 had become due and no payments had been received, bringing the balance of rent owing to \$416.

I find the respondent breached the tenancy agreement by failing to pay the lawful rent to the landlord. I find the rent arrears to be \$416. An order shall be issued requiring the respondent to pay the applicant that amount and to pay future rent on time.

Hal Logsdon
Rental Officer