IN THE MATTER between **RAE-EDZO HOUSING AUTHORITY**, Applicant, and **SANDY WASHIE**, 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 **RAE-EDZO**, **NT**.

BETWEEN:

RAE-EDZO HOUSING AUTHORITY

Applicant/Landlord

- and -

SANDY WASHIE

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 three thousand two hundred twenty two dollars and seventy seven cents (\$3222.77).
- 2. Pursuant to section 84(2) of the *Residential Tenancies Act*, the respondent may pay the arrears in monthly installments of two hundred dollars (\$200.00), the first payment being due on April 1, 2005 and payable thereafter on the first day of every month, along with the rent, until the rent arrears are paid in full.

3. 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 17th day of March, 2005.

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REASONS FOR DECISION

Date of the Hearing: March 2, 2005

Place of the Hearing: Rae-Edzo, NT

Appearances at Hearing: Bob Richardson, representing the applicant

Sandy Washie, respondent

Date of Decision: March 2, 2005

REASONS FOR DECISION

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 terminating the tenancy agreement between the parties.

The applicant provided a copy of the tenant ledger in evidence which indicated a balance of rent owing in the amount of \$3222.77.

The respondent stated that she could pay the rent in monthly installments and the parties agreed on monthly installments of \$200.

I find the respondent in breach of her obligation to pay rent and find the rent arrears to be \$3222.77. In my opinion, the tenancy should be permitted to continue provided the respondent makes payments in accordance with this order. An order shall issue requiring the respondent to pay rent arrears in the amount of \$3222.77 in installments of no less that \$200/month commencing on April 1, 2005. The monthly installments shall be made every month on the first day, along with the rent, until the rent arrears are paid in full. The order shall also require the respondent to pay the monthly rent on time.

Should the respondent fail to make payments of rent or arrears in accordance with this order, the

applicant may file a future application, seeking the lump sum payment of any balance and termination of the tenancy agreement.

Hal Logsdon Rental Officer