IN THE MATTER between **YELLOWKNIVES DENE FIRST NATION HOUSING DIVISION**, Applicant, and **ARCHIE SANGRIS**, Respondent;

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

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

BETWEEN:

YELLOWKNIVES DENE FIRST NATION HOUSING DIVISION

Applicant/Landlord

- and -

ARCHIE SANGRIS

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 sixteen thousand six hundred seventeen dollars and twenty one cents (\$16,617.21).
- 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 15th day of February, 2012.

Hal Logsdon Rental Officer

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REASONS FOR DECISION

Date of the Hearing:	February 3, 2012
Place of the Hearing:	Yellowknife, NT
<u>Appearances at Hearing</u> :	Rose Black, representing the applicant Archie Sangris, respondent Violet Sangris, assisting the respondent
Date of Decision:	February 3, 2012

REASONS FOR DECISION

The applicant alleged that the respondent had breached the tenancy agreement by failing to pay rent. The applicant sought an order requiring the respondent to pay the alleged rent arrears. The applicant withdrew their request to terminate the tenancy agreement between the parties. The premises are subsidized public housing.

The applicant provided a copy of the tenant ledger which indicated a balance of rent owing as at January 24, 2012 in the amount of \$14,888.21. The applicant stated that since that date the February, 2012 rent of \$1729 had come due bringing the balance owing to \$16,617.21. The applicant stated that all of the rent had been calculated based on the reported household income in accordance with the rent scale.

The respondent did not dispute the allegations.

I find the respondent in breach of his obligation to pay rent and find the rent arrears to be \$16,617.21. An order shall issue requiring the respondent to pay the applicant rent arrears in the amount of \$16,617.21 and to pay future rent on time.

Hal Logsdon Rental Officer