

IN THE MATTER between **NPR LIMITED PARTNERSHIP**, Applicant, and  
**HEATHER BISHOP**, 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 **YELLOWKNIFE, NT** .

BETWEEN:

**NPR LIMITED PARTNERSHIP**

Applicant/Landlord

- and -

**HEATHER BISHOP**

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 two thousand six hundred thirty nine dollars and eighty three cents (\$2639.83).
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 7<sup>th</sup> day of October,  
2014.

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Hal Logsdon  
Rental Officer

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**REASONS FOR DECISION**

**Date of the Hearing:** August 27, 2014

**Place of the Hearing:** Yellowknife, NT

**Appearances at Hearing:** Aya Burshan, representing the applicant

**Date of Decision:** August 27, 2014

**REASONS FOR DECISION**

The respondent was sent a Notice of Attendance by registered mail. At the time of the hearing there was no confirmation of delivery but Canada Post confirmed that a notice was left at the premises on August 12 indicating where the item could be picked up. The notice was eventually sent back to the rental office unclaimed. In my opinion, it is not unreasonable to deem the Notice of Attendance served in accordance with section 71(5) of the *Residential Tenancies Act*. The respondent failed to appear at the hearing and 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 statement of the rent account in evidence which indicated a balance of rent owing of \$2639.83.

I find the statement in order and find the respondent in breach of her obligation to pay rent. I find the rent arrears to be \$2639.83.

An order shall issue requiring the respondent to pay the applicant rent arrears of \$2639.83 and to pay future rent on time.

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Hal Logsdon  
Rental Officer