IN THE MATTER between **NORTHERN PROPERTY LIMITED PARTNERSHIP**, Applicant, and **KRISTOPHER CHATHAM**, 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 **YELLOWKNIFE**, **NT**.

BETWEEN:

NORTHERN PROPERTY LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

Applicant/Landlord

- and -

KRISTOPHER CHATHAM

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 one thousand fifteen dollars (\$1015.00).
- 2. Pursuant to sections 41(4)(c) and 83(2) of the *Residential Tenancies Act*, the tenancy agreement between the parties for the premises known as Apartment 208, 600 Gitzel Street, Yellowknife, NT shall be terminated on October 31, 2009 and the respondent shall vacate the premises on that date unless the rent arrears are paid in full.

3.	Pursuant to section 41(4)(b) of the <i>Residential Tenancies Act</i> , the respondent shall pay future rent on time.
2009.	DATED at the City of Yellowknife, in the Northwest Territories this 9th day of October,
	Hal Logsdon Rental Officer

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REASONS FOR DECISION

Date of the Hearing: October 7, 2009

Place of the Hearing: Yellowknife, NT

Appearances at Hearing: Sylvia Siemens, representing the applicant

Date of Decision: October 7, 2009

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The respondent was served with a Notice of Attendance sent by registered mail and confirmed delivered. The respondent failed to appear at the hearing and the hearing was held in his 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 terminating the tenancy agreement unless the rent arrears were paid in full on or before October 31, 2009.

The applicant provided a statement of the rent account in evidence which indicated a balance of rent owing in the amount of \$1015. The applicant stated that the security deposit had been paid in full.

I find the statement in order and find the rent arrears to be \$1015. In my opinion, there are sufficient grounds to terminate the tenancy agreement unless the rent arrears are promptly paid.

An order shall issue requiring the respondent to pay the applicant rent arrears in the amount of \$1015 and terminating the tenancy agreement on October 31, 2009 unless the rent arrears are

paid in full. Should the tenancy agreement continue, the respondent is also ordered to pay future rent on time.

Hal Logsdon Rental Officer