IN THE MATTER between **ULUKHAKTOK HOUSING ASSOCIATION**, Applicant, and **ADELE OKHEENA**, 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 **ULUKHAKTOK**, **NT**.

BETWEEN:

ULUKHAKTOK HOUSING ASSOCIATION

Applicant/Landlord

- and -

ADELE OKHEENA

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 twenty thousand three hundred twenty nine dollars and two cents (\$20,329.02).
- 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 10th day of July, 2014.

Hal Logsdon Rental Officer IN THE MATTER between **ULUKHAKTOK HOUSING ASSOCIATION**, Applicant, and **ADELE OKHEENA**, 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.

BETWEEN:

ULUKHAKTOK HOUSING ASSOCIATION

Applicant/Landlord

-and-

ADELE OKHEENA

Respondent/Tenant

REASONS FOR DECISION

Date of the Hearing: June 19, 2014

Place of the Hearing: Ulukhaktok, NT

Appearances at Hearing: Marjorie Hansen, representing the applicant (by

telephone)

Sheila Nasogaluak, representing the applicant

Sadie Joss, representing the applicant

Adele Okheena, respondent

Date of Decision: June 19, 2014

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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 to pay the

monthly rent on time. The premises are subsidized public housing.

The applicant provided copies of the tenant ledger in evidence which indicated a balance of rent

owing of \$20,328.02 but the applicant pointed out an arithmetic error of \$1. When corrected, the

correct balance is \$20,329.02. The applicant stated that all of the assessed rent had been adjusted

to the household income of the respondent.

The respondent did not dispute the allegations.

I find the respondent in breach of her obligation to pay rent and find rent arrears of \$20,329.02.

An order shall issue requiring the respondent to pay the applicant rent arrears of \$20,329.02 and

to pay future rent on time.

Hal Logsdon Rental Officer