



**Order under Section 69
Residential Tenancies Act, 2006**

File Number: LTB-L-099963-25

In the matter of: 18 MACKLIN ST.
BRANTFORD ON N3V0B2

Between: Anilkumar Kalaria Landlords
Pragnaben Kalaria

And

Rafael Francisco Caetano Tenants
Stephanie Irene Jackson

Anilkumar Kalaria and Pragnaben Kalaria (the 'Landlords') applied for an order to terminate the tenancy and evict Rafael Francisco Caetano and Stephanie Irene Jackson (the 'Tenants') because the Tenants did not pay the rent that the Tenants owe.

This application was heard by videoconference on February 5, 2026.

Only the Landlords and the Landlords' Representative, Vijayant Sood, attended the hearing.

As of 1:51 p.m., the Tenants were not present or represented at the hearing although properly served with notice of this hearing by the LTB. There was no record of a request to adjourn the hearing. As a result, the hearing proceeded with only the Landlords' evidence.

Determinations:

1. The Landlords served the Tenants with a valid Notice to End Tenancy Early for Non-payment of Rent (N4 Notice). The Tenants did not void the notice by paying the amount of rent arrears owing by the termination date in the N4 Notice or before the date the application was filed.
2. The Tenants were in possession of the rental unit on the date the application was filed.
3. The Landlords testified that they were notified by a neighbour that there were animals left alone in the rental unit, so the Landlords reached out to animal control to attend the rental unit. When the Landlords were able to connect with the Tenant, Stephanie Jackson ("SJ"), after she was contacted by animal control, SJ told the Landlords that she was coming back to get her stuff but that was it.

4. As such, I am satisfied that the Tenants vacated the rental unit on December 8, 2025, when the Landlords discovered the abandoned animals in the rental unit. Rent arrears are calculated up to the date the Tenants vacated the unit.
5. The lawful rent is \$3,000.00. It was due on the 1st day of each month.
6. The Tenants have not made any payments since the application was filed.
7. The rent arrears owing to December 8, 2025, are \$12,789.04.
8. The Landlords incurred costs of \$186.00 for filing the application and are entitled to reimbursement of those costs.
9. The Landlords collected a rent deposit of \$3,000.00 from the Tenants and this deposit is still being held by the Landlords. The rent deposit is applied to the arrears of rent because the tenancy terminated.
10. Interest on the rent deposit, in the amount of \$42.12 is owing to the Tenants for the period from May 18, 2025, to December 8, 2025.

It is ordered that:

1. The tenancy between the Landlords and the Tenants is terminated as of December 8, 2025, the date the Tenants moved out of the rental unit.
2. The Tenants shall pay to the Landlords \$9,932.92. This amount includes rent arrears owing up to the date the Tenants moved out of the rental unit and the cost of filing the application. The rent deposit and interest the Landlords owe on the rent deposit is deducted from the amount owing by the Tenants. See Schedule 1 for the calculation of the amount owing.
3. If the Tenants do not pay the Landlords the full amount owing on or before February 28, 2026, the Tenants will start to owe interest. This will be simple interest calculated from March 1, 2026, at 4.00% annually on the balance outstanding.

February 17, 2026
Date Issued

Nicole Pedron
Member, Landlord and Tenant Board

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If you have any questions about this order, call 416-645-8080 or toll free at 1-888-332-3234.

Schedule 1
SUMMARY OF CALCULATIONS

A. Amount the Tenants must pay as the tenancy is terminated

Rent Owing To Move Out Date	\$12,789.04
Application Filing Fee	\$186.00
Less the amount of the last month's rent deposit	- \$3,000.00
Less the amount of the interest on the last month's rent deposit	- \$42.12
Total amount owing to the Landlords	\$9,932.92