First-tier Tribunal – Property Chamber

File Ref No.

LON/00BG/F77/2020/0090

## Notice of the Tribunal Decision

## Rent Act 1977 Schedule 11

Address of Premises	The Tribunal members were			
10 Settles Street, London, E1 1JP	Mr Duncan Ian Jagger MRICS			
Landlord	Asuncion Properties Limited			
Tenant	Mrs Anwar Begum			
1. The fair rent is 398.00	PerWeek(excluding water rates and council tax but including any amounts in paras 3&4)			
2. The effective date is	09 October 2020			
3. The amount for services is	Nil Per			

4. The amount for fuel charges (excluding heating and lighting of common parts) not counting for rent allowance is

5. The rent is not to be registered as variable.

6. The capping provisions of the Rent Acts (Maximum Fair Rent) Order 1999 do not apply because of the 15% exemption.

7. Details (other than rent) where different from Rent Register entry

8. For information only:

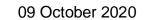
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(a) The fair rent to be registered is not limited by the Rent Acts (Maximum Fair Rent) Order 1999.

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## MAXIMUM FAIR RENT CALCULATION

LATEST RPI FIGURE X		293.3							
PREVIOUS RPI FIGURE		Y	257.1						
x	293.3	Minus Y	257.1	= <b>(A)</b>	3	6.2			
(A)	36.2	Divided by Y	257.1	= <b>(B)</b>	0.14	10801			
First application for re-registration since 1 February 1999 YES/NO									
If yes (B) plus 1.075 = (C)									
lf no (B) plus 1.05 = (C)		1.190801							
Last registered rent*		49	Multipli	Multiplied by (C) =		58.35			
*(exclusive of any variable service charge)									
Rounded up to nearest 50p = 58.50									
Variable service	charge	ΝΟ							
If YES add amou	unt for services								
MAXIMUM FAIR	RENT =	£58.50	Per		week				

## **Explanatory Note**

- 1. The calculation of the maximum fair rent, in accordance with the formula contained in the Order, is set out above.
- 2. In summary, the formula provides for the maximum fair rent to be calculated by:
  - (a) increasing the previous registered rent by the percentage change in the retail price index (the RPI) since the date of that earlier registration and
  - (b) adding a further 7.5% (if the present application was the first since 1 February 1999) or 5% (if it is a second or subsequent application since that date).

A 7.5% increase is represented, in the calculation set out above, by the addition of 1.075 to (B) and an increase of 5% is represented by the addition of 1.05 to (B).

The result is rounded up to the nearest 50 pence.

- 3. For the purposes of the calculation the latest RPI figure (x) is that published in the calendar month immediately before the month in which the Tribunal's fair rent determination was made.
- 4. The process differs where the tenancy agreement contains a variable service charge and the rent is to be registered as variable under section 71(4) of the Rent Act 1977. In such a case the

variable service charge is removed before applying the formula. When the amount determined by the application of the formula is ascertained the service charge is then added to that sum in order to produce the maximum fair rent.