First-tier Tribunal – Property Chamber

File Ref No.

LON/00AU/F77/2021/0268

Notice of the Tribunal Decision

Rent Act 1977 Schedule 11

Address of Premises	The Tribunal members were				
Flat A, 125 Huddleston Road, London, N7 0EH	Mr Charles Norman FRICS				
Landlord	Clarion Housing				
Tenant	Mr Patrick Walsh				
1. The fair rent is £100	Per(excluding water rates and council tax but including any amounts in paras 3&4)				
2. The effective date is	17 November 2021				
3. The amount for services is	Per				
. The amount for fuel charges (excluding or rent allowance is	negligible/not applicable heating and lighting of common parts) not counting				

Per

negligible/not applicable

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

6. The capping provisions of the Rent Acts (Maximum Fair Rent) Order 1999 apply (please see calculation overleaf)/ do not apply because 1st registration/15% exemption.

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

8. For information only:

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£	per	for services (variable) prescribed by the
Order.		

Chairman

Mr Charles Norman FRICS

Date of decision

17 November 2021

MAXIMUM FAIR RENT CALCULATION

LATEST RPI FIGURE		x	312						
PREVIOUS RPI FIGURE		Y	283						
x	312	Minus Y	28	3 :	= (A)	29			
(A)	29	Divided by Y	28	3 :	= (B)	0.10247			
First application for re-registration since 1 February 1999 YES/NO									
lf yes (B) plus 1.									
lf no (B) plus 1.05 = (C)		1.15247							
Last registered rent*		97.20		Multiplied by (C) =		112.02			
*(exclusive of any variable service charge)									
Rounded up to nearest 50p =		112.50							
Variable service	charge	YES / NO							
If YES add amount for services									
MAXIMUM FAIR RENT =		£112.50		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.