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## Notice of the Tribunal Decision

## Rent Act 1977 Schedule 11

Address of Premises			The Tribunal members were		
53 Wynash Gardens, Carshalton, Surrey, SM5 3PX			Mr Mark Ta	Mr Mark Taylor MRICS	
Landlord		Fleetguild Limited			
Tenant		Miss B Usher			
1. The fair rent is	£735.97	Per	Calendar Month	(excluding water ra but including any a 3&4)	ates and council tax amounts in paras
2. The effective date is		16 March 2022			
3. The amount for services is		£91.47		Per	Calendar Month

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



5. The rent is to be registered as variable.

6. The capping provisions of the Rent Acts (Maximum Fair Rent) Order 1999 apply (please see calculation overleaf).

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

8. For information only:				

(a) The fair rent to be registered is the maximum fair rent as prescribed by the Rent Acts (Maximum Fair Rent) Order 1999. The rent that would otherwise have been registered was £751.47 per Calendar Month including £91.47 per Calendar Month for services (variable).

Chairman

Mr Mark Taylor

Date of decision

16<sup>th</sup> March 2022

## MAXIMUM FAIR RENT CALCULATION

LATEST RPI FIGURE		x	317.7					
PREVIOUS RPI FIGURE		Y	290.4					
x	317.7	Minus Y	290.4	] = <b>(A)</b>	27.3			
(A)	27.3	Divided by Y	290.4	= <b>(B)</b>	0.0940			
First application for re-registration since 1 February 1999 YES/NO								
If yes (B) plus 1.075 = (C)		No						
lf no (B) plus 1.05 = (C)		1.1440						
Last registered rent* *(exclusive of any variable service		563.12	Multipli	ed by (C) =	644.20			
Rounded up to nearest 50p =		£644.50						
Variable service charge		YES						
If YES add amount for services		£91.47						
MAXIMUM FAIR RENT =		£735.47		Per	Calendar Month			

## **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.