First-tier Tribunal – Property Chamber

File Ref No.

BIR/00CN/F77/2023/0035

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Notice of the Tribunal Decision

Rent Act 1977 Schedule 11

Address of Premises			The Tribunal members were				
92 Ravenhurst Road Birmingham B17 9DR		Mr N Wint FRICS Mr D Satchwell FRICS					
Landlord		BPT (R	BPT (Residential Investments) Ltd				
Tenant		Hilary A	Hilary Ann Everard				
1. The fair rent is	£152.00	Per	Week	(excluding water r but including any 3&4)	ates and council tax amounts in paras		
2. The effective date is		11 Dec	11 December 2023]		
3. The amount for services is			-	Per	-		
		not appli	cable				
4. The amount for fuel cl rent allowance is	narges (excludin	g heating ar	nd lighting of	f common parts) not o	counting for		

not applicable

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 (please see calculation overleaf).

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

8. For information only:			

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The fair rent to be registered is not limited by the Rent Acts (Maximum Fair Rent) Order 1999, because it is the below the maximum fair rent of £172.50 per week prescribed by the Order.

MAXIMUM FAIR RENT CALCULATION

LATEST RPI FIGURE		x	377.8					
PREVIOUS RPI FIGURE		Y	305.5					
x	377.8	Minus Y	305.5	= (A)	72.3			
(A)	72.3	Divided by Y	305.5	= (B)	0.2367			
First application for re-registration since 1 February 1999 NO								
lf yes (B) plus 1.075 = (C)								
lf no (B) plus 1.05 = (C)		1.05 + 2.2367 = 1.2867						
Last registered rent*		£134.00	Multipli	ed by (C) =	1.2867			
*(exclusive of any variable service charge)								
Rounded up to nearest 50p =		£172.42						
Variable service charge		NO						
If YES add amount for services								
MAXIMUM FAIR RENT =		£172.50	Pe	er	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.