Notice in terms of Section 28A(5) of a Decision to Assist the Landlord under Section 28A(3) of the Housing (Scotland) Act 2006 ("The Act")

Ref: FTS/HPC/RE/21/1718

HOUSE AT: 13 Mayfield Court,

Armadale,

West Lothian, EH48 2JN

TENANT: Miss Nicola Leslie

LANDLORD: Mr Gordon Graham,

15 Andrew Avenue,

Boghall,

West Lothian, EH48 1JN

LANDLORD'S Lothian Homes,

REPRESENTATIVE: Unit C/2, Linbar House,

> 48 North Bridge Street, Bathgate, EH48 4PP

PERSONS THE LANDLORD

(1) Mrs Isla Maree Casey, Letting Agent

INTENDS TO AUTHORISE

TO ENTER THE HOUSE:

(2) Mr Kenny Miller, Handyman

As the Member allocated to decide on the application made by the landlord for entry to the property detailed above, I have considered the application paperwork, comprising documents received between 16 July 2021 and 10 August 2021.

I have concluded that no further information is required before a decision in terms of Section 28A(3) of the Act can be made. I have decided to assist the landlord in exercising his right of entry to the house.

The landlord is seeking entry to the property for the purpose of:

- viewing its state and condition for the purpose of determining whether the house meets the repairing standard, and
- carrying out any work necessary to comply with the duty in Section 14(1)(b) of the Act.

I am now seeking to arrange a suitable time for the landlord to exercise his right of entry under Section 181(4).

A form is enclosed for all parties to supply suitable dates (with times, if appropriate) to me. It should be returned within 14 days beginning with the date of receipt of this notice.

If the tenant fails, or refuses, to respond within the period given above, or fails to agree a suitable date and time for the landlord to exercise his right of entry, then I may fix a date and time for the landlord to enter.

The tenant may, within the period given above, make representations in writing to me as to why it is <u>inappropriate</u> or <u>unnecessary</u> for the landlord to exercise his right of entry under section 181(4).

The tenant will receive with this notice a form to complete for the purpose of supplying representations. If representations are made by the tenant, I will consider these and advise all parties of my decision.

C Campbell

Colin M. Campbell

Member

First-tier Tribunal for Scotland (Housing and Property Chamber)

11 August 2021