In the District Court of New Zealand at North Shore Registry

CIV- 2018-044-001629

Under

the Property Law Act (2007)

In the Matter

of Breach of [Lease] Contract

Between

lan James Plowman, Nurseryman of 35 Advene Road Cockle Bay, Auckland, Company Director

**Nikau Grove Nursery Limited,** a duly incorporated company having its registered office at 35 Advene Road, Cockle Bay, 2014, New Zealand

**Helen Irene Mitchel** of 53 Smith Road, Kumeu, Auckland Retired

**Applicants** 

and;

Dennis Arthur Smith, Beneficiary of Taumarunui **Defendant** 

## Interlocutory Application on Notice to Strike-Out Proceedings and in the Alternative Seeking Security for Costs Dated 23 August 2019

Next Event Date:

Judicial Officer: Case Officer:

Norwest City Law Limited Level 1, Unit A7, 11D Factory Road Waimauku Village Centre Auckland 0812 PO Box 225,

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To: The Registrar of the District Court at North Shore

And

To: The Defendant

## This Document Notifies you that:

- 1. The Applicants, **Ian James Plowman** and **Helen Irene Mitchell** will on apply to the court for an order:
  - (a) that the application, CIV 2018-044-001629 be struck-out;

## and in the alternative

(b) the Defendant, Dennis Smith pay security for costs in relation to the proceeding **CIV 2018-044-001629** 

## 2. The grounds on which each order is sought are as follows:

- (i) the requirements of the lease have not been established;
- (ii) there was no lease or agreement to lease; hence no breach of lease;
- (iii) the Property Law Act 2007 does not apply;
- (iv) the pleading discloses no reasonable cause of action; no Landlord Tenant relationship;
- (v) the proceeding is an abuse of the court process; has filed an unmeritorious case which is frivolous and vexatious
- (vi) the Defendant is a vexatious litigant; has filed three other proceedings against the Applicant Ian Plowman and has been unsuccessful; were struck-out;
- (vii) The Defendant has taken similar step with one other Company Director arising from similar actions;
- (viii) The District Court does not have jurisdiction to deal with Property Law Act matters in relation to a Lease.
- 3. The application is made on reliance of the Property Law Act 2007, Land Transfer Act, District Court rules and Affidavit in support filed by the Applicant Ian James Plowman (First and Second Defendant) and Helen Mitchell (Third Defendant)
- 4. The Applicant is seeking costs; full indemnity costs and increased costs and security for costs.

Dated this 23rd day of August 2019

Neshia R. Holdaway
Counsel/Solicitor for the Applicants
First, Second and Third Defendants

(First, Second and Third Defendants)

This Notice is filed by Neshia R. Holdaway, Solicitor for the Applicant whose address for

service is at the offices of Norwest City Law, Level 1, Unit A7, 11D Factory Road, Waimauku Village Centre, Waimauku 0812, telephone number is (09) 411 9133.

Documents for service on the Applicant may be left at that address for service or may be:

- (a) Posted to the solicitor at PO Box 225 Kumeu 0841;
- (b) Transmitted to the solicitor by facsimile to 09 411 9233;
- (c) By email to: neshia@norwecitylaw.co.nz