

FINAL INSPECTION REPORT Under the Retirement Homes Act, 2010

Inspection Information

Date of Inspection: May 19, 2020 | **Name of Inspector:** Tania Buko

Inspection Type: Mandatory Reporting Inspection

Licensee: St. Jacobs Place Limited / 10 Water Street, St Jacobs, ON NOB 2NO (the "Licensee")

Retirement Home: St. Jacobs Place / 10 Water Street, St. Jacobs, ON NOB 2NO (the "home")

Licence Number: T0020

Purpose of Inspection

The RHRA received a report under section 75(1) of the Retirement Homes Act, 2010 (the "RHA").

NON-COMPLIANCE

1. The Licensee failed to comply with the RHA, S.O. 2010, c. 11, s. 74; Licensee's duty to respond to incidents of wrongdoing.

Specifically, the Licensee failed to comply with the following subsection(s):

- 74. Every licensee of a retirement home shall ensure that,
 - (a) every alleged, suspected or witnessed incident of the following of which the licensee knows or that is reported to the licensee is immediately investigated:
 - (i) abuse of a resident of the home by anyone,

Inspection Finding

The general manager of the home received a report of alleged and/or witnessed emotional/verbal abuse involving the Licensee towards a resident; however, the home was unable to demonstrate that the allegation was investigated.

Outcome

The Licensee has advised it has taken corrective action to achieve compliance. RHRA to confirm compliance by inspection.

2. The Licensee failed to comply with the RHA, S.O. 2010, c. 11, s. 67; Policy to promote zero tolerance.

Specifically, the Licensee failed to comply with the following subsection(s):

67. (4) Without in any way restricting the generality of the duties described in subsections (1) and (2), the

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licensee shall ensure that there is a written policy to promote zero tolerance of abuse and neglect of residents and shall ensure that the policy is complied with.

Inspection Finding

Staff received reports of and/or witnessed incidents of alleged verbal/emotional abuse by management of the home towards residents but failed to report the incidents to the RHRA as per the home's zero tolerance of abuse and neglect policy.

Outcome

The Licensee has advised it has taken corrective action to achieve compliance. RHRA to confirm compliance by inspection.

3. The Licensee failed to comply with the RHA, S.O. 2010, c. 11, s. 65; Training. The Licensee failed to comply with O. Reg. 166/11, s. 14; Staff training.

Specifically, the Licensee failed to comply with the following subsection(s):

- **65. (2)** Every licensee of a retirement home shall ensure that no staff work in the home unless they have received training in,
 - (b) the licensee's policy mentioned in subsection 67 (4) to promote zero tolerance of abuse and neglect of residents;
- **14. (1)** For the purposes of clause 65 (2) (j) of the Act, every licensee of a retirement home shall ensure that all staff who work in the home receive training in the procedure described in subsection 73 (1) of the Act for a person to complain to the licensee.

Inspection Finding

The home was unable to show evidence that the Licensee had completed training in the home's zero tolerance of abuse and neglect and complaints policies.

Outcome

The Licensee must take corrective action to achieve compliance.

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NOTICE

The Final Inspection Report is being provided to the Licensee, the Registrar of the Retirement Homes Regulatory Authority (the "RHRA") and the home's Residents' Council, if any.

Section 55 of the RHA requires that the Final Inspection Report be posted in the home in a conspicuous and easily accessible location. In addition, the Licensee must ensure that copies of every Final Inspection Report from the previous two (2) years are made available in the Home, in an easily accessible location.

The Registrar's copy of the Final Inspection Report, as it appears here, will be included on the RHRA Retirement Home Database, available online at http://www.rhra.ca/en/retirement-home-database.

Signature of Inspector	Date
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