

2020 Summary Key Findings Q1-Q4 (Quarterly & Cumulative) | Disputes

| Applicant Party | Q1 | | Q2 | | Q3 | | Q4 | | Total Q1-Q4 | |
|--------------------|-------|----------|-------|----------|-------|----------|-------|----------|-------------|----------|
| | Count | % total* | Count | % total* |
| Tenant | 808 | 55% | 607 | 63% | 825 | 57% | 773 | 59% | 3,013 | 58% |
| Landlord | 641 | 44% | 306 | 32% | 582 | 41% | 496 | 38% | 2,025 | 39% |
| Third Party | 22 | 1% | 51 | 5% | 29 | 2% | 38 | 3% | 140 | 3% |
| Total | 1,471 | | 964 | | 1,436 | | 1,307 | | 5,178 | |

| Dispute Type (All cases) | Q1 Count (% cases**) | Q2 Count (% cases**) | Q3 Count (% cases**) | Q4 Count (% cases**) | Total Q1-Q4 Count (% cases**) |
|--|----------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Rent arrears/Rent arrears and overholding | 450 (31%) | 270 (28%) | 472 (33%) | 407 (31%) | 1,599 (31%) |
| Deposit retention | 316 (21%) | 326 (34%) | 395 (28%) | 373 (29%) | 1,410 (27%) |
| Breach of landlord obligations | 284 (19%) | 216 (22%) | 269 (19%) | 242 (19%) | 1,011 (20%) |
| Validity of notice of termination (disputing the validity of a termination | 263 (18%) | 68 (7%) | 193 (13%) | 204 (16%) | 728 (14%) |
| Other*** | 209 (14%) | 127 (13%) | 174 (12%) | 162 (12%) | 672 (13%) |
| Standard and maintenance of dwelling | 167 (11%) | 92 (10%) | 131 (9%) | 146 (11%) | 536 (10%) |
| Breach of tenant obligations | 159 (11%) | 92 (10%) | 132 (9%) | 120 (9%) | 503 (10%) |
| Anti-social behaviour | 91 (6%) | 95 (10%) | 155 (11%) | 106 (8%) | 447 (9%) |
| Unlawful termination of tenancy (illegal | 84 (6%) | 93 (10%) | 117 (8%) | 79 (6%) | 373 (7%) |
| Overholding | 142 (10%) | 28 (3%) | 118 (8%) | 158 (12%) | 446 (9%) |
| Damage in excess of normal wear and tear | 79 (5%) | 45 (5%) | 90 (6%) | 72 (6%) | 286 (6%) |
| Breach of fixed term lease | 48 (3%) | 45 (5%) | 61 (4%) | 47 (4%) | 201 (4%) |
| Rent review not in line with Rent Pressure | 70 (5%) | 33 (3%) | 41 (3%) | 36 (3%) | 180 (3%) |
| Validity of notice of rent review | 73 (5%) | 21 (2%) | 49 (3%) | 33 (3%) | 176 (3%) |
| Rent more than market rate (not applicable to Approved Housing Body | 42 (3%) | 20 (2%) | 29 (2%) | 32 (2%) | 123 (2%) |
| Total | 2,477 (1,471) | 1,571 (964) | 2,426 (1,436) | 2,217 (1,307) | 8,691 (5,178) |

^{*} Due to rounding percentages may not add up to 100%.

^{**} There can be multiple reasons, referred to as dispute types, on each application for dispute resolution, % of cases is based on the number of applications (cases).

^{***} Please note 'Other' may be marked on an application form alongside additional dispute types.