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Re: Defamatory Posts re Barrie Municipal Non-Profit Housing Corporation - letter from lawyer Riley Brooks

To: Marcey Kingdon, rbrooks@hrgp.ca

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Hey Riley,

Yes, I can come in to discuss removal of some things in the posts or potentially the posts altogether.

If it's easier, Mary-Anne or someone on her behalf, could send over a list of the "unequivocally false" claims.

My evidence is mostly the word of these tenants, for the most part. In regards to the trafficked girl, I personally saw the emails of her request to be transferred and barrie housing denied her request to move her for safety reasons. I keep hearing the same things over and over again from a number of different tenants. These people are not "banning together" to come up with false claims. They're simply telling me what happened to them... when I posted about the building getting burned down, numerous tenants I don't even feed, reached out to say that what I posted was true, and they too got just under \$2000 in a furniture credit. A lot of people involved in the fundraising now want to know what happened with all the money that was raised.

One of the barrie housing staff, Ashley, stole \$175 from me personally. So yes, BMNPHC steals. I will absolutely not remove any remarks referring to them as thieves because they are thieves. Because of Ashley. The fact that this even happened is infuriating. But what can I do about it? I told so many managers and none of them cared. Ashley still gets to keep working, and still gets to keep making costly mistakes and your client's piss poor tenants still have to pay for her mistakes. When you're poor, people assume you're a liar. It sounds like that's exactly what you've assumed of me, Riley. I've learned that when you work for BMNPHC, you treat tenants worse than animals.

So please, have your client prepare a list of all the "false claims" and if any of them turn out on to be false, I'll remove the post, and apologize. I would actually feel really awful if I was spreading lies.

After writing all this, it's probably better for me to come in. I'll probably be educating Mary-Anne on how horrible some of her staff really are.... Again.

I guess there's a chance that some stories might be about Simcoe County housing tenants. If this is the case, which I'm pretty sure it's not, but if it is, I can change the wording from barrie housing to Simcoe County housing no problem. I can easily review the addresses of each tenant who told their story.

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