



1251 Americas Associates II, L.P. f/k/a 1251 AMERICAS ASSOCIATES, L.P., Petitioner-Landlord-Appellant, against Rock 49th Rest. Corp. d/b/a CITY LOBSTER & CRAB CO., Respondent-Tenant-Respondent, "JOHN DOE", "JANE DOE" and "R. DOE, INC.", 1251 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS, NEW YORK, NY 10019, Respondents.

No.570075/06

SUPREME COURT OF NEW YORK, APPELLATE TERM, FIRST DEPARTMENT

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November 29, 2006, Decided

NOTICE: [***1] THIS OPINION IS UNCORRECTED AND WILL NOT BE PUBLISHED IN THE PRINTED OFFICIAL REPORTS.

SUBSEQUENT HISTORY: Subsequent appeal at 1251 Ams. Assoc. II, L.P. v. Rock 49th Rest. Corp., 2009 N.Y. Misc. LEXIS 756 (N.Y. App. Term, Apr. 9, 2009)

DISPOSITION: Landlord appeals from an order of the Civil Court, New York County (Jose A. Padilla, Jr., J.), entered on or about June 9, 2005, which granted tenant's motion to dismiss the petition pursuant to *CPLR* 3211(a)(1) in a holdover summary proceeding.

CORE TERMS: tenant, pay rent, notice, lease, rent

HEADNOTES

[*142A] [**360] Landlord and Tenant--Rent.

JUDGES: PRESENT: McCOOE, J.P., GANGEL-JACOB, SCHOENFELD, JJ.

OPINION

Per Curiam:

Order (Jose A. Padilla, Jr., J.), entered on or about June 9, 2005, reversed, with \$ 10 costs, motion denied, petition reinstated and matter remanded to Civil Court for further proceedings.

Landlord's acceptance of tenant's tender of the April 2005 rent on April 6, 2005 did not vitiate the notice terminating the commercial tenancy as of April 5, 2005. Since the governing lease required tenant to pay rent "in advance on the first day of each calendar month," tenant was obligated to pay rent for the entire month, even though the lease was terminated as of April 5, 2005 (see Intell 157 W. 57th St. Realty v Block Travel, 2002 N.Y.

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Misc LEXIS 106, 2002 NY Slip Op 50058(U)). Nor did the brief pendency of the nonpayment [***2] proceeding - discontinued on consent on April 11, 2005 - nullify the previously served termination notice underlying the within holdover proceeding (cf. Zitomer Pharmacy v MacFarlane 64th St. Dev. Corp., 191 A.D.2d 333, 595

N.Y.S.2d 403 [1993]).

Decision Date: November 29, 2006