

Ontario Landlord Access Notice Checklist

Use this checklist to ensure your 24-hour notice complies with Ontario's Residential Tenancies Act. Proper notice helps avoid disputes, delays, or dismissals at the Landlord and Tenant Board (LTB).

■ Required Items for a Valid 24-Hour Entry Notice:

- Full legal name of the tenant(s).
- ✓ Full address of the rental unit, including unit number if applicable.
- Clear statement that this is a 24-hour notice of entry under Section 27 of the Residential Tenancies Act.
- Date of intended entry.
- ■ Time of entry (must fall between 8 AM and 8 PM).
- Reason for entry (e.g., repairs, showing the unit to prospective tenants or buyers, inspection, pest control, etc.).
- Signature or name of the landlord, property manager, or authorized agent.
- ■ ✓ Method of delivery (must be hand-delivered or posted on the unit door do not email or text).
- ✓ Ensure notice is delivered at least 24 hours before the time of entry.
- Optional: Keep a photo or copy of the posted notice for your records.

Legal Reminder: Entry without proper notice can result in fines, eviction dismissal, or legal consequences. Always document delivery of the notice and keep a copy for your file.

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