

Dispute Resolution Services

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Residential Tenancy Branch
Office of Housing and Construction Standards

DECISION

Dispute Codes OPR, MNR, MNDC, FF

Introduction

This hearing dealt with an application by the landlord for an order of possession for unpaid rent, a monetary order for unpaid rent, money owed or compensation for damage or loss and recovery of the filing fee.

The landlord participated in the conference call hearing but the tenant did not. The landlord presented evidence that the tenant was served with the application for dispute resolution and notice of hearing in person on June 25, 2011. I found that the tenant had been properly served with notice of the landlord's claim and the date and time of the hearing and the hearing proceeded in their absence.

Issue(s) to be Decided

Is the landlord entitled to any of the above under the Act.

Background and Evidence

This 1 year fixed term tenancy began May 1, 2011 with monthly rent of \$875.00 and the tenant paid a security deposit of \$437.50. On June 2, 2011 the landlord served the tenant with a 10 Day Notice to End Tenancy for Unpaid Rent.

The landlord testified that the tenant had made two payments towards the June 2011 rent and currently owed the landlord a balance of \$17.50 for June 2011. The landlord stated that the tenant had not made any payments towards the July 2011 rent and the current balance of unpaid rent and late fees owed to the landlord is \$912.50.

As the tenant has not paid the outstanding rent and still occupies the rental unit the landlord is requesting an order of possession effective 2 days after service upon the tenant.

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The landlord in this application is seeking \$912.50 compensation for unpaid rent and late fees.

<u>Analysis</u>

Based on the documentary evidence and testimony I find that the tenant was properly served with a notice to end tenancy for non-payment of rent. The tenant did not pay the outstanding rent within 5 days of receiving the notice and did not apply for dispute resolution to dispute the notice and is therefore conclusively presumed to have accepted that the tenancy ended on the effective date of the notice. Based on the above facts I find that the landlord is entitled to an order of possession and a monetary order for unpaid rent.

I find that the landlord has established a claim for \$912.50 in unpaid rent and late fees.

As the landlord has been successful in their application the landlord is entitled to recovery of the \$50.00 filing fee.

Conclusion

I find that the landlord has established a monetary claim for \$912.50 in unpaid rent and late fees. The landlord is also entitled to recovery of the \$50.00 filing fee. I grant the landlord a monetary order under section 67 for the amount of **\$962.50**.

This decision is made on authority delegated to me by the Director of the Residential Tenancy Branch under Section 9.1(1) of the Residential Tenancy Act.

Dated: July 18, 2011.	
	Residential Tenancy Branch