

Dispute Resolution Services

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Residential Tenancy Branch
Office of Housing and Construction Standards

DECISION

Dispute Codes MNDC

Introduction

This hearing dealt with an Application for Dispute Resolution by the Tenant to obtain a monetary order for money owed or compensation for damage or loss under the Act, regulation or tenancy agreement.

No one was in attendance for the applicant Tenant however the respondent Landlord appeared at the teleconference hearing.

Issue(s) to be Decided

1. Has the Tenant proven the Landlord has breached the Act and her entitlement to monetary compensation as a result of that breach?

Background and Evidence

There was no additional evidence or testimony provided in support of the Tenant's claim as no one attended on behalf of the Tenant.

<u>Analysis</u>

Section 61 of the *Residential Tenancy Act* states that upon accepting an application for dispute resolution, the director must set the matter down for a hearing and that the Director must determine if the hearing is to be oral or in writing. In this case, the hearing was scheduled for an oral teleconference hearing. In the absence of the applicant Tenant, the telephone line remained open while the phone system was monitored for ten minutes and no one on behalf of the applicant Tenant called into the hearing during

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this time. Based on the aforementioned I find that the Tenant has not presented the merits of her application and the application is dismissed.

Conclusion

I HEREBY DISMISS the Tenant's application, without leave to reapply.

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: February 07, 2012.	
	Residential Tenancy Branch