

Dispute Resolution Services

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Residential Tenancy Branch
Office of Housing and Construction Standards

DECISION

Dispute Codes OPR, MNR, FF

<u>Introduction</u>

This hearing was convened in response to an application by the Landlord pursuant to the *Residential Tenancy Act* (the "Act") for Orders as follows:

- 1. An Order of Possession Section 55:
- 2. A Monetary Order for unpaid rent Section 67; and
- 3. An Order to recover the filing fee for this application Section 72.

The Landlord and Tenant were each given full opportunity to be heard, to present evidence and to make submissions.

Preliminary Matter

At the onset of the Hearing, the Landlord withdrew its claim for an Order of Possession.

Issue(s) to be Decided

Is the Landlord entitled to the monetary amounts claimed?

Background and Evidence

The following are agreed facts: The tenancy began on November 1, 2007. Rent in the amount of \$1,250.00 is payable in advance on the first day of each month. At the outset of the tenancy, the Landlord collected a security deposit from the Tenant in the amount of \$650.00. The Tenant owes \$3,550.00 in rental arrears.

The Landlord claims \$3,550.00 plus recovery of the \$50.00 filing fee.

<u>Analysis</u>

Based on the undisputed evidence of the Parties, I find that the Landlord has established a monetary claim for \$3,550.00 in unpaid rent. The Landlord is also entitled to recovery of the \$50.00 filing fee for a total monetary amount of \$3,600.00. Setting the security deposit of \$650.00 plus interest of \$11.40 off the entitlement leaves the amount of \$2,938.60 payable by the Tenant to the Landlord.

Conclusion

I order that the Landlord retain the **deposit** and interest of \$661.40 in partial satisfaction of the claim and I grant the Landlord an order under Section 67 of the Act for the balance due of **\$2,938.60**. If necessary, this order may be filed in the Small Claims Court and enforced as an order of that Court.

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: June 19, 2012.	
	Residential Tenancy Branch