

Dispute Resolution Services

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Residential Tenancy Branch
Office of Housing and Construction Standards

DECISION

Dispute Codes:

MNDC, MND, MNSD, MNR, FF

<u>Introduction</u>

This hearing was scheduled in response to the landlord's Application for Dispute Resolution, in which the landlord has requested compensation for damage to the rental unit, damage or loss under the Act, unpaid rent, to retain the security deposit and to recover the filing fee from the tenant for the cost of this Application for Dispute Resolution.

This matter was set for hearing at 1:30 p.m. on this date. The applicant/landlord and respondent failed to attend the hearing by 1:40 p.m. The Residential Tenancy Branch Rules of Procedure, section 10.1, provides:

Commencement of the dispute resolution proceeding

The dispute resolution proceeding must commence at the scheduled time unless otherwise decided by the Dispute Resolution Officer. The Dispute Resolution Officer may conduct the dispute resolution proceeding in the absence of a party and may make a decision or dismiss the application, with or without leave to reapply.

In the absence of an appearance by either party by 1:30 p.m., this application is abandoned and dismissed with leave to reapply. This decision does not extend any legislated time limitations.

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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*.

Court and enforced as an Order of that Court.

Dated: May 22, 2013

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