



Dispute Resolution Services

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Residential Tenancy Branch
Office of Housing and Construction Standards

A matter regarding NPR Limited Partnership
and [tenant name suppressed to protect privacy]

DECISION

Dispute Codes

OPR

Introduction

This matter was conducted by way of Direct Request Proceeding, pursuant to Section 55(4) of the *Residential Tenancy Act* (the "Act"), and dealt with an Application for Dispute Resolution by the Landlord for an Order of Possession.

The Landlord submitted a signed Proof of Service of the Notice of Direct Request Proceeding which declares that on November 1, 2013, at 3:07 p.m., the Landlord served the Tenant with the Notice of Direct Request Proceeding by posting the document to the Tenant's door at the rental unit.

Based on the Landlord's written submissions, I find that the Tenant has been duly served with the Direct Request Proceeding documents for the purposes of requesting an Order of Possession.

Issue(s) to be Decided

Is the Landlord entitled to an Order of possession?

Background and Evidence

The Landlord submitted the following evidentiary material:

- A copy of the Proof of Service of the Notice of Direct Proceeding for the Tenant;
- A copy of the Proof of Service of the 10 Day Notice to End Tenancy for Unpaid Rent;
- A copy of a residential tenancy agreement which was signed by the parties on June 3, 2013, indicating a monthly rent of \$735.00 due on the first day of the month;
- A copy of the Tenant ledger; and

- A copy of a 10 Day Notice to End Tenancy for Unpaid Rent which was issued on October 16, 2013, with a stated effective vacancy date of October 26, 2013, for \$1,246.50 in unpaid rent.

Documentary evidence filed by the Landlord indicates that rent remains unpaid. The documentary evidence indicates that the Landlord served the 10 Day Notice to End Tenancy for Unpaid Rent by posting the document to the Tenant's door on October 16, 2013, at 3:07 p.m. The Proof of Service document is signed by a witness.

The Tenant did not apply to dispute the Notice to End Tenancy within five days from the date of service.

Analysis

I have reviewed all documentary evidence and accept that the Tenant was served with Notice to End Tenancy by posting the Notice to the Tenant's door on October 16, 2013. Service in this manner is deemed to be effected 3 days after posting the document, in this case October 19, 2013

I accept the evidence before me that the Tenant failed to pay the rent owed in full within the 5 days granted under Section 46 (4) of the *Act*.

Based on the foregoing, I find that the Tenant is conclusively presumed under Section 46(5) of the *Act* to have accepted that the tenancy ended on October 29, 2013.

Therefore, I find that the Landlord is entitled to an Order of Possession.

Conclusion

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 55 of the *Act*, I hereby provide the Landlord with an Order of Possession effective **two days after service** of the Order upon the Tenant. This Order may be filed in the Supreme 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: November 19, 2013

Residential Tenancy Branch

