



# Dispute Resolution Services

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Residential Tenancy Branch  
Office of Housing and Construction Standards

## **DECISION**

### **Dispute Codes**

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### **Introduction**

This hearing was convened in response to an application by the tenant, for return of their security deposit.

Both parties attended the conference call hearing and provided their submissions and their testimony and were permitted to discuss their dispute. The landlord acknowledged receiving the evidence of the tenant. The landlord acknowledged they did not send the tenant their evidence.

### **Issue(s) to be determined**

Is the tenant entitled to the monetary amount claimed?

### **Background and Evidence**

This tenancy began October 15, 2013 and ended March 30, 2014. At the outset of the tenancy the landlord collected a security deposit of \$400.00 of which the landlord retains \$250.00 after having returned \$150.00.

During the course of the hearing, the parties discussed their dispute and turned their minds to compromise. The parties reached agreement, choosing to settle this matter *for all time, in full satisfaction of the tenant's claim, and to the parties' mutual satisfaction*, on the following conditions, and at their request that I record the parties' settlement as per Section 63 of the Act as follows.

1. The tenant and landlord agree that the landlord will send the tenant **\$250.00**, no later than within 30 days of the date of this Decision.

So as to perfect this agreement, the tenant will receive a **Monetary Order** in the agreed amount owed by the landlord. If the parties act on their agreement and the landlord pays the tenant the agreed amount of \$250.00, the Monetary Order automatically becomes null and of no effect.

**Conclusion**

**I grant** the tenant a **Monetary Order** under Section 67 of the Act in the amount of **\$250.00**. The tenant is being given this Order. If the landlord does not pay the tenant the agreed amount, the tenant may serve the Order on the landlord. If necessary, the Order may be filed in Small Claims Court and enforced as an order of that Court.

**This Decision and Settlement is final and binding on both parties.**

*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: October 28, 2014

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