

Dispute Resolution Services

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Residential Tenancy Branch
Office of Housing and Construction Standards

A matter regarding WEST COAST HOME REPAIR and [tenant name suppressed to protect privacy]

DECISION

<u>Dispute Codes</u> OPR, MNR, MNSD, MNDC, FF

<u>Introduction</u>

This hearing was convened in relation to the landlord's application pursuant to the *Residential Tenancy Act* (the Act) for:

- an order of possession for unpaid rent pursuant to section 55;
- a monetary order for unpaid rent pursuant to section 67;
- authorization to retain all or a portion of the tenant's security deposit in partial satisfaction of the monetary order requested pursuant to section 38; and
- authorization to recover its filing fee for this application from the tenant pursuant to section 72.

The tenant and landlord's agent appeared. The landlord's agent is the property manager for the rental unit.

In the course of the hearing the tenant and the landlord's agent were able to reach a settlement to continue the tenancy. The landlord and tenant agreed to a series of conditions.

<u>Analysis</u>

Pursuant to section 63 of the Act, an arbitrator may assist the parties to settle their dispute and if the parties settle their dispute during the dispute resolution proceedings, the settlement may be recorded in the form of a decision or an order. During the hearing the parties discussed the issues between them, engaged in a conversation, turned their minds to compromise and achieved a resolution of their dispute.

During this hearing, the parties reached an agreement to settle their dispute under the following final and binding terms:

- 1. The landlord agreed to withdraw its application.
- 2. The landlord agreed to withdraw the 10 Day Notice.

- 3. The tenant agreed to pay to the landlord \$2,600.00 on or before 15 January 2015.
- 4. If the tenant does not meet the payments of his rental arrears as scheduled, the tenant agreed to provide possession to the landlord by one o'clock in the afternoon on 31 January 2015.

The parties agreed that these particulars comprise the full and final settlement of all aspects of the dispute for both parties.

Conclusion

The landlord's application is withdrawn. The landlord's 10 Day Notice is cancelled

The monetary order is to be used <u>only</u> if the tenant(s) does not pay \$2,600.00 to the landlord in accordance with their agreement. The landlord is provided with this order in the above terms and the landlord should serve the tenant(s) with this order so that it may enforce it in the event that the tenant(s) does not pay the outstanding rent as set out in their agreement. Should the tenant(s) fail to comply with these orders, these orders may be filed in the Small Claims Division of the Provincial Court and enforced as orders of that Court.

The attached order of possession is to be used by the landlord **only** if the tenant(s) do(es) not vacate the rental premises in accordance with their agreement. The landlord is provided with this order in the above terms and the landlord should serve the tenant(s) with this order so that it may enforce it in the event that the tenant(s) do(es) not vacate the premises by the time and date set out in their agreement. Should the tenant(s) fail to comply with this order, this order may be filed and enforced as an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

This decision is made on authority delegated to me by the Director of the Residential Tenancy Branch under subsection 9.1(1) of the Act.

Dated: December 22, 2014

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