



# Dispute Resolution Services

Residential Tenancy Branch  
Office of Housing and Construction Standards

## **DECISION**

Dispute Codes      OPR, MNR, MNDC, FF

### Introduction

Pursuant to section 58 of the *Residential Tenancy Act* ("Act"), I was designated to hear this matter. This hearing dealt with the landlords' application for:

- an Order of Possession for unpaid rent, pursuant to section 55;
- a monetary order for unpaid rent and for money owed or compensation for damage or loss under the *Act*, regulation or tenancy agreement, pursuant to section 67;
- authorization to recover the filing fee for this application from the tenants, pursuant to section 72.

While the respondent tenants attended the hearing by way of conference call, the applicant landlords did not, although I waited until 9:46 a.m. in order to enable the landlords to connect with this teleconference hearing scheduled for 9:30 a.m.

Rule 10.1 of the Rules of Procedure provides as follows:

**10.1 Commencement of the dispute resolution proceeding:** The dispute resolution proceeding must commence at the scheduled time unless otherwise decided by the Arbitrator. The Arbitrator 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 re-apply.

**In the absence of the landlords' participation in this hearing, I order the landlords' entire application dismissed without liberty to reapply.** 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: May 05, 2015

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