

Dispute Resolution Services

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Residential Tenancy Branch
Office of Housing and Construction Standards

DECISION

Dispute Codes

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Introduction

The Applicant failed to contact the telephone bridge number at the scheduled start of the hearing. The respondent was present and ready to proceed. The telephone line conference line remained open and the phone system was monitored for ten minutes. The applicant failed to appear. I then proceeded with the hearing. On the basis of the solemnly affirmed evidence presented at that hearing, a decision has been reached. All of the evidence was carefully considered.

I find that the one month Notice to End Tenancy was sufficiently served on the Tenant on June 27, 2015.

Issue(s) to be Decided

The issue to be decided is whether the tenant is entitled to an order cancelling the one month Notice to End Tenancy dated June 27, 2015

Background and Evidence

The tenancy began on June 1, 2015. The tenancy agreement provided that the tenant(s) would pay rent of \$650 per month payable on the first day of each month. The tenant(s) paid a security deposit of \$325 on June 1, 2015.

Grounds for Termination:

The Notice to End Tenancy relies on section 47(1)(e) of the Residential Tenancy Act. That section provides as follows:

Landlord's notice: cause

47 (1) A landlord may end a tenancy by giving notice to end the tenancy if one or more of the following applies:

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(e) the tenant or a person permitted on the residential property by the tenant has

engaged in illegal activity that

(ii) has adversely affected or is likely to adversely affect the quiet enjoyment, security, safety or physical well-being of another occupant of

the residential property, or

Analysis:

The tenant applicant failed to attend the hearing. As a result I ordered that her application be

dismissed without liberty to re-apply.

Order for Possession:

The Residential Tenancy Act provides that where a landlord has made an oral request for an

Order for Possession at a hearing where an arbitrator has dismissed a tenant's application to

set aside a Notice to End Tenancy, the arbitrator must grant an Order for Possession. The

landlord made this request at the hearing. As a result I granted the landlord an Order for

Possession. As the rent has been paid for September (and accepted for "use and occupation

only") I set the effective date of the Order for Possession for September 30, 2015.

The tenant must be served with this Order as soon as possible. Should the tenant fail to comply

with this Order, the landlord may register the Order with the Supreme Court of British Columbia

for enforcement.

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: September 08, 2015

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