

Dispute Resolution Services

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Residential Tenancy Branch
Office of Housing and Construction Standards

DECISION

Dispute Codes CNC, FF, O, OPC, MNR, MDSD & FF

<u>Introduction</u>

A hearing was conducted by conference call in the presence of both parties. On the basis of the solemnly affirmed evidence presented at that hearing, a decision has been reached. All of the evidence was carefully considered.

Both parties were given a full opportunity to present evidence and make submissions. Neither party requested an adjournment or a Summons to Testify. Prior to concluding the hearing both parties acknowledged they had presented all of the relevant evidence that they wished to present.

I find that the Application for Dispute Resolution/Notice of Hearing filed by each party was sufficiently served on the other. With respect to each of the applicant's claims I find as follows:

Issue(s) to be Decided

The issues to be decided are as follows:

- a. Whether the tenant is entitled to an order cancelling the one month Notice to End Tenancy dated August 17, 2015?
- b. Whether the tenant is entitled to recover the cost of he filing fee?
- c. Whether the landlord is entitled to an Order for Possession?
- d. Whether the landlord is entitled to A Monetary Order and if so how much?
- e. Whether the landlord is entitled to retain all or a portion of the security deposit/pet deposit?
- f. Whether the landlord is entitled to recover the cost of the filing fee?

Background and Evidence

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The parties entered into a tenancy agreement that provided that the tenancy would start in

December 2013. The present rent is \$975 per month payable in advance on the first day of

each month. The tenant paid a security deposit of \$487.50 at the start of the tenancy.

Settlement:

At the hearing the parties reached a settlement and they asked that I record the settlement

pursuant to section 63(2) as follows:

a. The parties mutually agree to end the tenancy on October 31, 2015.

b. The parties request the arbitrator issue an Order for Possession for October 31, 2015.

c. The tenant shall be permitted to live in the rental unit for the month of October rent free

provided the tenant vacates the rental unit with all of his belongings by October 31,

2015.

d. The parties have made an arrangement about the payment of the tenant's share of the

hydro and internet.

As a result of the settlement I granted an Order for Possession effective October 31,

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: October 08, 2015

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