

# **Dispute Resolution Services**

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Residential Tenancy Branch
Office of Housing and Construction Standards

#### **DECISION**

<u>Dispute Codes</u> OPR, MNR, MNDC, FF; CNR

### **Introduction**

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, and for money owed or compensation for damage or loss under the Act, regulation or tenancy agreement pursuant to section 67:
- authorization to retain all or a portion of the tenants' security deposit in partial satisfaction of the monetary order requested pursuant to section 38; and
- authorization to recover her filing fee for this application from the tenants pursuant to section 72.

This hearing was also convened in relation to the tenant's application for cancellation of the landlord's 10 Day Notice to End Tenancy for Unpaid Rent (the 10 Day Notice) pursuant to section 46 of the Act.

All named parties attended. In the course of the hearing the parties were able to reach an agreement that solved all issues between them.

#### <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 tenants agreed to withdraw their application.
- 2. The landlord agreed to withdraw her application.
- 3. The parties agreed that possession of the rental unit has returned to the landlord.
- 4. The tenants agreed to pay to the landlord \$1,350.00.
- 5. The tenants agreed that the landlord would retain the tenants' security deposit in the amount of \$675.00.
- 6. The tenants released the landlord from any future claims.
- 7. The landlords released the tenants from any future claims.

All parties stated they understood the terms of this agreement. The parties agreed that these particulars comprise the full and final settlement of all aspects of their disputes for both parties.

## Conclusion

The tenants' application is withdrawn. The landlord's application is withdrawn.

The monetary order is to be used if the tenant(s) do(es) not pay \$1,350.00 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 the landlord may enforce it in the event that the tenant(s) do(es) not pay the outstanding rent as set out in their agreement. Should the tenant(s) fail to comply with this order, this order may be filed in the Small Claims Division of the Provincial Court and enforced as an order of that Court.

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: November 03, 2015