



Dispute Resolution Services

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Residential Tenancy Branch
Office of Housing and Construction Standards

DECISION

Dispute Codes: MNDS; FF

Introduction and Analysis

This Hearing was scheduled to hear the Landlord's application to keep all or part of the security deposit and to recover the cost of the filing fee from the Tenant.

This application was scheduled to be heard via teleconference on December 17, 2015, at 3:00 p.m. By 3:15 p.m., neither party had signed into the teleconference.

The Residential Tenancy Branch Rules of Procedure provide that the Hearing must commence at the scheduled time unless otherwise decided by the arbitrator. The arbitrator may conduct the hearing in the absence of a party and may make a decision or dismiss the application, with or without leave to re-apply.

As neither party attended the conference, I dismiss the Landlord's application with leave to re-apply. This does not extend any existing time limits that may apply.

Conclusion

The Landlord's application is dismissed **with leave to re-apply**. This does not extend any existing time limits that may apply.

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: December 18, 2015

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