

Dispute Resolution Services

Residential Tenancy Branch Office of Housing and Construction Standards

A matter regarding WEIDNER INVESTMENTS - RIDGEVIEW VILLAGE and [tenant name suppressed to protect privacy]

DECISION

Dispute Codes MNR MNSD OPR FF

Introduction

Pursuant to the the *Residential Tenancy Act* ("the *Act*"), this hearing dealt with an application by the landlord for an order of possession for unpaid rent pursuant to section 55, a monetary order for unpaid rent pursuant to section 67 and authorization to retain the tenant's security deposit pursuant to section 38 as well as authorization to recover the filing fee from the landlord for the cost of this application pursuant to section 72.

Neither party attended at the appointed time set for the hearing. Rule 10.1 of the Rules of Procedure regarding the commencement of a hearing provides as follows:

The hearing must commence at the scheduled time unless otherwise decided by the dispute resolution officer. The dispute resolution officer 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.

Accordingly, in the absence of any evidence or submissions I order the application dismissed with liberty to reapply. I make no findings on the merits of the matter. Liberty to reapply is not an extension of any applicable limitation period.

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: January 15, 2016

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