

# **Dispute Resolution Services**

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Residential Tenancy Branch
Office of Housing and Construction Standards

# **DECISION**

#### Dispute Codes

MNSD, FF

#### Introduction

This hearing was scheduled in response to the tenants Application for Dispute Resolution, in which the tenant has requested return of the security deposit and to recover the filing fee from the landlord for the cost of this Application for Dispute Resolution.

This matter was set for hearing at 1:30 p.m. on this date. The hearing was ended at 1:41 p.m.; neither party attended.

Residential Tenancy Branch Rules of Procedure provides:

## 7.1 Commencement of the dispute resolution hearing

The dispute resolution hearing will commence at the scheduled time unless otherwise set by the arbitrator.

# 7.3 Consequences of not attending the hearing

If a party or their agent fails to attend the hearing, the arbitrator may conduct the dispute resolution hearing in the absence of that party, or dismiss the application, with or without leave to re-apply.

In the absence of an appearance of either party by 1:41 p.m. this application is abandoned and dismissed with leave to reapply within the legislated time limit.

## Conclusion

The application is dismissed with leave to reapply within the legislated time limit.

This decision is final and binding and 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: April 19, 2016	
	Residential Tenancy Branch