

# **Dispute Resolution Services**

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Residential Tenancy Branch
Office of Housing and Construction Standards

# **DECISION**

Dispute Codes OPR MNR CNR MT FF

# Introduction

This hearing was convened in response to cross-applications by the parties pursuant to the *Residential Tenancy Act* for Orders as follows:

# Landlord:

- an order of possession for failure to pay rent and utilities pursuant to section 55;
- a monetary order for unpaid rent pursuant to section 67;
- authorization to recover the filing fee for this application from the tenant pursuant to section 72.

### Tenant:

- cancellation of the landlord's 10 Day Notice to End Tenancy for unpaid rent pursuant to section 46;
- allow the tenant more time to make an application to cancel a Notice to End Tenancy

All named parties attended the hearing. During the hearing, the parties expressed an interest and were successful in resolving this dispute by mutual agreement. I agreed to assist the parties in settling their dispute in accordance with section 63 of the *Act*.

#### <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.

The parties reached an agreement to settle their dispute under the following final and binding terms:

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1. The landlord will receive an **Order of Possession** effective **1:00 p.m. on July 31, 2016**, and the landlord agrees to not enforce this Order provided the tenant pays to the landlord **\$9300.00** on or before **1:00 p.m. on July 4, 2016**. This amount represents rent

of \$2300.00 per month for the months of May, June and July 2016, \$1150.00 security

deposit, \$1150.00 pet deposit plus the \$100.00 filing fee.

2. The tenant further agrees that the landlord is entitled to a **Monetary Order** for \$7000.00 (\$9300.00 less \$2300.00 deposit) and that the enforceable portion of this order will be

reduced in accordance with any payments made to the landlord.

Each party confirmed that they understood the terms of the agreement. The parties agreed that these particulars comprise the full and final settlement of all aspects of this dispute.

This Decision and Settlement Agreement is final and binding on both parties.

<u>Conclusion</u>

Subject to the conditions described above, I grant an Order of Possession to the landlord effective 1:00 p.m. on July 31, 2016. Should the tenant(s) fail to comply with this Order, this

Order may be filed and enforced as an Order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

Pursuant to section 67 of the *Act* and subject to the conditions described above, I grant the landlord a Monetary Order in the amount of **\$7000.00**. Should the tenant 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 Section 9.1(1) of the *Residential Tenancy Act*.

Dated: June 29, 2016

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