

## **Dispute Resolution Services**

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Residential Tenancy Branch
Office of Housing and Construction Standards

## **DECISION**

Dispute Codes OPR MNR FF CNC

## Introduction

This hearing dealt with the tenant's application pursuant to the *Residential Tenancy Act* (the "*Act*") for:

- an order to the landlord to make emergency repairs to the rental unit pursuant to section 33;
- an order requiring the landlord to comply with the Act, regulation or tenancy agreement pursuant to section 62;
- authorization to recover the filing fee for this application from the landlord pursuant to section 72.

All named parties attended the hearing. During the hearing, the parties expressed an interest and were successful in resolving this dispute by mutual agreement.

## Terms of Settlement

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.

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

- 1. The landlord agrees to switch the current range hood fan that has a ventilation level of 430 CFM (cubic feet/minute) to a model with a lower CFM on or before November 30, 2016.
- 2. The tenants and landlord agree that the tenants will be entitled to a rent reduction in the amount of \$50/month if the landlord fails to comply with clause 1 above, which would continue until such time that the landlord complies.

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3. The tenants agree to withdraw the other aspects of this application pending the outcome of the eviction notice given by the landlord to the tenant below.

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.

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: November 23, 2016	
	Residential Tenancy Branch