

Dispute Resolution Services

Residential Tenancy Branch Office of Housing and Construction Standards

DECISION

Dispute Codes OPL MNR MNSD FF

Introduction

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

- an order of possession for landlord's use of property pursuant to section 55;
- a monetary order for unpaid rent pursuant to section 67;
- authorization to retain all or a portion of the tenant's security deposit in partial satisfaction of the monetary order requested, pursuant to section 38; and
- authorization to recover the filing fee for this application 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 parties agree that the tenant is in rent arrears in the amount of \$850.00.
- 2. The tenant agrees to reimburse to the landlord the \$100.00 filing fee for this application for a total of \$950.00 owing.
- 3. The parties agree that the landlord continues to retain a security deposit in the amount of \$550.00 and this amount will be retained by the landlord in partial satisfaction of the \$950.00 outstanding.

- 4. The tenant agrees to pay to the landlord the balance of \$400.00 by cash to the landlord on or before December 8, 2016. The landlord is granted a Monetary Order for this amount and the enforceable portion of this order will be reduced in accordance with any payments made to the landlord.
- The tenant and landlord agree that this tenancy will end no later than 2:00 p.m. on December 1, 2016, and, the landlord will be granted an Order of Possession effective this date.

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.

Conclusion

I grant an Order of Possession to the landlord effective **2:00 p.m. on December 1**, **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 **\$400.00**. 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: December 01, 2016

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