

Dispute Resolution Services

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Residential Tenancy Branch
Office of Housing and Construction Standards

DECISION

Dispute Codes CNC

Introduction

The Application for Dispute Resolution filed by the Tenant seeks the following:

- a. An order to cancel the one month Notice to End Tenancy dated October 25, 2016
- b. An order to recover the cost of the filing fee.

The applicant failed to contact the telephone bridge number at the scheduled start of the hearing. The respondent was present and ready to proceed. The telephone line conference line remained open and the phone system was monitored for ten minutes. The applicant failed to appear. I then proceeded with the hearing in the absence of the applicant.

Background:

The tenancy began on July 1, 2016 when the parties entered into a one year fixed term tenancy agreement that was to end on June 30, 2017 and become month to month after that. The rent was \$1950 plus \$40 for parking per month payable in advance on the first day of each month. The landlord testified the tenant vacated the rental unit on December 10, 2016.

Grounds for Termination:

The Notice to End Tenancy identifies the following grounds:

 Breach of a material term of the tenancy agreement that was not corrected within a reasonable time after written notice to do so

Determination and Orders:

In the absence of any evidence or submissions from the applicant I order the application dismissed without liberty to reapply.

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Order for Possession:

The Residential Tenancy Act provides that where an arbitrator has dismissed a tenant's application to cancel a Notice to End Tenancy, the arbitrator must grant an Order for Possession. As a result I granted the landlord an Order for Possession.

The tenant must be served with this Order as soon as possible. Should the tenant fail to comply with this Order, the landlord may register the Order with the Supreme Court of British Columbia for enforcement.

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Dated: December 16, 2016

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