

Dispute Resolution Services

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Residential Tenancy Branch Office of Housing and Construction Standards

DECISION

Dispute Codes MNDC, OLC, LRE, LAT, FF

Introduction

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

- a monetary order for compensation for damage or loss under the *Act*, *Residential Tenancy Regulation* ("*Regulation*") or tenancy agreement, pursuant to section 67;
- an order requiring the landlord to comply with the *Act*, *Regulation* or tenancy agreement, pursuant to section 62;
- an order to suspend or set conditions on the landlord's right to enter the rental unit, pursuant to section 70;
- authorization to change the locks to the rental unit, pursuant to section 70; and
- authorization to recover the filing fee for this application, pursuant to section 72.

While the respondent landlord attended the hearing by way of conference call, the applicant tenant did not, although I waited until 11:13 a.m. in order to enable the tenant to connect with this hearing scheduled for 11:00 a.m.

Rule 7.3 of the RTB Rules of Procedure provides as follows:

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 any appearance by the tenant, I order the tenant's entire application dismissed without leave to reapply. 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 01, 2017

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