

Dispute Resolution Services

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Residential Tenancy Branch
Office of Housing and Construction Standards

DECISION

Dispute Codes: CNC

Introduction

This hearing dealt with an application by the tenant for an order to set aside a notice to end tenancy for cause. Both parties attended the hearing and had opportunity to be heard.

The parties acknowledged receipt of evidence submitted by the other and gave affirmed testimony.

Issue to be Decided

Does the landlord have grounds to end this tenancy?

Background and Evidence

The tenancy began in February 2016. The current monthly rent is \$810.00. On October 27, 2017, the landlord served the tenant with a notice to end tenancy for cause. The tenant disputed the notice in a timely manner.

The reasons for the notice were discussed at length. During the hearing the parties engaged in a conversation, turned their minds to compromise and achieved a resolution of their dispute.

<u>Analysis</u>

Pursuant to Section 63 of the *Residential Tenancy Act*, the Arbitrator may assist the parties 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.

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During this hearing, the parties reached an agreement to settle their dispute under the following terms.

- The tenant agreed to move out by 1:00 pm on March 31, 2018.
- The landlord agreed to extend the tenancy up to 1:00 pm on March 31, 2018. An order of possession will be issued in favour of the landlord effective this date.
- Both parties acknowledged that they understood and agreed with the above terms of their agreement.

Pursuant to section 55 I am issuing a formal order of possession effective by 1:00 pm on March 31, 2018. The Order may be filed in the Supreme Court for enforcement.

The tenant would be wise to refrain from causing disturbances and attracting the attention of the police. I find it timely to put the tenant on notice that, if such behaviours were to occur again in the future and another notice to end tenancy issued, the record of these events would form part of the landlord's case should it again come before an Arbitrator, for consideration.

The tenant and the landlord have reached a settled agreement, as recorded above. This settlement agreement was reached in accordance with section 63 of the *Residential Tenancy Act*. The parties are bound by the terms of this agreement, as well as by the terms of their tenancy agreement and the Act. Should either party violate the terms of this settled agreement, the tenancy agreement or the Act, it is open to the other party to take steps under the Act to seek remedy.

Conclusion

I grant the landlord an order of possession effective by 1:00 pm on March 31, 2018.

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: January 19, 2018	
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