

Dispute Resolution Services

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Residential Tenancy Branch
Office of Housing and Construction Standards

DECISION

Dispute Codes MND, MNR, MNSD, FF

<u>Introduction</u>

This matter dealt with an application by the Landlords for compensation for unpaid rent, damage to the rental unit, to retain the Tenant's security deposit and to recover the filing fee.

This matter was set for hearing at 11:00 a.m. on this date. The applicant failed to attend the hearing by 11:10 a.m.

Residential Tenancy Branch Rules of Procedure, section 10.1, provides:

10.1 Commencement of the dispute resolution proceeding

The dispute resolution proceeding must commence at the scheduled time unless otherwise decided by the arbitrator. The arbitrator may conduct the dispute resolution proceeding in the absence of a party and may make a decision or dismiss the application, with or without leave to re-apply.

In the absence of an appearance by the applicant by 11:10 a.m., this application is abandoned and 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: January 22, 2018.	
	Residential Tenancy Branch