Dispute Resolution Services



Residential Tenancy Branch Office of Housing and Construction Standards

A matter regarding COMPLETE RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY MANAGEMENT LTD and [tenant name suppressed to protect privacy]

DECISION

Dispute Codes OPR, MNR, FF, CNR, OLC, LRE

Introduction

This hearing dealt with applications from both the landlord and the tenant under the *Residential Tenancy Act* (the *Act*).

The landlord applied for:

- an Order of Possession for unpaid rent pursuant to section 55;
- a monetary order for unpaid rent pursuant to section 67; and
- authorization to recover the filing fee for this application from the tenant pursuant to section 72.

The tenant applied for:

- cancellation of the landlord's 10 Day Notice to End Tenancy for Unpaid Rent (the 10 Day Notice) pursuant to section 46;
- an order that the landlord comply with the Act, regulations or tenancy agreement pursuant to section 62; and
- an order setting conditions on the landlord's right to enter the rental unit pursuant to section 70.

Both parties were represented at the hearing. The corporate landlord was represented by its agents. The tenant represented himself. Both parties were given a full opportunity to be heard, to present affirmed testimony, to make submissions and to call witnesses.

At the outset of the hearing the parties confirmed that the tenant has vacated the rental unit and the portions of the application seeking an Order of Possession or the tenant's relief are no longer necessary.

<u>Analysis</u>

Pursuant to section 63 of the *Act*, the 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. During the hearing the parties discussed the issues between them, turned their minds to compromise and achieved a resolution of their dispute.

Both parties agreed to the following final and binding settlement of all issues currently under dispute at this time:

- 1. The landlord is authorized to retain the security deposit of \$397.50 and pet damage deposit of \$397.50 for this tenancy.
- 2. The parties confirm that there are no issues with the condition of the rental unit and no subsequent applications will be made seeking a monetary award for damages or loss arising from the tenancy.
- 3. This settlement agreement constitutes a full, final and binding resolution of both applications at this hearing.

Both parties testified at the hearing that they understood and agreed to the above terms, free of any duress or coercion. The parties confirmed the tenant's address for service. Both parties testified that they understood and agreed that the above terms are legal, final, binding and enforceable, which settle all aspects of this dispute.

Conclusion

The landlord is authorized to retain the security deposit and pet damage deposit for this tenancy.

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: February 7, 2018

Residential Tenancy Branch