

Dispute Resolution Services

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Residential Tenancy Branch
Office of Housing and Construction Standards

DECISION

Dispute Codes CNR FFT OLC MNRT RR

Introduction

This hearing dealt with the tenants' application pursuant to the *Manufactured Home Park Tenancy Act* (the *Act*) for:

- cancellation of the landlords' 10 Day Notice to End Tenancy for Unpaid Rent (the 10 Day Notice) pursuant to section 39;
- a monetary order for compensation for emergency repairs under the Act,
 regulation or tenancy agreement pursuant to section 60;
- authorization to recover the filing fee for this application, pursuant to section 65;
- an order requiring the landlords to comply with the *Act*, regulation or tenancy agreement pursuant to section 55; and
- an order to allow the tenant to reduce rent for repairs, services or facilities agreed upon but not provided, pursuant to section 58

The Applicants (tenants) did not attend this hearing. The landlord LB attended the hearing and was given a full opportunity to be heard, to present evidence and to make submissions.

Rule 7.3 of the 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 evidence or submissions from the applicants, I order the tenants' entire application dismissed without liberty to reapply.

Section 48(1) of the *Act* reads as follows:

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48 (1) If a tenant makes an application for dispute resolution to dispute a landlord's notice to end a tenancy, the director must grant to the landlord

an order of possession of the rental unit if

(a) the landlord's notice to end tenancy complies with

section 45 [form and content of notice to end tenancy], and

(b) the director, during the dispute resolution proceeding,

dismisses the tenant's application or upholds the landlord's

notice.

A copy of the 10 Day Notice was not submitted in evidence for this application. As I have no way of verifying whether the landlords' 10 Day Notice complies with section 45 of the *Act* and there is no separate application from the landlords before me, I am unable to issue an Order of Possession to the landlords.

Conclusion

I dismiss the tenants' entire application for dispute resolution 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 *Manufactured Home Park Tenancy Act*.

Dated: February 21, 2018

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