

# **Dispute Resolution Services**

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Residential Tenancy Branch
Office of Housing and Construction Standards

A matter regarding Srlan Holdings Ltd and [tenant name suppressed to protect privacy]

## **DECISION**

Dispute Codes CNR, MT

### <u>Introduction</u>

I was designated to hear an application regarding the above-noted tenancy.

Neither party attended at the appointed time set for the hearing, although I waited until 9:44 A.M. to enable them to participate in this hearing scheduled for 9:30 A.M.

Rule 7.1 of the Rules of Procedure provides as follows:

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

Accordingly, in the absence of any evidence or submissions I order the application dismissed with liberty to reapply. I make no findings on the merits of the matter. Liberty to reapply is not an extension of any applicable limitation period.

#### <u>Issues to be Decided</u>

Is the tenant entitled to cancel a one month notice to end tenancy given for cause?

#### Conclusion

For the reasons set out above I order the application dismissed with liberty 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: May 22, 2018

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