# **Dispute Resolution Services**



Residential Tenancy Branch Office of Housing and Construction Standards

A matter regarding DOMUS MANAGEMENT LTD. and [tenant name suppressed to protect privacy]

# DECISION

## Dispute Codes CNC

#### Introduction

This hearing dealt with the tenant's application pursuant to the *Residential Tenancy Act* (*"Act"*) for:

 cancellation of the landlord's 1 Month Notice to End Tenancy for Cause, dated February 19, 2018 ("1 Month Notice"), pursuant to section 47.

The landlord's agent ("landlord") and the tenant attended the hearing and were each given a full opportunity to be heard, to present affirmed testimony, to make submissions, and to call witnesses. The landlord confirmed that she was the resident manager and that she had permission to speak on behalf of the landlord company named in this application, as an agent at this hearing. This hearing lasted approximately 38 minutes in order to allow both parties to negotiate a full settlement of this application.

The hearing began at 9:30 a.m. with me and the landlord present. The tenant called in late at 9:39 a.m., stating that he was dealing with a medical issue. The tenant confirmed that he was medically able to participate in the conference. I proceeded with the hearing on the basis of the tenant's consent and ability to participate. I notified the tenant about what occurred in his absence before he called into the conference. The hearing ended at 10:08 a.m.

The landlord confirmed receipt of the tenant's application for dispute resolution hearing package. In accordance with sections 89 and 90 of the *Act*, I find that the landlord was duly served with the tenant's application.

## Settlement Terms

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 and orders. 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. Both parties agreed that this tenancy will end by 1:00 p.m. on June 30, 2018, by which time the tenant and any other occupants will have vacated the rental unit;
- 2. The tenant agreed to pay rent of \$950.00 to the landlord by June 1, 2018;
- 3. The landlord agreed that all notices to end tenancy issued to the tenant, to date, are cancelled and of no force or effect;
- 4. The tenant agreed that this settlement agreement constitutes a final and binding resolution of his application at this hearing.

These particulars comprise the full and final settlement of all aspects of this dispute for both parties. Both parties affirmed at the hearing that they understood and agreed to the above terms, free of any duress or coercion. Both parties affirmed that they understood and agreed that the above terms are legal, final, binding and enforceable, which settle all aspects of this dispute.

## **Conclusion**

To give effect to the settlement reached between the parties and as advised to both parties during the hearing, I issue the attached Order of Possession to be used by the landlord **only** if the tenant and any other occupants fail to vacate the rental premises by 1:00 p.m. on June 30, 2018. The tenant must be served with this Order in the event that the tenant and any other occupants fail to vacate the rental premises by 1:00 p.m. on June 30, 2018. Should the tenant fail to comply with this Order, this Order may be filed and enforced as an Order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

All notices to end tenancy issued to the tenant, to date, are cancelled and of no force or effect.

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 18, 2018

Residential Tenancy Branch