



# Dispute Resolution Services

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Residential Tenancy Branch  
Office of Housing and Construction Standards

## **DECISION**

Dispute Codes      OPRM-DR, FFL

### Introduction

This decision pertains to the Landlords' application for dispute resolution made on April 9, 2018, under the *Residential Tenancy Act* (the "Act"). The Landlords sought the following relief:

1. an order of possession for unpaid rent;
2. a monetary order for money owed or compensation for damage or loss; and,
3. a monetary order granting recovery of the filing fee.

### Issues to be Decided

1. Are the Landlords entitled to an order of possession for unpaid rent?
2. Are the Landlords entitled to a monetary order for money owed or compensation for damage or loss?
3. Are the Landlords entitled to a monetary order granting recovery of the filing fee?

### Background and Evidence

The dispute resolution hearing was scheduled for a teleconference hearing on May 8, 2018.

Rule 7.1 of the Rules of Procedure, under the Act, requires that a hearing start at the scheduled time unless otherwise set by the arbitrator.

Rule 7.3 permits an arbitrator to conduct a hearing in the absence of any party, and may make a decision or dismiss the application, with or without leave to re-apply.

A hearing regarding the application was scheduled to commence at 1:30 P.M. on May 8, 2018. I dialed into the teleconference at 1:30 P.M. and monitored the teleconference line until 1:41 P.M. Neither the Landlords nor the Tenants dialed into the teleconference during this time. I confirmed that the correct call-in numbers and participant codes had been provided in the Notice of Dispute Resolution Proceeding. The Internet monitoring system indicated that I was the only person in attendance.

### Analysis

I find that the application has been abandoned.

### Conclusion

I dismiss the Landlords' application, with leave to reapply. However, this does not extend any applicable time limits under the legislation. I have not made any findings of fact or law with respect to the application.

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 8, 2018

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