

Dispute Resolution Services

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Residential Tenancy Branch Office of Housing and Construction Standards

DECISION

Dispute Codes CNC LRE

Introduction

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

- cancellation of the landlords' 1 Month Notice to End Tenancy for Cause (the 1 Month Notice) pursuant to section 47; and
- an order to suspend or set conditions on the landlords' right to enter the rental unit pursuant to section 70.

While the landlords attended the hearing by way of conference call, the tenant did not. I waited until 11:10 a.m. to enable the tenant to participate in this scheduled hearing for 11:00 a.m. The landlords were given a full opportunity to be heard, to present affirmed testimony, to make submissions and to call witnesses.

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

The landlords indicated at the beginning of the hearing that the tenant had moved out on June 30, 2018, and that they did not require an Order of Possession. As this tenancy has now ended, and **in the absence of any submissions in this hearing I order the application dismissed without liberty to reapply.** I make no findings on the merits of the matter.

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: July 10, 2018

Residential Tenancy Branch