

## **Dispute Resolution Services**

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# Residential Tenancy Branch Office of Housing and Construction Standards

### **DECISION**

Dispute Codes MNRL-S, FFL

#### <u>Introduction</u>

This hearing dealt with an Application for Dispute Resolution by the Landlord filed under the *Residential Tenancy Act*, (the "*Act*"), requesting a monetary order for unit, unpaid rent and losses due to the tenancy, permission to retain the security deposit, and the return of their filing fee. The matter was set for a conference call.

#### Issue(s) to be Decided

- Is the Landlord entitled to a monetary order for unpaid rent?
- Is the Landlord entitled to monetary compensation for damages under the Act?
- Is the Landlord entitled to retain the security deposit in partial satisfaction of the claim?
- Is the Landlord entitled to recover the cost of the filing fee?

#### Background and Evidence

This hearing was scheduled for a teleconference hearing on this date.

Rule 7.1 of the Rules of Procedure stipulates that 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.

This hearing was scheduled to commence at 9:30 a.m. on July 13, 2018. I called into the teleconference at 9:30 a.m. and monitored the teleconference until 9:41 a.m. Neither the Applicant nor the Respondent called into the teleconference during this time. I confirmed that the correct call-in numbers and participant codes had been provided in

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the Notice of Hearing. I also confirmed from the teleconference system that I was the

only person who had called into this teleconference.

<u>Analysis</u>

I find that the Application for Dispute Resolution has been abandoned.

Conclusion

I dismiss the Application for Dispute Resolution 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: July 16, 2018

Residential Tenancy Branch