

Dispute Resolution Services

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Residential Tenancy Branch Office of Housing and Construction Standards

DECISION

Dispute Codes: OPM FFL

<u>Introduction</u>

This hearing dealt with the landlords' application pursuant to the *Residential Tenancy Act* ("the *Act*") for an Order of Possession for a mutual agreement to end the tenancy, pursuant to section 55; and authorization to recover the filing fee for this application, pursuant to section 72

The tenant confirmed receipt of the landlords' application for dispute resolution hearing and evidence. In accordance with sections 88 and 89 of the *Act*, I find that the tenant duly served with the landlords' application and evidence. The tenant did not submit any written evidence for this hearing.

SK and HF ('landlords') appeared as agents, and testified on behalf of the landlords in this hearing. Both parties attended the hearing and were given a full opportunity to be heard, to present their sworn testimony, to make submissions, to call witnesses and to cross-examine one another.

Analysis

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 or an order. 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 entered into a mutual agreement that this tenancy will end on November 30, 2018 at 1 p.m., by which date the tenant(s) and any other occupants will have vacated the rental unit.

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- 2. Both parties agreed that this tenancy ends by way of their mutual agreement to end this tenancy and not on the basis of any previous Mutual Agreements signed by both parties.
- 3. Both parties agreed that the tenant must pay the landlord rent as required by the tenancy agreement and the *Act*.
- 4. Both parties agreed that this settlement agreement constituted a final and binding resolution of the landlords' application.

These particulars comprise the full and final settlement of all aspects of this dispute for both parties. Both parties testified at the hearing that they understood and agreed to the above terms, free of any duress or coercion. Both parties testified 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 discussed with them during the hearing, I issue an Order of Possession to the landlords, which is to take effect by 1:00 p.m. on November 30, 2018.

The landlords are provided with this Order in the above terms and the tenant must be served with this Order in the event that the tenant does not abide by condition #1 of the above settlement. 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.

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: November 13, 2018	
	Residential Tenancy Branch