

Dispute Resolution Services

Residential Tenancy Branch Office of Housing and Construction Standards

A matter regarding GREENAWAY REALTY and [tenant name suppressed to protect privacy]

DECISION

Dispute Codes OLC

Introduction

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

• an order requiring the landlord to comply with the *Act*, *Residential Tenancy Regulation* or tenancy agreement, pursuant to section 62.

The landlord's two agents, landlord KG ("landlord") and "landlord CG," 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 both landlord agents were property managers for the landlord company named in this application and that both had permission to represent the landlord company and the landlord owner of the rental unit. This hearing lasted approximately 19 minutes.

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.

Pursuant to section 64(3)(c) of the *Act*, I amend the tenant's application to correct the spelling of the landlord company name. Both parties consented to this amendment during the hearing.

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. The tenant agreed to provide the necessary information to the landlord for the landlord owner to complete reference checks for the tenant's mother to potentially become a roommate with the tenant at the rental unit;
- 2. The landlord agreed to speak to the landlord owner regarding the tenant's mother potentially becoming a roommate with the tenant at the rental unit;
- 3. Both parties agreed that it is up to the landlord owner, as to whether the tenant's mother can become a roommate with the tenant at the rental unit;
- 4. The landlord agreed to provide the tenant with an honest reference for the tenant to look for alternative housing in the future;
- 5. 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

I order both parties to comply with all of the above settlement terms.

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: December 30, 2019

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