

Dispute Resolution Services

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Residential Tenancy Branch
Office of Housing and Construction Standards

DECISION

Dispute Codes OLC, MNDCT, PSF

Introduction

This hearing dealt with an application by the tenant under the *Residential Tenancy Act* (the *Act*) for the following:

- An order requiring the landlord to comply with the Act pursuant to section 62;
- An order requiring the landlord to provide services or facilities required by the tenancy agreement or law pursuant to section 62(3);
- A monetary order for compensation for damage or loss under the Act, Residential Tenancy Regulation ("Regulation") or tenancy agreement pursuant to section 67 of the Act.

This matter was set for hearing by telephone conference. PL attended for the landlord respondent. The tenant applicant did not attend although I left the teleconference hearing connection open from the scheduled time for an additional ten minutes to enable them to call. I confirmed that the Notice of Hearing provided the correct call-in numbers and participant codes. I also confirmed from the teleconference system that the landlord and I were the only attendees of this teleconference.

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 reapply.

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As the applicant tenant did not attend the hearing and in the absence of any evidence or

submissions, I order the application dismissed without leave to reapply.

Conclusion

As the applicant tenant did not attend the hearing and in the absence of any evidence or

submissions, I order the application dismissed without leave to reapply.

This decision is made on authority delegated to me by the Director of the Residential

Tenancy Branch under Section 9.1(1) of the ACT Tenancy Act.

Dated: May 11, 2020

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