

## **Dispute Resolution Services**

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## Residential Tenancy Branch Office of Housing and Construction Standards

## **DECISION**

Dispute Codes MNR, FF

## Introduction

This hearing dealt with an Application for Dispute Resolution by the landlord for a monetary order for unpaid rent and for an order to retain the security deposit in partial satisfaction of the claim.

The landlord attended the hearing. As the tenants did not attend the hearing, service of the Notice of Dispute Resolution Hearing was considered.

The Residential Tenancy Branch Rules of Procedure states that each respondent must be served with a copy of the Application for Dispute Resolution and Notice of Hearing.

At the outset of the hearing the landlord stated that they do not believe they actually served the Application of Dispute Resolution and Notice of Hearing.

As I am not satisfied the tenants were served with the landlord's application, I find I cannot proceed with the hearing. Therefore, I dismiss the landlord's application with 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 *Residential Tenancy Act*.

Dated: July 07, 2020

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