# **Dispute Resolution Services**



Residential Tenancy Branch Office of Housing and Construction Standards

A matter regarding Royal Colonial and Gateway Property Management Corporation and [tenant name suppressed to protect privacy]

# DECISION

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#### Introduction

Pursuant to section 58 of the *Residential Tenancy Act* (the *Act*), I was designated to hear an application regarding the above-noted tenancy. The landlord applied for:

- an order for early termination of a tenancy, pursuant to section 56 of the Act;
- an authorization to recover the filing fee for this application, pursuant to section 72 of the Act.

Both parties attended the hearing. All were given a full opportunity to be heard, to present affirmed testimony, to make submissions, and to call witnesses.

## Preliminary Issue - Correction of Tenant's Name

At the outset of the hearing tenant VS corrected her last name. Pursuant to section 64(3)(a) of the Act, I have amended the landlord's application.

## <u>Settlement</u>

Pursuant to section 63 of the Act, an 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, engaged in a conversation, 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 listed in this application for dispute resolution:

- The tenants agree to provide the landlord with vacant possession of the subject rental property by 1:00 P.M. on October 06, 2020.
- The landlord is available to provide references regarding the tenants.
- The parties will be peaceful and respectful with each other until the end of the tenancy.

#### Conclusion

As the parties have reached a settlement, I make no factual findings about the merits of this application.

To give effect to the settlement reached between the parties and as discussed with them during the hearing, pursuant to section 63(2) of the Act, I issue an order of possession to the landlord, which is to take effect by 1:00 P.M. on October 06, 2020. The landlord is provided with this order in the above terms and must serve it on the tenant as soon as possible in accordance with the Act. If the tenant fails 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: September 30, 2020

Residential Tenancy Branch