

# **Dispute Resolution Services**

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# Residential Tenancy Branch Office of Housing and Construction Standards

### **DECISION**

<u>Dispute Codes</u> MNDCT, FFT

# <u>Introduction</u>

This hearing dealt with an Application for Dispute Resolution (the Application), filed by the Tenant under the Residential Tenancy Act (the Act), seeking:

- Compensation for monetary loss or other money owed; and
- Recovery of the filing fee.

The hearing was convened by telephone conference call and was attended by the Tenant and an agent for the Purchasers as defined under section 51(2) of the Act (the Agent). All parties provided affirmed testimony.

#### <u>Settlement</u>

The opportunity for settlement was discussed with the parties during the hearing. The parties were advised on several occasions during the hearing that there is no obligation to resolve the dispute through settlement, but that pursuant to section 63 of the Act, I could assist the parties to reach an agreement, which would be documented in the Decision and supporting order.

During the hearing, the parties mutually agreed to settle this matter as follows:

 The parties agree that the Purchasers will pay the Tenant \$16,000.00, in one lump-sum payment by bank draft, on or before November 30, 2020, at 11:59 P.M.

This settlement agreement was reached in accordance with section 63 of the Act.

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## Conclusion

I order the Purchasers to pay the Tenant \$16,000.00 in compliance with the terms of the mutual settlement agreement described above.

In support of the settlement described above, and with the agreement of the parties, I grant the Tenant a Monetary Order in the amount of \$16,000.00. The Tenant is provided with this Order in the above terms and the Purchasers must be served with this Order as soon as possible. Should the Purchasers fail to comply with this Order, this Order may be filed in the Small Claims Division of the Provincial Court and enforced as an Order of that Court.

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 11, 2020

Residential Tenancy Branch