

Dispute Resolution Services

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Residential Tenancy Branch
Office of Housing and Construction Standards

A matter regarding Epix Broadway BT Inc and [tenant name suppressed to protect privacy]

DECISION

<u>Dispute Codes</u> MNRL-S, FFL

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:

- a monetary order for compensation for unpaid rent, pursuant to section 67;
- an authorization to retain all or a portion of the tenant's security deposit in satisfaction of the monetary order requested, pursuant to section 72;
- an authorization to recover the filing fee for this application, under to section 72.

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.

<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 between them relating to the tenancy:

- The landlord is authorized to retain the \$900.00 security deposit:
- The tenants will pay the landlord the amount of \$4,200.00 for all the rent in arrears in ten monthly instalments of \$420.00, the first payment is due on May 01, 2021 and the following payments are due on the first day of the successive months;
- The monetary order for \$4,200.00 may be enforced if the tenants default any monthly payment.

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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 grant the landlord a monetary order in the amount of \$4,200.00. The monetary order may be served if the tenants default on payments. If the tenants fail to comply with the order the landlord may file the order in the Provincial Court (Small Claims) to be 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: January 12, 2021

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