

Dispute Resolution Services

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Residential Tenancy Branch Office of Housing and Construction Standards

DECISION

<u>Dispute Codes</u> CNL, LRE, FFT, CNC, OLC

<u>Introduction</u>

This hearing was convened as a result of the Tenant's Application for Dispute Resolution, made on March 11, 2021 (the "Application"). The Tenant applied for the following relief, pursuant to the *Residential Tenancy Act* (the "*Act*"):

- an order to cancel a Two Month Notice to End Tenancy for Landlord's Use of Property;
- an order to cancel a One Month Notice to End Tenancy;
- an order restricting or suspending the Landlord's right to enter;
- an order that the Landlord comply with the Act, tenancy agreement or regulation;
 and
- an order granting the return of the filing fee.

The hearing was scheduled for 1:30PM on June 18, 2021 as a teleconference hearing. The Landlord attended the hearing at the appointed date and time and provided affirmed testimony. No one appeared for the Tenant. The conference call line remained open and was monitored for 13 minutes before the call ended. I confirmed that the correct call-in numbers and participant codes had been provided in the Notice of Hearing. During the hearing, I also confirmed from the online teleconference system that Landlord, and I were the only persons who had called into this teleconference.

Preliminary Matters

Rule 7.3 of the Rules of Procedure states that if a party does not attend the hearing, the hearing may proceed without that party or the application may be dismissed with or without leave to reapply. As no one attended the hearing for the Tenant, I dismiss the Tenant's application without leave to reapply.

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I note that Section 55 of the *Act* requires that when a Tenant submits an Application for Dispute Resolution seeking to cancel a notice to end tenancy issued by a Landlord I must consider if the Landlord is entitled to an order of possession if the Application is dismissed and the Landlord has issued a notice to end tenancy that is compliant with the *Act*.

At the start of the hearing, the Landlord stated that the Tenant vacated the rental unit on May 7, 2021. As such, the Landlord does not require an order of possession.

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: June 18, 2021

Residential Tenancy Branch