

Dispute Resolution Services

Residential Tenancy Branch Office of Housing and Construction Standards

DECISION

Dispute Codes CNL, OLC, RP, LRE, FFT

Introduction

This hearing dealt with the tenant's application pursuant to the *Residential Tenancy Act* (the "**Act**") for:

- an order that the landlords make repairs to the rental unit pursuant to section 32;
- cancellation of the Two Month Notice to End Tenancy for Landlord's Use of Property (the "Notice") pursuant to section 49;
- an order requiring the landlords to comply with the Act, regulation or tenancy agreement pursuant to section 62;
- an order to suspend or set conditions on the landlords' right to enter the rental unit pursuant to section 70;
- authorization to recover the filing fee for this application from the landlords pursuant to section 72.

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

At the outset, I advised the parties of rule 6.11 of the Rules of Procedure (the "**Rules**"), which prohibits participants from recording the hearing. The parties confirmed that they were not recording the hearing.

I also advised the parties that pursuant to Rule 7.4, I would only consider written or documentary evidence that was directed to me in this hearing.

I explained s. 55 of the *Act* requires that when a tenant applies 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, and/ or a monetary order if the application is dismissed and the landlord has issued a notice to end tenancy that is compliant with the *Act*.

Preliminary Matters

At the outset of the hearing, the tenant advised that he and his wife vacated the rental unit on January 31, 2021 as they were able to find a suitable rental. Because it was a

short notice move, it took the tenants some extra time to move all of their belongings and clean up.

The final inspection was scheduled for 6:30 p.m. February 10, 2022 at which time he expected the return of his security deposit. The tenant stated that no initial inspection was done.

The landlord confirmed the above detailed information.

As the tenants have vacated the unit, the application is dismissed in its entirety, without leave to reapply.

Conclusion

The tenants' application is dismissed in full. Leave to reapply is not granted as the tenant has vacated the rental unit.

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: February 10, 2022

Residential Tenancy Branch