Dispute Resolution Services

Residential Tenancy Branch Office of Housing and Construction Standards

DECISION

Dispute Codes MNSD, FFT

Introduction

This hearing was convened by way of conference call concerning an application made by the tenants seeking a monetary order for return of all or part of the pet damage deposit or security deposit and to recover the filing fee from the landlord for the cost of the application.

Both tenants and the landlord attended the hearing, and the parties each gave affirmed testimony.

During the course of the hearing the parties agreed to settle this dispute and the tenants will have a monetary order in the amount of \$1,300.00. The parties confirmed at the end of the hearing that this agreement was made on a voluntary basis and that the parties understood the nature of this full and final settlement of this matter.

Since the parties have settled this dispute, I decline to order that the tenants recover the filing fee from the landlord.

I grant a monetary order in favour of the tenants as against the landlord in the amount of \$1,300.00. With the consent of the landlord, I further order that the tenants may serve the landlord with the monetary order by email. The tenants may file the order for enforcement in the Provincial Court of British Columbia, Small Claims division as a judgment.

Conclusion

For the reasons set out above, and by consent, I hereby grant a monetary order in favour of the tenants as against the landlord pursuant to Section 67 of the *Residential Tenancy Act* in the amount of \$1,300.00.

This order is final and binding and may be enforced.

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 22, 2022

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