

Dispute Resolution Services

Residential Tenancy Branch Office of Housing and Construction Standards

A matter regarding BROWN BROS. and [tenant name suppressed to protect privacy]

DECISION

Dispute Codes CNR, CNC, OLC, MNR-DR, OPR-DR, FFL, OPR-DR, MNR-DR, FFL

Introduction

This hearing dealt with an application by the tenant under the *Residential Tenancy Act* (the *Act*) for the following:

- Cancellation of a 10 Day Notice to End Tenancy for Unpaid Rent or Utilities ("Ten Day Notice") pursuant to section 46;
- Cancellation of One Month Notice to End Tenancy for Cause ("One Month Notice") pursuant to section 47;
- An order requiring the landlord to comply with the Act pursuant to section 62;

This hearing also dealt with two applications by the landlord under the *Residential Tenancy Act* (the *Act*) for the following:

- An order for possession under a 10-Day Notice to End Tenancy for Unpaid Rent ("Ten-Day Notice ") pursuant to sections 46 and 55;
- A monetary order for unpaid rent and for compensation for damage or loss under the *Act*, *Residential Tenancy Regulation ("Regulation")* or tenancy agreement pursuant to section 67 of the *Act*;
- Authorization to recover the filing fee for this application pursuant to section 72.

CS, PD and JL attended on behalf of the landlord ("the landlord"). The tenant attended.

Both parties had opportunity to provide affirmed testimony, present evidence and make submissions. No issues of service were raised.

Neither party made any adjournment or accommodation requests.

I explained the hearing and settlement processes, and the potential outcomes and consequences, to both parties. Both parties had an opportunity to ask questions, which I answered.

Delivery of Decision

Each party confirmed their email address to which a copy of the Decision will be sent.

<u>Settlement</u>

Before the conclusion of this 24-minute hearing, the parties discussed the issues between them, engaged in a conversation, turned their minds to compromise, and achieved a resolution of their dispute.

Pursuant to section 63 of the *Act*, the Arbitrator may assist the parties to settle their dispute and if the parties do so during the dispute resolution proceedings, the settlement may be recorded in the form of a Decision or an Order. This settlement agreement was reached in accordance with section 63.

Given the agreement reached between the parties during the proceedings, I find that the parties have settled their dispute and the following records this settlement as a Decision:

The parties agreed as follows:

- 1) The tenancy between the parties will end at 1:00 PM on August 28, 2022, by which time the tenant and any other occupants will return vacant possession of the rental unit to the landlord.
- 2) The tenant owed the landlord rent in the amount of \$3, 723.55. The tenant agreed the landlord is authorized to apply the security deposit of \$362.50 to the outstanding

rent. The parties agreed the balance of the rent owing is \$3,361.15. The parties agreed a Monetary Order to the landlord would issue in this amount.

In support of this settlement and with the agreement of both parties, I grant the landlord the following:

- 1. Order of Possession effective 1:00 PM on August 28, 2022; and
- 2. Monetary Order in the amount of \$3,361.15.

This Order of Possession must be read in conjunction with the above settlement agreement.

Should either party violate the terms of this agreement, the tenancy agreement, or the *Act*, it is open to the other party to take steps under the *Act* for an appropriate remedy.

The landlord must not seek to enforce this Order on the tenant unless the tenant fails to meet the conditions of this agreement.

The Order of Possession may be filed and enforced as an Order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

The parties are bound by the terms of this agreement, as well as by the terms of their tenancy agreement and the *Act*.

The Arbitrator reviewed the terms of the settlement with the parties; both parties stated they understood and agreed to the terms.

Based on the above, I find that all matters between these parties raised in this application are resolved pursuant to the above agreed terms.

Conclusion

All issues are resolved as set out above.

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: August 23, 2022

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