



Dispute Resolution Services

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Residential Tenancy Branch
Office of Housing and Construction Standards

DECISION

Introduction

This hearing was convened in response to cross-applications by the parties pursuant to the *Residential Tenancy Act* (the “Act”) for Orders as follows:

Landlord:

- an order of possession based on a mutual agreement to end tenancy pursuant to section 55;
- a monetary order for unpaid rent pursuant to section 67;
- authorization to retain all or a portion of the tenant’s security deposit in partial satisfaction of the monetary order requested pursuant to section 38;

Tenant:

- cancellation of the landlord’s 10 Day Notice to End Tenancy for Unpaid Rent (the 10 Day Notice) pursuant to section 46;
- authorization to change the locks and/or to suspend or set conditions on the landlord’s right to enter the rental unit pursuant to section 70;
- an order requiring the landlord to comply with the Act, regulation or tenancy agreement pursuant to section 62;
- authorization to recover the filing fee for this application from the landlord pursuant to section 72.

All named parties attended the hearing. During the hearing, the parties expressed an interest and were successful in resolving this dispute by mutual agreement.

Terms of Settlement

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.

The parties reached an agreement to settle their dispute under the following final and binding terms:

1. The tenant and landlord agree **that this tenancy will end no later than 1:00 p.m. on February 1, 2023**, and, the landlord will be granted an **Order of Possession**.
2. The landlord agrees to not enforce the attached Order of Possession until **1:00 p.m. on February 1, 2023**, on the following conditions:
 - i. The tenant pays the rent arrears of \$15,600.00 (for the months of July 2022 through to December 2022) on or before December 20, 2022. The landlord is granted a Monetary Order for this amount and the enforceable portion of this order will be reduced in accordance with any payments made to the landlord.
 - ii. The tenant pays the January 2023 rent of \$2600.00 in full and on time as per the tenancy agreement.

If the tenant fails to comply with any of the above conditions, the landlord may enforce the attached order of possession effective **two days after service of the Order** on the tenant.

Each party confirmed that this agreement was reached voluntarily and that they understood the terms of the agreement. The parties agreed that these particulars comprise the full and final settlement of all aspects of this dispute.

This Decision and Settlement Agreement is final and binding on both parties.

Conclusion

Subject to the conditions described above, I grant an Order of Possession to the landlord effective **two days after service of the Order** on the tenant. Should the tenant(s) fail to comply with this Order, this Order may be filed and enforced as an Order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

Pursuant to section 67 of the *Act*, I grant the landlord a Monetary Order in the amount of **\$15,600.00**. Should the tenant fail to comply with this Order, this Order may be filed in

the Small Claims Division of the Provincial Court and 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: December 13, 2022

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