

## **Dispute Resolution Services**

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# Residential Tenancy Branch Office of Housing and Construction Standards

### **DECISION**

#### Introduction

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

- an order to the landlord to make emergency repairs to the rental unit pursuant to section 33;
- authorization to recover the filing fee for this application pursuant to section 72.

While the respondent attended the hearing by way of conference call, the applicant did not. The applicant should have been aware of the hearing date, time and call in instructions as this dispute was initiated by the applicant and the applicant was required to serve a copy of the notice of hearing on the respondent.

The landlord also advised that the tenant vacated the rental unit on May 1, 2023. Therefore, the tenant's application for emergency repairs is moot.

Accordingly, in the absence of the applicant's participation in this hearing, I order the application dismissed without leave to reapply.

#### Conclusion

The application is dismissed without leave to reapply.

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: May 16, 2023

Residential Tenancy Branch