

# **Dispute Resolution Services**

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Residential Tenancy Branch Ministry of Housing

## DECISION

Dispute Codes OLC, FFT

#### Introduction

Pursuant to section 58 of the Residential Tenancy Act (the Act), I was designated to hear an application regarding the above-noted tenancy. The tenant applied for:

- an order for the landlord to comply with the Act, the Residential Tenancy Regulation and/or tenancy agreement, pursuant to section 62; and
- an authorization to recover the filing fee for this application, under section 72.

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

At the outset of the hearing all the parties were clearly informed of the Rules of Procedure, including Rule 6.10 about interruptions and inappropriate behaviour, and Rule 6.11, which prohibits the recording of a dispute resolution hearing. All the parties confirmed they understood the Rules of Procedure and section 95(3) of the Act.

#### Preliminary Issues

At the outset of the hearing landlord RM corrected the spelling of his first name.

Pursuant to section 64(3)(a) of the Act, I have amended the application to correct RM's first name.

Both parties confirmed they understand the tenant is seeking an order for the cancellation of the 2 Month Notice to End Tenancy dated January 31, 2023 (the Notice), issued pursuant to section 49 of the Act.

#### <u>Settlement</u>

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. During the hearing

the parties discussed the issues between them, engaged in a conversation, turned their minds to compromise and achieved a resolution of their dispute.

Both parties agreed to the following final and binding settlement of all issues listed in this application for dispute resolution:

- 1. The tenant agrees to provide the landlord with vacant possession of the subject rental property on December 31, 2023 by 1:00 pm.
- 2. The tenancy is ending because of the Notice.
- 3. The tenant will not pay rent until December 31, 2023, including the compensation of section 51(1) of the Act and extra compensation for the end of the tenancy.
- 4. The parties will address the security deposit in accordance with the Act.

### **Conclusion**

As the parties have reached a settlement, I make no factual findings about the merits of this application.

To give effect to the settlement reached between the parties and as discussed with them during the hearing, pursuant to section 63(2) of the Act, I issue an order of possession to the landlord, which is to take effect on December 31, 2023 by 1:00 pm. The landlord is provided with this order in the above terms and must serve it on the tenant in accordance with the Act. If the tenant fails to comply with this Order, this order may be filed and enforced as an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

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: June 02, 2023

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