

# **Dispute Resolution Services**

Residential Tenancy Branch Ministry of Housing and Municipal Affairs

## **DECISION**

## Dispute Codes MNDL-S, MNDCL-S, LRSD, FFL; MNDT MNEV

### Introduction

This hearing dealt with joined applications scheduled for a one-hour hearing on January 20, 2025. The hearing was adjourned and completed on February 6, 2025.

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

- 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 retain all or a portion of the tenant's security deposit in partial satisfaction of the monetary order requested pursuant to section 72 of the *Act*;
- An order requiring the tenant to reimburse the landlord for the filing fee pursuant to section 72.

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

- 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*;
- An order for the landlord to return the security deposit pursuant to section 38;
- An order requiring the landlord to reimburse the tenant for the filing fee pursuant to section 72.

Both named tenants attended. The advocates L.H. and W.B. attended with the Tenant O.K. The Landlord's agents M.M. and M.W. attended for the Landlord at the first hearing and M.W. on the continued hearing.

The parties settled the disputes.

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:

- The parties acknowledged that the landlord is authorized to retain the security deposit of \$1,292.61 and accrued interest in full and final compensation of their claims.
- 2) Each party acknowledged compensation in full compensation of their claims and any claims arising out of the tenancy.
- 3) Both parties agreed that these particulars comprise the full settlement of all aspects of the Tenant's current application for dispute resolution.

The settlement was fully discussed and agreed to by the parties.

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

The parties settled this application on the above terms.

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 6, 2025

Residential Tenancy Branch