

Dispute Resolution Services

Residential Tenancy Branch Office of Housing and Construction Standards

DECISION

Dispute Codes:

MNSD, MNDC

Introduction

This hearing was scheduled in response to the tenant's Application for Dispute Resolution, in which the tenant has requested return of the security deposit.

This matter was set for hearing at 1:30 p.m. on this date. The applicant and respondent failed to attend the hearing by 1:44 p.m.

Residential Tenancy Branch Rules of Procedure, section 10.1, provides:

10.1 Commencement of the dispute resolution proceeding

The dispute resolution proceeding must commence at the scheduled time unless otherwise decided by the arbitrator. The arbitrator may conduct the dispute resolution proceeding in the absence of a party and may make a decision or dismiss the application, with or without leave to re-apply.

In the absence of an appearance by either party by 1:44 p.m., this application is abandoned and dismissed with leave to reapply within the legislation time limit.

This decision is final and binding and 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: July 06, 2015

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