

# **Dispute Resolution Services**

Residential Tenancy Branch Office of Housing and Construction Standards

## DECISION

**Dispute Codes:** 

CNC, FF

Introduction

The tenant has applied to cancel a one month Notice to end tenancy for cause that was issued on August 31, 2016 and to recover the filing fee cost from the landlord. The Notice had an effective date of September 31, 2016. The tenant submitted the Notice was received on September 1, 2016.

This matter was set for hearing at 10:30 a.m. on this date.

Residential Tenancy Branch Rules of Procedure provides:

#### 7.1 Commencement of the dispute resolution hearing

The dispute resolution hearing will commence at the scheduled time unless otherwise set by the arbitrator.

### 7.3 Consequences of not attending the hearing

If a party or their agent fails to attend the hearing, the arbitrator may conduct the dispute resolution hearing in the absence of that party, or dismiss the application, with or without leave to re-apply.

In the absence of an appearance of either party by 10:42 a.m. this application is abandoned and dismissed with leave to reapply within the legislated time limit.

#### Conclusion

The application is dismissed with leave to reapply within the legislated 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: November 03, 2016

Residential Tenancy Branch