

Dispute Resolution Services

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Residential Tenancy Branch Ministry of Housing

DECISION

Dispute Codes CNR, FFT

On January 10, 2023, the tenant applied to cancel a 10 Day Notice to End Tenancy for Unpaid Rent (the "Notice") pursuant to section 46(4)(b) of the *Residential Tenancy Act* (the "Act"); and authorization to recover the cost of the filing fee under section 72 of the Act.

The tenant attended the hearing. No one dialled in on behalf of the landlord during the hearing, which lasted from 1 P.M. to 1:10 P.M. The tenant testified under oath that the tenant served a Notice of Dispute Resolution Proceeding on the landlord by registered mail and submitted mail tracking information. It is my finding that the landlord was served with the required notice in compliance with the Act.

As the onus is on the landlord to prove the validity of the Notice and the landlord has not attended the hearing to substantiate the Notice, I am cancelling the Notice.

Since the tenant was successful in the tenant's application, the tenant is entitled to \$100.00 to cover the cost of the filing fee under section 72 of the Act.

Conclusion

The tenant is awarded a monetary order in the amount of \$100.00.

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: April 05, 2023

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