

Leasehold Reform, Housing and Urban Development Act 1993

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LEASEHOLD REFORM, HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT ACT 1993

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- 4 The court may also, on the application of any of...
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Change of reversioner

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- 5D The court may also, on the application of any of...
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6 (1) Without prejudice to the generality of section 9(3)—

Other landlords acting independently

7 (1) Notwithstanding anything in section 9(3) or paragraph 6, any...

Obligations of other landlords to reversioner

8 (1) It shall be the duty of each of the...

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9 The authority given to the reversioner by section 9(3) shall...

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4 (1) A qualifying tenant of a flat shall not participate...

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5 Where a relevant notice of claim is given, any notice...

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- 12A (1) In a case to which section 9(2A) applies, the...

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Continuing duty to furnish information

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- 5A (1) Where different persons own the freehold of different parts...
- 5B (1) In its application in accordance with paragraph 5A(2)(a), paragraph...

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6 (1) Where the nominee purchaser is to acquire one or...

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7 (1) Subject to sub-paragraph (2), paragraph 3 shall apply for...

Compensation for loss on acquisition of interest

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Owners of intermediate interests entitled to part of marriage value

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- 9A (1) This paragraph applies where paragraph 5A applies and— Part IV — OTHER INTERESTS TO BE ACQUIRED

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15 (1) Where (as determined in accordance with paragraph 4(3) and...

Apportionment of marriage value

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Valuation of freehold and leasehold interests

18 (1) Where— (a) the value of any freehold interest (as...

Calculation of marriage value

19 (1) Where (as determined in accordance with paragraph 4(3) and...

Apportionment of marriage value

20 (1) Where paragraph 18(1) applies to any interest in any...

Adjustment of compensation

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Interpretation

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Rights of support, passage of water etc.

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Rights of way

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3 (1) For the purpose of determining the amount payable in...

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4 (1) Where under section 35(1) any interest is to be...

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General rights to be granted

9 The lease shall not exclude or restrict the general words...

Covenants for title

9A The lessor shall not be bound to enter into any...

Rights of support, passage of water etc.

10 (1) This paragraph applies to rights of any of the...

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Rights of way

11 The lease shall include— (a) such provisions (if any) as...

Common use of premises and facilities

12 The lease shall include, so far as the lessor is...

Covenants affecting demised premises

13 The lease shall include such provisions (if any) as the...

Covenants by lessor

14 (1) The lease shall include covenants by the lessor—

Covenants by lessee

15 The lease shall include a covenant by the lessee to...

Contributions by lessee

16 (1) The lease may require the lessee to bear a...

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17 (1) Except where the demised premises consist of or include...

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18 The lease shall not include any provision for the lease...

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1 (1) It is hereby declared that nothing in any of...

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The tenant's notice under section 42 shall be regarded as...

Tenant to give copies of notice

2 (1) Where the tenant's notice is given to the competent...

Recipient of notice or copy to give further copies

3 (1) Subject to sub-paragraph (2), a recipient of the tenant's...

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Consequences of failure to comply with paragraph 2 or 3

4 (1) Where— (a) the competent landlord or any of the...
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Counter-notice to specify other landlords

5 Any counter-notice given to the tenant by the competent landlord...

Acts of competent landlord binding on other landlords

6 (1) Without prejudice to the generality of section 40(2)—

Other landlords acting independently

7 (1) Notwithstanding anything in section 40(2), any of the other...

Obligations of other landlords to competent landlord

8 (1) It shall be the duty of each of the...

Applications made by other landlords under section 47(1)

9 (1) The authority given to the competent landlord by section...

Deemed surrender and re-grant of leases of other landlords

10 (1) Where a lease is executed under section 56 or...

Discharge of existing mortgages

11 Where by reason of section 58(2) it is necessary to...

SCHEDULE 12 — THE TENANT'S NOTICE: SUPPLEMENTARY PROVISIONS Part I — EFFECT OF TENANT'S NOTICE ON OTHER NOTICES, FORFEITURES ETC.

Prior notice by tenant terminating lease

1 A notice given by a qualifying tenant of a flat...

Prior notice by landlord terminating lease

2 (1) Subject to sub-paragraph (2), a notice given by a...

Orders for possession and pending proceedings for forfeiture etc.

3 (1) A notice given by a qualifying tenant of a...

Notice terminating lease given by tenant or landlord during currency of claim

4 Where by a notice given under section 42 a tenant...

Tenant's notice operates to prevent termination of lease

5 (1) Where by a notice under section 42 a tenant...

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Restriction on proceedings to enforce right of re-entry or forfeiture

6 Where by a notice under section 42 a tenant makes...

Effect of notice under section 16(2) of Landlord and Tenant Act 1954 on tenant's notice

7 (1) A tenant who, in proceedings to enforce a right...

Interpretation

- 8 (1) For the purposes of this Part of this Schedule—...
 - Part II OTHER PROVISIONS
- 9 (1) The tenant's notice shall not be invalidated by any...

SCHEDULE 13 — PREMIUM AND OTHER AMOUNTS PAYABLE BY TENANT ON GRANT OF NEW LEASE

Part I — GENERAL

- 1 In this Schedule— "intermediate leasehold interest" means the interest of...
 - Part II PREMIUM PAYABLE IN RESPECT OF GRANT OF NEW LEASE

Premium payable by tenant

2 The premium payable by the tenant in respect of the...

Diminution in value of landlord's interest

3 (1) The diminution in value of the landlord's interest is...

Landlord's share of marriage value

- 4 (1) The marriage value is the amount referred to in...
- 4A (1) Subject to the provisions of this paragraph, the value...
- 4B (1) Subject to the provisions of this paragraph, the value...

Compensation for loss arising out of grant of new lease

5 (1) Where the landlord will suffer any loss or damage...

Part III — AMOUNTS PAYABLE TO OWNERS OF INTERMEDIATE LEASEHOLD INTERESTS

Amount payable to owner of intermediate interest

6 In connection with the grant of the new lease to...

Diminution in value of intermediate interest

7 (1) The diminution in value of any intermediate leasehold interest...

Value of intermediate interests

8 (1) Subject to sub-paragraph (2), paragraph 3(2) to (6) shall...

Compensation for loss arising out of grant of new lease

9 Paragraph 5 shall apply in relation to the owner of...

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Owners of intermediate interests entitled to part of marriage value

10 (1) This paragraph applies in a case where—

SCHEDULE 14 — PROVISIONS SUPPLEMENTARY TO SECTION 61

- 1 (1) This Schedule has effect where a tenant of a...
- 2 (1) Where an order for possession is made—
- 3 (1) On the termination of a lease under an order...
- 4 Where an order has been made by the county court...
- 5 (1) The amount payable to a tenant, by virtue of...
- 6 (1) PartI of the Landlord and Tenant Act 1927 (compensation...
- 7 (1) The landlord shall not be concerned with the application...
- 8 (1) Where a landlord makes an application for possession, and...
- 9 Where—(a) the new lease is subject to a trust...
- 10 Where—(a) the tenant under the new lease is a...
- 11 Where—(a) the tenant under the new lease is the...
- 12 (1) Where—(a) the tenant under the new lease is...

SCHEDULE 15 — SECTION 9 OF THE LEASEHOLD REFORM ACT 1967, AS AMENDED

9 Purchase price and costs of enfranchisement, and tenant's right to withdraw.

SCHEDULE 16 — SCHEDULE INSERTED AFTER SCHEDULE 6 TO THE HOUSING ACT 1985

SCHEDULE 17 — Constitution of the agency

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- (1) The Agency shall consist of such number of members...
- (1) The Agency shall pay to its members such remuneration,...
- (1) There shall be a chief executive of the Agency...

Anything authorised or required to be done by the Agency...

- (1) Subject to the following provisions of this Schedule, the...
- (1) A member of the Agency or of any committee...
- (1) The application of the seal of the Agency shall...

In Schedule 1 to the House of Commons Disqualification Act...

SCHEDULE 18 — FINANCES OF THE AGENCY

Financial year

1 The financial years of the Agency shall be as follows—...

Financial duties

2 (1) After consultation with the Agency, the Secretary of State...

Government grants

3 (1) The Secretary of State may, out of moneys provided...

Borrowing

4 (1) The Agency may borrow temporarily, by way of overdraft...

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Guarantees

5 (1) The Treasury may guarantee, in such manner and on...

Surplus funds

6 (1) This paragraph applies where it appears to the Secretary...

Financial limits

7 (1) The aggregate amount at any time of borrowed sums...

Grants and loans: accounts

8 (1) The Secretary of State shall prepare in respect of...

Accounts

9 (1) The Agency shall keep proper accounts and other records...

Audit

10 (1) The Agency's accounts in respect of financial years ending...

Transmission to Secretary of State

11 As soon as the accounts and statement of accounts of...

Reports

12 (1) As soon as possible after the end of each...

Information

13 Without prejudice to paragraph 12, the Agency shall provide the...

SCHEDULE 19 — VESTING OF LAND IN THE AGENCY: MODIFICATIONS OF ENACTMENTS

Land Compensation Act 1961 (c. 33)

- 1 The Land Compensation Act 1961 shall have effect in relation...
- 2 References to the date of service of a notice to...
- 3 Section 17(2) (certification of appropriate alternative development) shall be treated...
- 4 Section 22(2) (interpretation of Part III) shall be treated as...
- 5 Any reference to a notice to treat in section 39(2)...

Compulsory Purchase (Vesting Declarations) Act 1981 (c. 66)

- 6 In section 15 of the Compulsory Purchase (Vesting Declarations) Act...
- 7 (1) In Schedule 2 to that Act (vesting of land...

SCHEDULE 20 — THE AGENCY: LAND

Part I — MODIFICATIONS OF ACQUISITION OF LAND ACT 1981

- 1 The Acquisition of Land Act 1981 (in this Part of...
- 2 (1) Where a compulsory purchase order authorising the acquisition of...
- 3 The reference in section 17(3) of the 1981 Act (local...

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Part II — LAND: SUPPLEMENTARY

Extinguishment of rights over land

4 (1) Subject to this paragraph, on an order under section...

Power to override easements

5 (1) The erection, construction, carrying out, or maintenance of any...

Consecrated land and burial grounds

6 (1) Any consecrated land, whether including a building or not,...

Open spaces

7 (1) Any land being, or forming part of, a common,...

Displacement of persons

8 If the Secretary of State certifies that possession of a...

Extinguishment of public rights of way

- 9 (1) Where any land—(a) has been vested in or...
- 10 (1) In this paragraph any reference to making a final...

Telegraphic lines

11 (1) Where an order under paragraph 9 extinguishing a public...

Statutory undertakers

- 12 (1) Where any land has been vested in or acquired...
- 13 (1) Before making an order under paragraph 12 the Secretary...
- 14 (1) Subject to this paragraph, where any land has been...
- 15 (1) The powers conferred by this paragraph shall be exercisable...
- 16 (1) As soon as may be after making such a...
- 17 (1) Where, on a representation made by statutory undertakers, the...
- 18 (1) For the purposes of paragraphs 15 and 17, an...

Interpretation

- 19 (1) Any expression used in this Part of this Schedule...
 Part III ACQUISITION OF RIGHTS
- 20 (1) The Compulsory Purchase Act 1965 (in this Part of...
- 21 For section 7 of the 1965 Act (which relates to...
- 22 For section 8 of the 1965 Act (which relates to...
- 23 (1) The following provisions of the 1965 Act (which state...

SCHEDULE 21 — MINOR AND CONSEQUENTIAL AMENDMENTS

Land Registration Act 1925 (c. 21)

1 In section 49(1) of the Land Registration Act 1925 (rules...

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2 In subsection (1) of section 60 of the Landlord and...

Parliamentary Commissioner Act 1967 (c. 13)

3 (1) In Schedule 2 to the Parliamentary Commissioner Act 1967...

Leasehold Reform Act 1967 (c. 88)

4 In subsection (1A) of section 21 of the Leasehold Reform...

Land Compensation Act 1973 (c. 26)

5 After section 12 of the Land Compensation Act 1973 (tenants...

Local Government Act 1974 (c. 7)

6 (1) In subsection (1) of section 25 of the Local...

Rent Act 1977 (c. 42)

7 In subsection (1)(b) of section 74 of the Rent Act...

Derelict Land Act 1982 (c. 42)

8 In subsection (5) of section 1 of the Derelict Land...

National Heritage Act 1983 (c. 47)

9 After subsection (2A) of section 33 of the National Heritage...

Housing Act 1985 (c. 68)

- 10 In subsection (3) of section 101 of the Housing Act...
- 11 In subsection (2) of section 130 of that Act (reduction...
- 12 For subsection (3) of section 140 of that Act (landlord's...
- 13 (1) Immediately before section 153A of that Act (tenant's notices...
- 14 (1) In subsection (1) of section 153B of that Act...
- 15 In subsection (2) of section 158 of that Act (consideration...
- 16 (1) In subsection (1) of section 164 of that Act...
- 17 In subsection (1) of section 167 of that Act (power...
- 18 In subsection (2) of section 170 of that Act (power...
- 19 In subsection (2) of section 171C of that Act (modifications...
- 20 (1) In subsection (2) of section 177 of that Act...
- 21 For section 178 of that Act there shall be substituted...
- 22 In subsection (1) of section 179 of that Act (provisions...
- 23 In subsection (1) of section 181 of that Act (jurisdiction...
- 24 (1) In subsection (2) of section 184 of that Act...
- 25 In section 188 of that Act (index of defined expressions:...

Landlord and Tenant Act 1987 (c. 31)

- 26 In subsection (2) of section 4 of the Landlord and...
- 27 In subsection (2) of section 13 of that Act (determination...

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Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (c. 8)

- 28 In subsection (5)(a) of section 1 of the Town and...
- 29 After section 8 of that Act (local planning authority in...

Planning (Listed Buildings and Conservation Areas) Act 1990 (c. 9)

- 30 (1) In subsection (1) of section 72 of the Planning...
- 31 In paragraphs 2 and 4 of Schedule 4 to that...

...

32 After subsection (5) of section 3 of the Planning (Hazardous...

SCHEDULE 22 — REPEALS

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