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1 In any enactment passed or made before the commencement of...

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2 (1) In paragraph (a) of subsection (1) of section 2...

The Tenancy of Shops (Scotland) Act 1949

For subsection (7) of section 1 (renewal of tenancies of...

The Housing (Repairs and Rents) (Scotland) Act 1954

4 In subsection (1) of section 41 (applications and appeals to...

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