

# Leasehold Reform Act 1967

## CHAPTER 88

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## PART I

## ENFRANCHISEMENT AND EXTENSION OF LONG LEASEHOLDS

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- 9 Purchase price and costs of enfranchisement, and tenant's right to withdraw.
- 10 Rights to be conveyed to tenant on enfranchisement.
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## SCHEDULES.

SCHEDULE 1 — Enfranchisement or Extension by Sub-Tenants.

#### General

- 1 (1) Where a person (in this Schedule referred to as...
- 2 Subject to paragraph 3 below, " the reversioner " shall...
- 3 (1) If it appears to the court, on an application...
- 4 (1) Without prejudice to the generality of paragraph 1 above,...
- 5 (1) Notwithstanding anything in paragraph 4(2) above, any of the...
- 6 (1) The authority given by this Schedule to the reversioner...

#### Enfranchisement

- 7 (1) Where a conveyance is executed to give effect to...
- 8 (1) In the case of a tenancy having an expectation...
- 9 Nothing in this Schedule shall be taken to entitle the...

## Extension

- 10 (1) Where a lease is executed to give effect to...
- 11 (1) Where a tenancy in the house and premises superior...
- 12 (1) No provision of any tenancy prohibiting, restricting or otherwise...

#### Supplementary

- 13 (1) For purposes of this Schedule the expectation of possession...
- 14 (1) This Schedule shall apply notwithstanding that the tenancy in...

SCHEDULE 2 — Provisions Supplementary to Sections 17 and 18 of this Act.

- 1 (1) This Schedule has effect where a tenant of a...
- 2 (1) Where an order for possession is made, the tenancy...
- 3 (1) On the termination of a tenancy under an order...
- 4 Where an order has been made under paragraph 2 above,...
- 5 (1) The amount payable to a tenant, by virtue of...
- 6 (1) Part I of the Landlord and Tenant Act 1927...
- 7 (1) The landlord shall not be concerned with the application...
- 8 (1) Where a landlord makes an application for possession, and...
- 9 (1) The purposes authorised for the application of capital money...

SCHEDULE 3 — Validity of Tenants' Notices, Effect on Landlord and Tenant Act 1954 etc. and Procedure Generally.

PART I

*Restrictions on claims by tenant, and effect of claims on other notices, forfeitures, etc.* 

- 1 (1) A claim to acquire the freehold or an extended...
- 2 (1) A claim to acquire the freehold or an extended...
- 3 (1) Where a tenant makes a claim to acquire the...
- 4 (1) Where a tenant makes a claim to acquire the...
- 5 (1) For purposes of this Part of this Schedule— PART II

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- 6 (1) A tenant's notice under Part I of this Act...
- 7 (1) Where a tenant of a house gives the landlord...
- 8 (1) Where a person (" the claimant ") gives notice...
- 9 (1) Where the interest of a landlord is subject to...

- 10 (1) This paragraph shall have effect in relation to a...
  - SCHEDULE 4 Special Covenants with Local Authorities etc. on Enfranchisement or Extension.
    - PART I OPERATION AND ENFORCEMENT OF COVENANTS
  - 1 (1) A covenant entered into in accordance with section 29...
- 2 (1) Where it appears to a local authority that a...
- 3 (1) Where a local authority have served on any person... PART II — RE-ACQUISITION FOR DEVELOPMENT BY NEW TOWNS
  - COMMISSION OR UNIVERSITY BODY
- 4 Where a tenant of a house and premises acquires the...
- 5 (1) Where a tenant of a house and premises acquires...

SCHEDULE 5 — Landlord and Tenant Act 1954 Part I (Consequential Amendments, Effect of Rent Act 1965, etc.).

## Consequential amendments of Landlord and Tenant Act 1954

- 1 In Schedule 3 to the Landlord and Tenant Act 1954,...
- 2 The following provisions of the Landlord and Tenant Act 1954...

#### Regulated tenancies

- 3 (1) The amount of the rent payable under a regulated...
- 4 (1) In relation to a rent registered or to be...

### Transitional

- 5 In relation to a tenancy to which section 1 of...
- 6 (1) Subject to paragraph 7(1) below, where at the operative...
- 7 (1) This paragraph shall have effect in relation to tenancies...
- 8 (1) Where a statutory tenancy has by virtue of Part...
- 9 Where at the operative date (within the meaning of paragraph...

#### Supplementary

10 (1) Section 46(2) of the Rent Act 1965 (which confers...

SCHEDULE 6 — The Places of Worship (Enfranchisement) Act 1920, as amended.

- 1 Right of persons holding leasehold interest in place of worship or minister's house to acquire freehold.
- 2 Procedure for acquisition of reversionary interests.
- 3 Effect of enfranchisement on covenants.
- 5 Definitions.
- 6 Short title and extent.

#### SCHEDULE 7 — Repeals. PART I

Repeals arising out of section 39 of this Act

PART II

Repeals arising out of section 40 of this Act