



Notification to the public

Draft Bill for the Repeal of the Rent Act, No. 7 of 1972 and the Protection of Occupants Bill

The Bills to Repeal the Rent Act, No. 7 of 1972 and the Protection of Occupants Bill, which are currently in force in Sri Lanka, have been published in all three languages by the Government Printer on 18.09.2025 under the title, Bills - Rent Repeals and Protection of Occupants, on the official website of the Government of Sri Lanka.

Accordingly, if you wish to submit any comments, suggestions, or proposals regarding these Bills, you are kindly requested to forward them to the Secretary, Ministry of Justice and National Integration on or before 04.03.2026.

When submitting by post, please mark the top left-hand corner of the envelope with the words: "Proposals on the Draft Bill for the Repeal of the Rent Act, No. 7 of 1972 and the Protection of Occupants Bill." Alternatively, submissions may be sent via email to legal@moj.gov.lk.

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Ministry of Justice and National Integration
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Access to full text of Protection of Occupants Bill and Rent Repeal Bill -

Protection of Occupant Bill

https://documents.gov.lk/view/bills/2025/9/634-2025_E.pdf

Rent Repeal Bill

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