



# Your Legal Rights



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## GETTING A BETTER UNDERSTANDING

Renters sometimes deal with landlords who do not want to bother with a written lease or rental agreement. In other instances, the landlord may provide a rental document that remains unclear on particular issues. In any case, tenants may be uneasy about relying on precise remembrances of what was agreed upon. If so, they may record any oral agreements in a "letter of understanding." In such a document, the renter can write down areas about which he or she and the landlord have agreed on basic terms. A copy of the letter can then be sent to the landlord asking if there are any misunderstandings or misrepresentations. The letter

can be used to settle future disagreements or disputes.

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**HINT:** A letter of understanding may also prove useful in cases which a landlord will not take the time to record clauses or promises that were negotiated with tenants.

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