

Communication from Public

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Comments for Public Posting: It is imperative that the city of Los Angeles support AB 854, to stop speculator Ellis evictions by requiring five years of ownership before the Ellis Act can be invoked. Ellis Act evictions are likely to rise leading up to the Olympics as the Los Angeles real estate market becomes more highly speculative every day. The Ellis Act must be repealed altogether, and until then, tenants must be protected from Ellis Act evictions at all costs. These evictions impact the most vulnerable people in Los Angeles, and are only going to become more commonplace in the years to follow. We need robust tenant protections, especially in a time of unprecedented economic uncertainty due to the effects of COVID-19.



Friday, January 7, 2022

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YOURS SINCERELY,

THE CONCERNED STAKEHOLDERS OF THE SOUTH ROBERTSON PEOPLE'S COMMITTEE