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| Your SCRA Auto Lease Termination Letter |

Congratulations {{ users }}! You have finished your SCRA Auto Lease Termination letter. You will now need to print and give your letter to your leaseholder. This page will walk you through your next steps and provide some additional information.

PLEASE NOTE: Once you close your letter’s webpage, you will not be able to access your completed letter again. Make sure you download and print your letter before closing out your form page.

## Next Steps

1. This letter is for servicemembers who need to lawfully terminate their lease as provided by the SCRA, 50 U.S.C. § 3955. It provides the required statement of notice to the person or company that leased you the vehicle so you can terminate your lease without paying an early termination fee or other penalty.
2. Look over the letter and odometer statement closely. Make sure everything is correct.
   * If it is not correct, go back to the interview and change your answers there.
3. Download and Print at least 2 copies. One copy to send/hand to your leaseholder and one copy for your own records.
4. If mailing this letter, we strongly encourage you to send it by registered mail with a return receipt request, and keep a copy of your receipt for your records If you are handing it to the dealership or person who holds your lease, be sure to get a receipt that they have received it.
5. Include a copy of your military orders.
6. Include a copy of the Odometer Statement “Attachment A.”
   * You must sign the Odometer Statement before sending it with your letter.
7. You must return the vehicle to the person or company that leased you the vehicle within 15 days of the delivery of the notice.

## Learn More

For information about the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act or other topics regarding individuals with military connections, visit <http://www.statesidelegal.org> or contact your local Judge Advocate General's (JAG) Corps office, sometimes referred to as a military legal assistance office. Go to the [U.S. Armed Forces Legal Assistance website](https://legalassistance.law.af.mil/) for the nearest JAG.

## About the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act

1. The purpose of the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act (SCRA) is to provide protection to servicemembers who have difficulty meeting their financial and legal obligations because of their military service.
2. The SCRA allows a servicemember that is required to move due to military orders to terminate a lease early (50 U.S.C. § 3955) under certain circumstances.
3. The landlord cannot demand any type of penalty for early termination. The landlord must refund the security deposit (minus any damages) within 30 days of the date the lease was terminated.