



The Repealing and Amending Bill, 2019

The Parliament has passed the Repealing and Amending Bill, 2019.

- The bill seeks to **repeal certain enactments and to amend certain other enactments.**
 - It provides for **repealing fifty-eight old Laws** including the Beedi Workers Welfare Fund Act, 1976, and the Motor Vehicles (Amendment) Act, 2001 which have no relevance today.
 - It also repeals the Tea (Amendment) Act, 1980, the Central Road Fund (Amendment) Act, 2007, and the Central Universities Act, 2009.
 - It seeks to make minor amendments to the Income Tax Act, 1961 and the India Institutes of Management Act, 2017.
- The Bill has been passed to ensure **minimum legislation and maximum governance.** Periodic review of old laws is a part of governance.
 - Since 2014, the government has repealed 1428 obsolete central laws.

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