

# 6 Essential 'TENANT' Tips for Negotiating a Commercial Lease



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Real estate lawyer Laura A. Drossman uses a handy acronym to illustrate some of the issues and some tips for tenants approaching lease negotiations in a commercial setting.

In her **Linkedin article**, she discusses six points, keyed to the acronym TENANT.

Those are term length, exit strategy, notice and cure periods, assignment and subleasing, net or gross: rental structures, and tenant improvements.

She writes that keeping those points in mind will help commercial tenants understand how to negotiate favorable lease terms to position themselves for success before signing.

**Read the article.**