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**PORTFOLIO COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
TO
PROHIBITION OR
RESTRICTION OF CERTAIN
CONVENTIONAL WEAPONS
BILL**

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(National Assembly))*

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CLAUSE 1

1. On page 4, after line 26, to insert the following definition:

“non-detectable fragments” means any device or material the primary effect of which is to injure by fragments which in the human body escape detection by X-rays;

2. On page 4, after line 44, to insert the following definition:

“prescribed” means prescribed by regulation made under section 15;

CLAUSE 5

1. On page 6, from line 4, to omit “weapon” up to and including “X-rays” in line 5 and to substitute “non-detectable fragments”.

CLAUSE 9

1. On page 7, in line 27, after “8” to insert “or who orders or aids the contravention thereof”.

CLAUSE 10

1. On page 7, in line 33, after “possession” to insert “in the prescribed manner”.
2. On page 7, from line 38, to omit subsection (3) and to substitute:

(3) The police official must record the notification contemplated in subsection (1) and immediately arrange for the collection of the prohibited weapon or component part.

CLAUSE 11

1. On page 8, from line 9, to omit paragraph (b) and to substitute:
(b) to Parliament before the Minister submits the report contemplated in paragraph (a).

CLAUSE 15

1. On page 8, from line 49, to omit subsection (2) and to substitute:

(2) Regulations made by the Minister prescribing the matters stated in section 10(1) must be made after consultation with the Minister for Safety and Security.

CLAUSE 17

1. On page 9, in line 23, to omit “2007” and to substitute “2008”.