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Constitution Bill, 1995

Mar a tionscnafodh
As initiated

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ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS

Section

1. Amendment of Article 40.1 of the Constitution.
2. Citation.

SCHEDULE

PART I

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RIAR NA nALT

Alt

1. Airteagal 40.1 den Bhunrecht a leasú.
2. Lua.

AN SCEIDEAL

CUID I

CUID II



FIFTEENTH AMENDMENT OF THE CONSTITUTION
BILL, 1995

BILL

entitled

AN ACT TO AMEND THE CONSTITUTION. 5

WHEREAS by virtue of Article 46 of the Constitution any provision of the Constitution may be amended in the manner provided by that Article:

AND WHEREAS it is proposed to amend Article 40.1 of the Constitution: 10

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED BY THE OIREACHTAS AS FOLLOWS:

Amendment of
Article 40.1 of the
Constitution.

1.—Article 40.1 of the Constitution is hereby amended as follows:

- (a) the text set out in *Part I* of the *Schedule* to this Act shall be added after Article 40.1 of the Constitution in the Irish text; 15
- (b) the text set out in *Part II* of the *Schedule* to this Act shall be added after Article 40.1 of the Constitution in the English text.

Citation.

2.—(1) The amendment of the Constitution effected by this Act shall be called the Fifteenth Amendment of the Constitution. 20

(2) This Act may be cited as the Fifteenth Amendment of the Constitution Act, 1995.



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mBUNREACTH, 1995

BILLE

dá ngairtear

5 ACHT CHUN AN BUNREACTH A LEASÚ.

DE BHRÍ gur cead, de bhua Airteagal 46 den Bhunreacht, foráil ar bith den Bhunreacht a leasú ar an modh a shocraítear leis an Airteagal sin:

10 AGUS DE BHRÍ go bhfuil beartaithe Airteagal 40.1 den Bhunreacht a leasú:

ACHTAÍTEAR AG AN OIREACHTAS AR AN ÁBHAR SIN
MAR A LEANAS:

1.—Leasaítear leis seo mar a leanas Airteagal 40.1 den Bhunreacht: Airteagal 40.1 den Bhunreacht a leasú.

15 (a) cuirfear an téacs atá leagtha amach i *gCuid I* den *Sceideal* a ghabhann leis an Acht seo i ndiaidh Airteagal 40.1 den Bhunreacht sa téacs Gaeilge;

20 (b) cuirfear an téacs atá leagtha amach i *gCuid II* den *Sceideal* a ghabhann leis an Acht seo i ndiaidh Airteagal 40.1. den Bhunreacht sa téacs Sacs-Bhéarla.

2.—(1) An Cúigiú Leasú Déag ar an mBunreacht a thabharfar ar Lua. an leasú a dhéantar ar an mBunreacht leis an Acht seo.

(2) Féadfar an tAcht um an gCúigiú Leasú Déag ar an mBunreacht, 1995, a ghairm den Acht seo.

SCHEDULE

PART I

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2° Maidir le haon duine a athchuirfear i gcoimeád go dtí go dtrialfear é de bhrí gur deimhin le breitheamh go bhfuil an dóchúlacht ann go ndéanfaidh an duine aicme ciona choiriúil ar cion indíotáilte é freisin má ligtear faoi bhannaí é, ní athchuirfear i gcoimeád é mar gheall air sin amháin go ceann aon tréimhse singile is faide ná nócha lá. 10

PART II

Any person charged with an indictable offence may be remanded in custody pending trial if, on the hearing of an application for bail, the judge is satisfied that there is a probability that the person will commit a class of criminal offence which is also an indictable offence if admitted to bail. 15

2° Any person remanded in custody pending trial by reason of a judge being satisfied that there is a probability that the person will commit a class of criminal offence which is also an indictable offence if admitted to bail shall not be remanded in custody for that reason alone for any single period greater than ninety days. 20

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