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**Government amendments are denoted by an asterisk*

SECTION 2

1. In page 3, between lines 14 and 15, to insert the following:

“Amendment of section 65(1) of Principal Act

2. Section 65(1) of the Principal Act is amended by the substitution of “1 member, who is” for “3 members, all of whom are”.

—Senators David Cullinane, Trevor Ó Clochartaigh, Kathryn Reilly.

SECTION 4

2. In page 3, in between lines 20 and 21, to insert the following:

“Amendment of section 82(1) of Principal Act

4. Section 82(1) is amended by the insertion of the following definition:

“ “Independent Adjudicator” means a member of the judiciary chosen to adjudicate on disputes between the Ombudsman Commission and the Garda Inspectorate.”.

—Senators David Cullinane, Trevor Ó Clochartaigh, Kathryn Reilly.

SECTION 5

3. In page 3, between lines 23 and 24, to insert the following:

“Amendment of section 96(4) of Principal Act

5. Section 96(4) of the Principal Act is amended by the substitution “and where a dispute occurs the matter shall be referred to the Independent Adjudicator” for “except in accordance with a direction of a Minister”

—Senators David Cullinane, Trevor Ó Clochartaigh, Kathryn Reilly.

[SECTION 5]

4. In page 3, between lines 23 and 24, to insert the following:

“Amendment of section 96(5) of Principal Act

5. Section 96(5) of the Principal Act is amended by the substitution of “Independent Adjudicator” for “Minister”.”.

—*Senators David Cullinane, Trevor Ó Clochartaigh, Kathryn Reilly.*

5. In page 3, between lines 23 and 24, to insert the following:

“Amendment of section 96(6) of Principal Act

5. Section 96(6) of the Principal Act is amended by the substitution of “Independent Adjudicator” for “Minister” in each place where it occurs.”.

—*Senators David Cullinane, Trevor Ó Clochartaigh, Kathryn Reilly.*

SECTION 7

6. In page 4, line 18, to delete “subject to the consent of the Minister given”.

—*Senators David Cullinane, Trevor Ó Clochartaigh, Kathryn Reilly.*

7. In page 4, to delete lines 29 to 31.

—*Senators David Cullinane, Trevor Ó Clochartaigh, Kathryn Reilly.*

8. In page 5, between lines 17 and 18, to insert the the following:

“(2) The Ombudsman Commission may, if the investigation so requires, access the PULSE system.”.

—*Senators David Cullinane, Trevor Ó Clochartaigh, Kathryn Reilly.*

SECTION 9

9. In page 5, line 37, to delete “as soon as practicable” and substitute “within 30 days”.

—*Senators David Cullinane, Trevor Ó Clochartaigh, Kathryn Reilly.*

SECTION 14

10. In page 11, between lines 8 and 9, to insert the following:

“Establishment of Criminal Justice Inspectorate

14. The Minister shall establish a Criminal Justice Inspectorate which is primarily responsible for the effectiveness and efficiency of the workings of organisations within the criminal justice sector including; An Garda Síochána; Garda Síochána Ombudsman Commission; the Director of Public Prosecutions; the Probation Service; the Courts Service; Irish Youth Justice Service.”.

—*Senators David Cullinane, Trevor Ó Clochartaigh, Kathryn Reilly.*