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**General**

The purpose of this Bill is to establish a system known as Taisceadán, a Register of items of personal property to be managed by an Garda Síochána to assist in the identification of items of personal property, for the purposes of investigation of crime, and for the repatriation of items of property.

*Section 1*

This section deals with the interpretation of terms relevant to the Bill.

*Section 2*

- (1) Deals with the establishment and maintenance of the register by an Garda Síochána in consultation with and with the direction of the Minister for Justice.
- (2) Outlines the uses of the register in terms of access, and how it will operate with the framework of EU databases of a similar nature.
- (3) Specifies the types of property that will be subject to the register, and allows for the expansion of the types of property permitted where it is deemed appropriate.
- (4) Outlines the information required by the owner to register their property.
- (5) Provides for the practicalities of marking said property.

*Section 3*

This section allows for the Minister to make regulations in regard to the provisions contained within Section 2 of the Bill; namely procedures related to registration, supplementary and consequential provisions.

*Section 4*

This section provides for the short title and commencement.

*Deputies Donnchadh Ó Laoghaire and Martin Kenny,  
Íúil, 2019.*

