Penal Code (Amendment) Bill

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An Act to amend the Penal Code (Chapter 103 of the Revised Edition).

Be it enacted by the President with the advice and consent of the Parliament of

Singapore, as follows: —

Short title and commencement

1. This Act may be cited as the Penal Code (Amendment) Act, 1973 and shall come into operation on such date as the Minister may, by notification in the *Gazette*, appoint.

Amendment of section 147

2. Section 147 of the Penal Code is hereby amended by deleting the expression "two years, or with fine, or with both" appearing at the end thereof and substituting therefor the words "five years and shall also be liable to caning".

Amendment of section 148

3. Section 148 of the Penal Code is hereby amended by deleting the expression "three years, or with fine, or with both" appearing at the end thereof and substituting therefor the words "seven years and shall also be liable to caning".

Amendment of section 152

4. Section 152 of the Penal Code is hereby amended by deleting the word "three" appearing in the last line thereof and substituting therefor the word "six".

Amendment of section 304

5. Paragraph (a) of section 304 of the Penal Code is hereby amended by inserting immediately after the word "fine" appearing in the third line thereof the words "or to caning".

Amendment of section 307

6. Subsection (1) of section 307 of the Penal Code is hereby amended by inserting immediately after the word "mentioned" appearing at the end thereof the words "and shall also be liable to caning".

Amendment of section 324

7. Section 324 of the Penal Code is hereby amended by deleting the word "three" appearing in the tenth line thereof and substituting therefor the word "five".

Amendment of section 325

8. Section 325 of the Penal Code is hereby amended by inserting immediately after the word "fine" appearing at the end thereof the words "or to caning".

Amendment of section 331