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**PORTFOLIO COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
TO
HYDROGRAPHIC BILL**

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*(As agreed to by the Portfolio Committee on Defence and Military Veterans
(National Assembly))*

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CLAUSE 1

1. On page 2, in line 17, to omit “agreement” and to substitute “agreements”.
2. On page 2, from line 29, to omit the definition for “hydrographic data” and to substitute:

“hydrographic data” means all data obtained from the measurement and description of the physical features of the exclusive economic zone, all internal waters and adjacent terrain, including the depth of the water, configuration and the nature of the topography beneath, the direction and force of currents, heights and times of tides and water stages, location of topographic features and fixed objects for survey and navigation;

3. On page 3, in line 4, after “determining” to insert “hydrographic”.
4. On page 3, in line 5, to omit “relating to bodies of water or oceans”.
5. On page 3, in line 7, to omit “Professional and Technical Surveyors Act, 1984 (Act No. 40 of 1984)” and to substitute “Geomatics Profession Act, 2013 (Act No. 19 of 2013)”.
6. On page 3, in line 24, after “;” to insert “and”.
7. On page 3, from line 25, to omit the definition for “user” and to substitute:

“user” means any person who obtains through purchase, or otherwise, information from or products of the Hydrographic Office, or who pays for the services of the Hydrographic Office.

CLAUSE 7

1. On page 4, in line 50, to omit “beach” and to substitute “seashore”.
2. On page 4, in line 51, after “ocean” to insert “and internal waters”.
3. On page 4, in line 53, to omit “beach” and to substitute “seashore”.
4. On page 4, in line 53, after “ocean” to insert “and internal waters”.
5. On page 4, in line 56, to omit “beach” and to substitute “seashore”.
6. On page 4, in line 57, after “ocean” to insert “and internal waters”.

CLAUSE 8

1. On page 5, from line 18, to omit clause 8 and to substitute:

8. (1) Any person identified by the Hydrographer from time to time by notice in the *Gazette* must communicate and submit any information in his or her possession regarding anything that poses a