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NOTICES OF AMENDMENTS TO BILLS

IN COMMITTEE

PUNISHMENT FOR VANDALISM BILL [BILL NO. 36/66]

Clause 3:

Minister of Defence:

- (1) In page 2, lines 25 to 27: to leave out "paragraph (a) of subsection (1) of section 11 of the Minor Offences Ordinance", and insert "any other written law".
- (2) In page 2, line 30: to leave out "one", and insert "two".
- (3) In page 2, lines 31 and 32: to leave out "six months", and insert "three years".
- (4) In page 2, line 34: after "caning", to insert "with not less than three strokes and not more than eight strokes".
- (5) In page 2, line 39: to leave out "1", and insert "2".

Note: In page 2, marginal note: to leave out "Cap. 117.".

Clause 4:

Minister of Defence:

In page 3, line 3: to leave out "1", and insert "2".

NEW CLAUSES.

New Clause (A):

Minister of Defence:

"Presumption Cap. 119.

For the purposes of any prosecution under section 411 of the Penal Code, where the stolen property is public property, it shall be presumed, until the contrary is proved, that the person who received or retained such property knew or had reason to believe that such property was stolen public property and also that such person received or retained it dishonestly."

Note: It is intended that this new clause be inserted after clause 6.

New Clause (B):

Minister of Defence:

"Cancellation of secondhand dealer's licence upon conviction. Cap. 200. Where any licensed dealer within the meaning of the Second-hand Dealers Ordinance or any dealer in second-hand goods to whom a certificate of exemption has been granted under the said Ordinance is convicted under the provisions of section 411 of the Penal

Code and the stolen property concerned is public property, the Court shall, in addition to any other penalty that it may impose, cancel any licence or certificate of exemption granted under the said Ordinance to such licensed dealer or such dealer in second-hand goods, as the case may be.".

Note: It is intended that this new clause be inserted after new clause (A).

Long Title:

In page 1: at end, to add "and to make special provisions in regard to certain offences relating to public property".

JUDICIAL COMMITTEE BILL [BILL NO. 26/66]

Clause 6:

Minister for Law and National Development:

In page 3, line 24: after "appeals", to insert "and other proceedings".

Clause 9:

Minister for Law and National Development:

In page 4, line 4: after "Act", to insert "and when, in any such case, any special leave to appeal has been granted by the Yang di-Pertuan Agong or the President, such appeal may be proceeded with as if the special leave of the Privy Council had been granted".

Clause 10:

Minister for Law and National Development:

In page 4, lines 5 to 7: to leave out sub-clause (1) and insert —

- '(1) The Courts of Judicature Act, 1964, is hereby amended
 - (a) by deleting paragraph (c) of section 16 thereof and substituting therefor the following:—
 - "(c) for regulating and prescribing the procedure to be followed on appeals from the Federal Court to the Judicial Committee of Her Britannic Majesty's Privy Council;"; and
 - (b) by repealing sections 74 to 79 thereof.'.

Note:—In page 4: to leave out the marginal note and insert "Amendment of Courts of Judicature Act, 1964. M. Act 7 of 1964."