

# Northern Ireland Troubles (Legacy and Reconciliation) Bill

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## AMENDMENTS TO BE MOVED ON REPORT

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### Clause 5

BARONESS O'LOAN  
BARONESS RITCHIE OF DOWNPATRICK

Page 4, line 37, leave out “reasonably”

***Member’s explanatory statement***

*This amendment gives the ICIR the right to require information, documents and other material from all the organisations listed in the definition of “relevant authority”.*

### Clause 7

BARONESS O'LOAN  
BARONESS RITCHIE OF DOWNPATRICK

Leave out Clause 7

### Clause 9

BARONESS O'LOAN  
BARONESS RITCHIE OF DOWNPATRICK

Page 8, line 3, leave out “, but only if it is appropriate for that family member to make that request”

***Member’s explanatory statement***

*This, and another amendment to Clause 7 in the name of Baroness O’Loan, removes the power of the Commissioner for Investigations to determine whether a family member should be prevented from requesting a review.*

Page 8, line 46, leave out subsection (7)

***Member’s explanatory statement***

*This amendment removes the power of the Commissioner for Investigations to determine whether a family member should be prevented from requesting a review.*

**Clause 15**

BARONESS O'LOAN

Page 14, line 14, at end insert “or modify the material to make it appropriate for inclusion in the report”

***Member’s explanatory statement***

*This probing amendment enhances the ability of the Chief Commissioner to provide a more complete report by permitting them to modify the material rather than simply to exclude it.*

BARONESS O'LOAN

BARONESS RITCHIE OF DOWNPATRICK

Page 14, line 17, after “exclude” insert “or modify”

***Member’s explanatory statement***

*This probing amendment, and another in the name of Baroness O’Loan, enhances the ability of the Chief Commissioner to provide a more complete report by permitting them to modify the material rather than simply to exclude it.*

**Clause 34**

BARONESS O'LOAN

BARONESS RITCHIE OF DOWNPATRICK

Leave out Clause 34

***Member’s explanatory statement***

*This amendment would delete the Clause that prohibits criminal investigations other than by ICRIR.*

**Clause 39**

BARONESS O'LOAN

BARONESS RITCHIE OF DOWNPATRICK

Leave out Clause 39

***Member’s explanatory statement***

*This amendment would delete the Clause that removes the right to civil action from those who have been bereaved or affected by the Troubles.*

**Clause 40**

BARONESS O'LOAN

BARONESS RITCHIE OF DOWNPATRICK

Leave out Clause 40

***Member’s explanatory statement***

*This amendment would delete the Clause that prohibits all existing and future inquests, investigations and inquiries into the deaths resulting directly from The Troubles.*

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