

Victims and Prisoners Bill

AMENDMENTS TO BE MOVED ON REPORT

[Supplementary to the Third Marshalled List]

Clause 48

LORD BELLAMY

Clause 48, page 52, line 13, leave out ““ten” substitute “three”” and insert “the words from “the period” to the end of the definition substitute “–

- (a) if the prisoner was not at any time in the period of two years beginning with the date of the prisoner’s release serving any preventive sentence in respect of an offence for which the prisoner was convicted when aged 18 or over, that two year period;
- (b) otherwise, the period of three years beginning with the date of the prisoner’s release.””

Member's explanatory statement

This amendment provides for a shorter “qualifying period” for prisoners only serving preventive sentences imposed in respect of offences for which they were convicted when aged under 18.

LORD BELLAMY

Clause 48, page 52, line 18, after “specified” insert “in paragraph (a) or (b) of the definition of “qualifying period””

Member's explanatory statement

This amendment is consequential on my amendment of Clause 48, page 52, line 13, which provides for a shorter “qualifying period” for prisoners only serving preventive sentences imposed in respect of offences for which they were convicted when aged under 18.

Clause 55

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Clause 56

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Clause 58

LORD BELLAMY

Clause 58, page 58, line 33, leave out from “legislation” to end of line 36 and insert “(whenever passed or made)”

Member's explanatory statement

This amendment enables legislation passed or made after the current session of Parliament to be consequentially amended by regulations under Clause 58.

Clause 59

LORD BELLAMY

Clause 59, page 59, line 8, at end insert –

“(2A) A statutory instrument containing (alone or with other provision) regulations made by the Secretary of State under section (*Disclosures by victims that cannot be precluded by agreement*) may not be made unless a draft of the instrument has been laid before and approved by a resolution of each House of Parliament.”

Member's explanatory statement

*This amendment replaces my amendment 157 with revised provision to enable a statutory instrument containing regulations under Clause (*Disclosures by victims that cannot be precluded by agreement*), which are subject to the affirmative Parliamentary procedure, to include consequential provision.*

LORD BELLAMY

Clause 59, page 59, line 9, after “containing” insert “(alone or with other provision)”

Member's explanatory statement

This amendment enables a statutory instrument containing regulations under Clause 58 that amend, repeal or revoke primary legislation, which are subject to the affirmative Parliamentary procedure, to also contain the regulations on which they are consequential.

Clause 61

LORD BELLAMY

Clause 61, page 59, line 27, at end insert—

- “(a) Part 3;
- (b) this Part.”

Member's explanatory statement

This amendment provides for all of Part 3 (infected blood) to come into force on Royal Assent. It replaces my amendments 162 and 165, which provided for certain provisions of Part 3 to come into force on Royal Assent and the rest to be brought into force by regulations.

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