

Terrorism (Protection of Premises) Bill

RUNNING LIST OF ALL AMENDMENTS ON REPORT

*Tabled up to and including
27 February 2025*

The amendments are listed in accordance with the following Instruction –

Clauses 1 to 4	Clauses 13 to 34
Schedules 1 and 2	Schedule 4
Clauses 5 to 12	Clauses 35 to 38
Schedule 3	Title

[Amendments marked ★ are new or have been altered]

Clause 2

LORD UDNY-LISTER

- ★ Clause 2, page 2, line 11, leave out “200” and insert “500”

Member's explanatory statement

This amendment would raise the minimum threshold for a premises to be a “qualifying premises” to 500.

Clause 3

LORD HANSON OF FLINT

Clause 3, page 3, line 8, leave out “invitations” and insert “tickets”

Member's explanatory statement

This amendment clarifies the meaning of “qualifying event”.

LORD HANSON OF FLINT

Clause 3, page 3, line 9, leave out “other” and insert “similar”

Member's explanatory statement

This amendment clarifies the meaning of “qualifying event”.

Schedule 1

LORD HANSON OF FLINT

Schedule 1, page 35, line 30, leave out “invitations” and insert “tickets”

Member's explanatory statement

This amendment clarifies references in the Bill to “visiting members of the public”.

LORD HANSON OF FLINT

Schedule 1, page 35, line 31, leave out “other” and insert “similar”

Member's explanatory statement

This amendment clarifies references in the Bill to “visiting members of the public”.

Schedule 2

LORD HANSON OF FLINT

Schedule 2, page 36, line 26, leave out “invitations” and insert “tickets”

Member's explanatory statement

This amendment clarifies the definition of certain premises to which Part 1 of the Bill does not apply.

LORD HANSON OF FLINT

Schedule 2, page 36, line 27, leave out “other” and insert “similar”

Member's explanatory statement

This amendment clarifies the definition of certain premises to which Part 1 of the Bill does not apply.

Clause 5

LORD HANSON OF FLINT

Clause 5, page 4, line 19, leave out subsections (4) to (6)

Member's explanatory statement

This amendment is consequential on my amendments of clause 32.

Clause 6

LORD HANSON OF FLINT

Clause 6, page 5, line 12, leave out subsections (4) to (6)

Member's explanatory statement*This amendment is consequential on my amendments of clause 32.***Clause 7**LORD CAMERON OF LOCHIEL
LORD SANDHURST

- ★ Clause 7, page 5, line 41, leave out from beginning to “prepared” and insert “within six months of it being”

Member's explanatory statement*This amendment seeks to understand the Government's expectations of organisations under this section so they have clarity on how long they will have to provide the document to the Security Industry Authority.***After Clause 11**BARONESS SUTTIE
BARONESS HAMWEE*Revised version of the amendment printed on 13 February*

After Clause 11, insert the following new Clause –

“Developing and implementing training on public protection procedures

- (1) The Secretary of State must take such steps as they consider appropriate to ensure that –
- (a) adequate accredited training provision is made available for persons responsible for qualifying premises or qualifying events in respect of public protection procedures that includes –
 - (i) the monitoring of premises or events and the immediate vicinity of premises or events,
 - (ii) evacuation procedures and the movement of individuals into, out of and within a premises or event,
 - (iii) physical safety and security of occupants in a premises,
 - (iv) provision of security information to individuals on a premises or at an event, and
 - (v) other measures related to terrorism protection training;
 - (b) a training implementation plan is put in place to ensure all organisations and persons to which the provisions of this Act apply are encouraged to undertake training related to public protection procedures.

- (2) Functions of the Secretary of State under this section may be exercised by any organisation or persons authorised to do so by the Secretary of State.
- (3) The Secretary of State must, within 6 months of the day on which this Act is passed, lay before Parliament a report setting out the steps they have taken in relation to subsection (1).”

Member's explanatory statement

This new clause would require the Secretary of State to develop and implement a training plan in respect of qualifying premises and events.

LORD CAMERON OF LOCHIEL
LORD SANDHURST

★ After Clause 11, insert the following new Clause –

“Tribunal decision timelines

- (1) Any tribunal convened under this Act to review or determine matters related to the designation of qualifying premises or security measures must issue a decision within a reasonable time.
- (2) If a tribunal fails to make a decision within a reasonable time the event or activity in question must be permitted to proceed as initially planned, subject to compliance with standard security requirements under this Act.”

Member's explanatory statement

This amendment imposes a reasonable timeframe on the tribunal's determinations and clarifies that events should go ahead if the tribunal fails to make a decision in a reasonable time.

Clause 12

BARONESS SUTTIE
BARONESS HAMWEE

Clause 12, page 8, line 25, at end insert –

“(d) establish a scheme for the approval of persons offering training in compliance with the requirements.”

Member's explanatory statement

This amendment is intended to ensure that any person who provides training in compliance with the requirements under the Act is of a high and competent standard.

Clause 32

LORD HANSON OF FLINT

Clause 32, page 23, line 3, at end insert –

“(ba) amend section 5(3) (public protection procedures) so as to –

- (i) specify a further procedure, or
 - (ii) omit, or amend the description of, a procedure for the time being specified;
- (bb) amend section 6(3) (public protection measures) so as to—
- (i) specify a further measure, or
 - (ii) omit, or amend the description of, a measure for the time being specified;”

Member's explanatory statement

This amendment moves to clause 32 of the Bill the powers left out of clauses 5 and 6 by my amendments to those clauses.

LORD HANSON OF FLINT
LORD ANDERSON OF IPSWICH

Clause 32, page 23, line 18, at end insert—

- “(2) Before making regulations under subsection (1) the Secretary of State must consult such persons as the Secretary of State considers appropriate.”

Member's explanatory statement

This amendment requires the Secretary of State to consult before exercising the powers in clause 32 to amend Part 1 of the Bill.

LORD HANSON OF FLINT
LORD ANDERSON OF IPSWICH

Clause 32, page 23, line 18, at end insert—

- “(2) The power in—
- (a) subsection (1)(a) or (b), so far as it confers a power to lower a figure,
 - (b) subsection (1)(ba)(i), or
 - (c) subsection (1)(bb)(i),
- may be exercised only if the Secretary of State considers that doing so is necessary for public protection.
- (3) The power in—
- (a) subsection (1)(a) or (b), so far as it confers a power to increase a figure,
 - (b) subsection (1)(ba)(ii), or
 - (c) subsection (1)(bb)(ii),
- may be exercised only if the Secretary of State considers that it is not necessary for public protection to retain the figure, procedure or measure (as the case may be) for the time being specified.”

Member's explanatory statement

This amendment imposes conditions on the exercise of certain powers to amend Part 1 of the Bill.

Clause 35

LORD HANSON OF FLINT

Clause 35, page 25, line 13, leave out paragraphs (a) and (b)

Member's explanatory statement

This amendment is consequential on my amendments of clauses 5 and 6.

Clause 37LORD CAMERON OF LOCHIEL
LORD SANDHURST

- ★ Clause 37, page 25, line 32, leave out paragraphs (a) and (b) and insert “no sooner than six months after the day on which this Act is passed, and not before draft guidance on the application of the Act has been issued to businesses affected by the provisions of the Act and a consultation with those businesses has taken place.”

Member's explanatory statement

This amendment seeks to delay the commencement of parts 1 and 2 of the Act to ensure that businesses have been properly consulted before the Act's provisions come into place and the draft guidance has been published.

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