

## **THE FIREARMS (AMENDMENT) BILL, 2006**

### **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

*(These notes form no part of the Bill but are intended only to indicate its general purport)*

The Firearms (Amendment) Bill, 2006, seeks to enhance the operational effectiveness of the Customs and Excise Division by proposing amendments to section 6 as well as Part IV of the Firearms Act, Chap. 16:01. (“the Act”).

Clause 1 would provide the short title of the Act, for which this is the Bill.

Clause 2 would provide for the amendment of section 6 of the Act by deleting the words “while patrolling the sea”.

Clause 3 seeks to amend Part IV of the Act by the insertion of a new section which would provide an interpretation for “police officer”.

Clause 4 would provide for the amendment of section 33 by the insertion of two new subsections concerning the exportation of any firearm or ammunition.



Passed in the Senate this                      day of                      , 2006.

Clerk of the Senate

I confirm the above.

President of the Senate