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Dear Mrs CHAN

Fugitive Offenders (Sri Lanka) Order & Fugitive Offenders (Portugal) Order

I am scrutinizing the above Orders with a view to advise Members on their legal and drafting aspects.

I set out in the attached schedule my observations on the Orders for your consideration. Your reply before the end of next week would enable me to take it into account in the Division's report to the House Committee.

Yours sincerely

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Schedule

Fugitive Offenders (Sri Lanka) Order

Article 2

- Item 3: Malicious wounding is omitted. Please confirm that it is done on purpose.
- Item 10: "law" is missing after "insolvency". Please confirm whether rectification is required.
- Item 18: Please supply the statutory references for offences involving incendiary weapons or devices.
- Item 33: Please supply the statutory references for offences involving child pornography.
- Item 34: Please supply the statutory references for offences of procuring and trafficking for the purposes of prostitution.

Please also confirm that the offences listed in Article 2 may be broader in scope than what have been listed in Schedule 1 to the Fugitive Offenders Ordinance (Cap. 503).

Fugitive Offenders (Portugal) Order

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