

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

TERRORISM (COMMUNITY PROTECTION) AND CONTROL OF WEAPONS
AMENDMENT BILL 2024(Amendments and New Clauses to be proposed in Committee by EVAN MULHOLLAND)

1. Clause 1, page 2, after line 14 insert—
 - "(ia) further provide for prohibited weapons; and".
2. Clause 2, lines 17 and 18, omit all words and expressions on these lines and insert—
 - "(1) This Act (other than sections 54B and 54D) comes into operation on the day after the day on which it receives the Royal Assent.
 - (2) Subject to subsection (3), sections 54B and 54D come into operation on a day or days to be proclaimed.
 - (3) If sections 54B and 54D do not come into operation before 30 September 2025, they come into operation on that day."

NEW CLAUSES

3. Insert the following New Clause before clause 55—

'54A Definitions

In section 3(1) of the **Control of Weapons Act 1990**, in the definition of ***controlled weapon***, the example at the foot of paragraph (a) is **repealed**."
4. Insert the following New Clause to follow clause 54A—

'54B Definitions

In section 3(1) of the **Control of Weapons Act 1990**, in the definition of ***prohibited weapon***, after "imitation firearm" **insert** ", a machete".'.
5. Insert the following New Clause to follow clause 54B—

'54C Prohibited weapons

After section 5(3) of the **Control of Weapons Act 1990** **insert**—

"(4) In this section (other than subsection 1A)—

prohibited weapon includes a machete.".'.

6. Insert the following New Clause to follow clause 54C—

"54D Prohibited weapons

Section 5(4) of the **Control of Weapons Act 1990** is repealed."

7. Clause 58, lines 3 and 4, omit "the first anniversary of its commencement" and insert "30 September 2026".