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AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 26A OF THE PENAL CODE TO MAKE PROVISION FOR THE EXCLUSION OF WEEKEND DETENTION AS A FORM OF IMPRISONMENT FOR BREACH OF THE LEADERSHIP CODE AND PART X OF THE PENAL CODE.

Commencement [24th November, 2017]

1 Short Title

This Act may be cited as the Penal Code (Amendment) Act 2017.

2 Amendment to section 26A

Section 26A is amended by inserting a new subsection (6) after subsection (5) to read:

- (6) A leader convicted under the provisions of the Leadership Code and to an offence under Part X- Corruption and the Abuse of Office of the Penal Code shall not be sentenced by the Court to weekend detention.

Re-number current subsection (6) to subsection (7) to give effect to the amendment.