The Chairman committee of amending the bill on terrorism, cleric Muhammad Syafi’i, has said that it is almost completely done. He said Tuesday (on 20 February), however, that there are still some articles that have not been verified by the government.

According to the cleric, the committee still wait for the government verifying Articles on the involvement of TNI or the Indonesia Armed Forces in eradicating terrorism and on the definition of the term “terrorist”.

Mentioning that the committee has completely agreed with TNI’s involvement, Syafi’i said that the forms of the involvement would be defined in details by the government.

In the meantime, while waiting for the government to define the term “terrorist”, the committee has described it as anyone conducting any crime of making the people feel frightened, destroying public facilities in order to achieve a certain [political] goal.

Source: TS/MR, kiblat/2018/02/20/romo-syafi-ruu-terorisme-hampir-final/, “Romo Syafi'i: RUU Terorisme Hampir Final (Committee Chairman of amending bill on terrorism says that it is almost done)”, in Indonesian, 20 Feb18.