

QUESTIONS PURSUANT TO RULE 11 OF THE RULES OF PROCEDURE

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To	President, Committee <i>for the</i> Environment & Infrastructure
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Question 1

Failure to take action to prevent continued exceedances or address areas of increasing pollutant concentrations will lead to increasing negative health impacts on-Island. The air pollution ordinance is currently being drafted which will licence and condition prescribed operations against air quality standards and objectives.

What timescale is in place and when do you expect the new legislation could be introduced and in place?

Question 2

The Director of Environmental Health & Pollution Regulation has recently stated that staff are looking at implementing an air quality monitoring programme and the proposed monitoring programme was to align with the implementation of legislation to control air pollution locally and the introduction of air quality standards. What is preventing air quality monitoring from happening immediately as an aid to control air pollution locally?