

## QUESTIONS PURSUANT TO RULE 11 OF THE RULES OF PROCEDURE

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<b>To</b>	President, Committee <i>for</i> Home Affairs
<b>Subject</b>	The policing of littering
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### Question 1

75,000 discarded cigarette butts were collected by members of the public during Pick It Up Guernsey's recent campaign. Dropping cigarette butts is a littering offence that qualifies for a £70 fixed penalty notice. How many fixed penalty notices have been issued for this offence a) in the last 12 months and b) in the last five years?

*[NB Please provide answers relating specifically to cigarette butt littering if this disaggregated data exists, but in the more likely event that it doesn't, please provide answers relating to littering generally.]*

### Question 2

How frequently do the Police run campaigns targeting littering and how successful are they?

### Question 3

In light of the number of fixed penalty notices issued compared with the sheer scale of the problem illustrated by the Pick It Up Guernsey campaign, is the Committee confident that the Police are adequately resourced to enforce this law effectively on a day-to-day basis?

### Question 4

As revenue would easily cover the cost of employment, does the Committee consider that creating a specific role focused on enforcing the law on littering – from deterring and reducing street litter to investigating the illegal dumping of waste – should be looked at?