

**IN THE STATES OF THE ISLAND OF GUERNSEY  
ON THE 15<sup>th</sup> DAY OF JANUARY, 2019**

**The States resolved as follows concerning Billet d'État No I  
dated 16<sup>th</sup> December, 2019**

**COMMITTEE FOR EMPLOYMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY**

APPOINTMENT OF AN INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES OFFICER AND DEPUTY INDUSTRIAL  
DISPUTES OFFICER  
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- I. After consideration of the Policy Letter entitled 'Appointment of an Industrial Disputes Officer and Deputy Industrial Disputes Officer', dated 25<sup>th</sup> November 2019:
  1. To appoint Mr Stuart Le Maitre as Industrial Disputes Officer, for the period 15<sup>th</sup> January 2020 to 31<sup>st</sup> December 2024, and
  2. To appoint Mr Boley Smillie as Deputy Industrial Disputes Officer, for the period 15<sup>th</sup> January 2020 to 31<sup>st</sup> December 2024.

***STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS LAID BEFORE THE STATES***

No. 113 of 2019

**The Land Planning and Development (Fees) (Amendment) Regulations, 2019**

In pursuance of section 12 of the Land Planning and Development (Fees and Commencement) Ordinance, 2008 and section 89 of the Land Planning and Development (Guernsey) Law, 2005, the "Land Planning and Development (Fees) (Amendment) Regulations, 2019", made by the Development and Planning Authority on 20<sup>th</sup> November, 2019, were laid before the States.

**THE COMPANIES (GUERNSEY) LAW, 2008 (INSOLVENCY) (AMENDMENT)  
ORDINANCE, 2020**

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- II. To approve the draft Ordinance entitled "The Companies (Guernsey) Law, 2008 (Insolvency) (Amendment) Ordinance, 2020", and to direct that the same shall have effect as an Ordinance of the States.

## **POLICY & RESOURCES COMMITTEE**

### **CHARITIES AND OTHER NON PROFIT ORGANISATIONS**

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III. After consideration of the Policy Letter dated 12<sup>th</sup> November, 2019, of the Policy & Resources Committee:-

1. To agree to the introduction of a single register of NPOs and the repeal of the requirement for the Registrar to maintain a separate register of charities
2. To agree to amend the definition of NPOs by the introduction of a charitable purposes test, which may be amended by regulations made by the Committee after consultation with the Registrar
3. To agree to amend the criteria for registration to bring them in line with the risks posed by the NPO sector
4. To agree to the introduction of a power for the Committee to make regulations, after consultation with the Registrar, exempting types or classes of NPO from the requirement for registration or from particular obligations attaching to registration, including NPOs who register voluntarily, and making changes in respect of the thresholds or any exemptions that have been put in place
5. To agree to the widening of the Registrar's powers to refuse applications for registration
6. To agree to the introduction of restrictions on the persons who may act as owners, controllers or directors of NPOs
7. To agree to the introduction of a power for the Committee to make regulations, after consultation with the Registrar, in respect of governance measures applicable to NPOs, including in respect of ethical standards
8. To agree to the introduction of wider information-gathering and oversight powers for the Registrar and information sharing gateways between the Registrar and other parties
9. To agree to the introduction of an exemption from the requirement to provide information about the owners, controllers or directors of NPOs that are Guernsey or Alderney legal persons where that information has already been provided under the registration requirements applicable to those legal persons upon and subsequent to incorporation, and to any amendments to the Beneficial Ownership of Legal Persons (Guernsey) Law, 2017 that may be necessary to ensure consistency of sanctioning powers

10. To agree to changes to the sanctions applicable for non-compliance with the registration requirements
11. To agree to the introduction of a reporting requirement in respect of certain categories of transaction and a power for the Committee to make regulations, after consultation with the Registrar, amending the categories of transaction exempt from this requirement
12. To agree to the repeal of the Law and the introduction of new legislation consolidating the registration framework applicable to Guernsey and Alderney as outlined in the Policy Letter; and
13. To direct the preparation of such legislation as may be necessary to give effect the foregoing, including any necessary consequential and incidental provision.

### **POLICY & RESOURCES COMMITTEE**

BBC OVER-75 TV LICENCE SCHEME:  
EXTENDING RELEVANT PARTS OF THE COMMUNICATIONS ACT 2003  
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IV: After consideration of the Policy Letter dated 21<sup>st</sup> November, 2019, of the Policy & Resources Committee:-

1. To agree that section 365A, and such other provisions of the Communications Act 2003 as amended (including as amended by the Digital Economy Act 2017) relating to TV licence fee concessions by reference to age as it may be necessary or expedient to extend, should be extended by Order in Council to the Bailiwick with such modifications as appear to Her Majesty in Council to be appropriate, following consultation with the Policy & Resources Committee.

S. M.D. ROSS  
HER MAJESTY'S DEPUTY GREFFIER