

IN THE STATES OF THE ISLAND OF GUERNSEY

ON THE 29TH NOVEMBER 2006

The States resolved as follows concerning Billet d'État No. XVIII
dated 10th November, 2006

PROJET DE LOI

entitled

**THE CONTROL OF INTOXICATING LIQUOR (ENABLING PROVISIONS)
(GUERNSEY) LAW, 2006**

I.- To approve the Projet de Loi entitled "The Control of Intoxicating Liquor (Enabling Provisions) (Guernsey) Law, 2006" and to authorise the Bailiff to present a most humble petition to Her Majesty in Council praying for Her Royal Sanction thereto.

PROJET DE LOI

entitled

**THE EMERGENCY AND HEALTH WORKERS
(BAILIWICK OF GUERNSEY) LAW, 2006**

II.- To approve the Projet de Loi entitled "The Emergency and Health Workers (Bailiwick of Guernsey) Law, 2006" and to authorise the Bailiff to present a most humble petition to Her Majesty in Council praying for Her Royal Sanction thereto.

PROJET DE LOI

entitled

THE HOMICIDE AND SUICIDE (BAILIWICK OF GUERNSEY) LAW, 2006

III.- To approve the Projet de Loi entitled "The Homicide and Suicide (Bailiwick of Guernsey) Law, 2006" and to authorise the Bailiff to present a most humble petition to Her Majesty in Council praying for Her Royal Sanction thereto.

PROJET DE LOI

entitled

THE NURSING HOMES AND RESIDENTIAL HOMES (GUERNSEY) (AMENDMENT) LAW, 2006

IV.- To approve the Projet de Loi entitled “The Nursing Homes and Residential Homes (Guernsey) (Amendment) Law, 2006” and to authorise the Bailiff to present a most humble petition to Her Majesty in Council praying for Her Royal Sanction thereto.

PROJET DE LOI

entitled

THE PUBLIC ORDER (BAILIWICK OF GUERNSEY) LAW, 2006

V.- To approve the Projet de Loi entitled “The Public Order (Bailiwick of Guernsey) Law, 2006” and to authorise the Bailiff to present a most humble petition to Her Majesty in Council praying for Her Royal Sanction thereto.

THE PUBLIC HIGHWAYS (TEMPORARY CLOSURE) (AMENDMENT) ORDINANCE, 2006

VI.- To approve the draft Ordinance entitled “The Public Highways (Temporary Closure) (Amendment) Ordinance, 2006” and to direct that the same shall have effect as an Ordinance of the States.

THE REFORM (AMENDMENT) (GUERNSEY) LAW, 1972 (AMENDMENT) ORDINANCE, 2006

VII.- To approve the draft Ordinance entitled “The Reform (Amendment) (Guernsey) Law, 1972 (Amendment) Ordinance, 2006” and to direct that the same shall have effect as an Ordinance of the States.

POLICY COUNCIL

AMENDMENT TO THE REHABILITATION OF OFFENDERS (BAILIWICK OF GUERNSEY) LAW, 2002 (COMMENCEMENT, EXCLUSIONS AND EXCEPTIONS) ORDINANCE, 2006

VIII.- After consideration of the report dated 13th October, 2006, by the Policy Council:-

1. To agree that the Channel Islands Stock Exchange be excluded from the provisions of subsections (1) and (2) of section 7 of the Rehabilitation of Offenders (Bailiwick of Guernsey) Law, 2002.
2. To approve the draft Ordinance entitled “The Rehabilitation of Offenders (Bailiwick of Guernsey) (Amendment) Ordinance, 2006” and to direct that the same shall have effect as an Ordinance of the States.

POLICY COUNCIL

DRUG AND ALCOHOL STRATEGY

IX.- After consideration of the Report dated 9th October, 2006, of the Policy Council:-

1. To affirm the commitment of the States of Guernsey to tackling the issue of drug misuse and to the changing attitude towards alcohol by the continuing promotion of a cohesive, multi agency approach through the adoption of the six pillars contained in that Report.
2. To endorse the aims of the Bailiwick Drug and Alcohol Strategy which are to
 - reduce the demands for drugs and alcohol;
 - provide initiatives for young people and families;
 - provide a range of treatment services appropriate for drug and alcohol users;
 - reduce the supply of illegal drugs and support law enforcement initiatives in respect of drugs and alcohol;
 - promote safe and sensible drinking;
 - ensure meaningful coordination and monitoring;
3. To approve the proposals and recommendations of the Bailiwick Drug and Alcohol Strategy, as set out in chapter 9 of that Report.

4. To delegate responsibility for the implementation of the Bailiwick Drug and Alcohol Strategy to the Policy Council's Social Policy Steering Group and the Bailiwick Drug and Alcohol Strategy Group.
5. To direct the Treasury and Resources Department to take account of the revenue costs associated with this Strategy, as indicated in Chapter 10 of that Report, when recommending cash limits to the States for 2007 and future years.
6. To direct the Treasury and Resources Department to take into account the aims and objectives of the Bailiwick Drug and Alcohol Strategy when making recommendations to the States on the rates of duty on alcohol.
7. To direct the Policy Council to provide an interim report to the States in late 2009.

HOME DEPARTMENT

AMENDMENTS TO FIREARMS LEGISLATION

X.- After consideration of the Report dated 8th September, 2006, of the Home Department:-

1. To approve the recommendations for amendments to the Island's firearms legislation as set out in that Report, subject to the modification that the States Home Department shall be empowered to prescribe exceptions to any of the amendments recommended at paragraphs 2(a) to 2(e) in relation to "airsoft" activities, by means of Regulations which shall be subject to annulment by the States.
2. To create a new offence in respect of the sale and supply of cross-bows and spear guns to persons aged under 18 years, as set out in that Report.
3. To direct the preparation of such legislation as may be necessary to give effect to their above decisions.

HOME DEPARTMENT

AMENDMENTS TO ROAD TRAFFIC LEGISLATION

XI.- After consideration of the Report dated 8th September, 2006, of the Home Department:-

1. To amend Schedule 1 to the Driving Licenses (Guernsey) Ordinance, 1995 to include driving whilst disqualified from holding or obtaining a driving licence, causing death by careless driving when under the influence of drink or drugs, and failing to give permission for a laboratory test of a specimen of blood.

2. To amend Article 1(a) of l'Ordonnance ayant rapport au Trafic Véhiculaire en cette Ile, 1929 to require that footrests are provided where pillion passengers are carried on motorcycles and that the pillion passenger uses the said footrests.
3. To direct the preparation of such legislation as may be necessary to give effect to their above decisions.

HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT

THE MISUSE OF DRUGS (BAILIWICK OF GUERNSEY) ORDINANCE, 1997

XII.- After consideration of the Report dated 20th September, 2006, of the Health and Social Services Department:-

1. That the drug "ketamine" be included on the list of Schedule 4 (a) and part III, Class C Drugs and that "d methamphetamine" be reclassified as a Class A drug by Order of the Health and Social Services Department.
2. That the Misuse of Drugs (Bailiwick of Guernsey) Ordinance, 1997, be amended in line with the proposals contained in paragraph 12 of that Report.
3. That a consequential amendment shall be made to the Health Services (Benefit) Ordinance 1990.
4. To direct the preparation of such legislation as may be necessary to give effect to their above decisions.

HOME DEPARTMENT

TERRORISM LEGISLATION

XIII.- After consideration of the Report dated 28th September, 2006, of the Home Department:-

1. To approve the Home Department's proposals to introduce legislation as set out in Her Majesty's Procureur's letter quoted in section 2 of that Report.
2. To direct the preparation of such legislation as may be necessary to give effect to their above decision.

STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS LAID BEFORE THE STATES

THE WATER (RECONNECTION CHARGES) ORDER, 2006

In pursuance of Article 17 (6) of the Law entitled “Loi ayant rapport Fourniture d’Eau par les États de cette Île aux Habitants de la dite Île” registered on 7th May, 1927, as amended, the Water (Reconnection Charges) Order, 2006, made by the Public Services Department on 14th September, 2006, was laid before the States.

THE FAMILY ALLOWANCES (CLAIMS AND PAYMENTS) (GUERNSEY) (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS, 2006

In pursuance of section 15 of the Family Allowances (Guernsey) Laws, 1950 - 1984, the Family Allowances (Claims and Payments) (Guernsey) (Amendment) Regulations, 2006, made by the Social Security Department on 20th September, 2006, were laid before the States.

THE SOCIAL INSURANCE (BENEFITS) (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS, 2006

In pursuance of section 117 of the Social Insurance (Guernsey) Laws 1978 – 2004, the Social Insurance (Benefits) (Amendment) Regulations, 2006, made by the Social Security Department on 20th September, 2006, were laid before the States:

THE INCOME TAX (KEEPING OF RECORDS, ETC) REGULATIONS, 2006

In pursuance of section 75P of the Income Tax (Guernsey) Law, 1975, as amended, the Income Tax (Keeping of Records, etc) Regulations, 2006 made by the Treasury and Resources Department on 17th October, 2006, were laid before the States.

THE HEALTH SERVICE (BENEFIT) (LIMITED LIST) (PHARMACEUTICAL BENEFIT) (AMENDMENT NO 4) REGULATIONS, 2006

In pursuance of Section 35 of the Health Service (Benefit) (Guernsey) Law, 1990, the Health Service (Benefit) (Limited List) (Pharmaceutical Benefit) (Amendment No 4) Regulations, 2006, made by the Social Security Department on 18th October, 2006, were laid before the States.

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