

IN THE STATES OF THE ISLAND OF GUERNSEY

ON THE 30TH DAY OF MAY, 2001

The States resolved as follows concerning Billet d'Etat No. XI  
dated 11th May, 2001

**PROJET DE LOI**

entitled

**THE CURRENCY OFFENCES (GUERNSEY) (AMENDMENT) LAW, 2001**

- I. To approve the Projet de Loi entitled "The Currency Offences (Guernsey) (Amendment) Law, 2001", 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 HARBOUR DUES, HARBOUR CHARGES AND MOORING CHARGES  
(GUERNSEY) (AMENDMENT) LAW, 2001**

- II. To approve the Projet de Loi entitled "The Harbour Dues, Harbour Charges and Mooring Charges (Guernsey) (Amendment) Law, 2001", and to authorise the Bailiff to present a most humble Petition to Her Majesty in Council praying for Her Royal Sanction thereto.

**THE AIRPORT FEES (AMENDMENT) ORDINANCE, 2001**

- III. To approve the draft Ordinance entitled "The Airport Fees (Amendment) Ordinance, 2001", and to direct that the same shall have effect as an Ordinance of the States.

**THE HARBOURS (AMENDMENT) ORDINANCE, 2001**

- IV. To approve the draft Ordinance entitled "The Harbours (Amendment) Ordinance, 2001", and to direct that the same shall have effect as an Ordinance of the States.

**STATES BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION**

**REFURBISHMENT OF HARBOUR AUTHORITY CRANE**

- VI. After consideration of the Report dated the 24th April, 2001, of the States Board of Administration:-
1. To approve the refurbishment of the 32 ton Derrick Crane situated at No. 4 Berth, St. Peter Port Harbour, together with the installation of a 3-phase electricity supply, at a total cost, as set out in that Report, not exceeding £236,409.80.

2. To authorise the States Board of Administration to accept the tender in the sum of £126,459.00 from Clarke Chapman Services Limited for the electrical refurbishment.
3. To authorise the States Board of Administration to accept the quotation in the sum of £88,459.00 submitted by the States Electricity Board for the new transformer and supply cables.
4. To vote the States Board of Administration a credit of £236,409.80 to cover the cost of the above, which sum shall be treated as capital expenditure in the accounts of St. Peter Port Harbour.

IN THE STATES OF THE ISLAND OF GUERNSEY

ON THE 31ST DAY OF MAY, 2001

(Meeting adjourned from 30th May, 2001)

**STATES ADVISORY AND FINANCE COMMITTEE**

**PROPOSED RESTRUCTURING OF THE ROYAL BANK OF SCOTLAND  
INTERNATIONAL LIMITED  
AND NATWEST OFFSHORE LIMITED**

V. After consideration of the Report dated the 20th April, 2001, of the States Advisory and Finance Committee:-

To direct the preparation of legislation designed:-

- (1) to effect the transfer of all the undertakings of NatWest Offshore Limited to the Royal Bank of Scotland International Limited, the transfer of which falls to be governed by the laws of Guernsey;
- (2) for the transfer to the Royal Bank of Scotland International Limited of contracts of employment governed by the law of Guernsey of persons employed by NatWest Offshore Limited;
- (3) to provide for all agreements with NatWest Offshore Limited governed by the law of Guernsey (including agreements with clients, counterparties and employees) to continue with the Royal Bank of Scotland International Limited;
- (4) to provide for other purposes incidental thereto and consequential thereon

**STATES EDUCATION COUNCIL**

**GRANTS FOR STUDENTS IN HIGHER EDUCATION**

VII. After consideration of the Report dated the 30th March, 2001, of the States Education Council:-

1. To approve the States Education Council's proposals to improve the value of student grants and to reduce parental contributions as described in that Report.
2. To direct the States Advisory and Finance Committee to take due account of the additional costs arising from those proposals when calculating and recommending to the States the revenue expenditure limit on the States Education Council's budget for advanced and higher education for 2002 and subsequent years.

## **STATES AGRICULTURE AND COUNTRYSIDE BOARD**

### **REVISION OF THE NOXIOUS WEEDS ORDINANCE**

- VIII. After consideration of the Report dated the 29th March, 2001, of the States Agriculture and Countryside Board:-
- 1.(1) That the Schedule to the Noxious Weeds (Guernsey) Law, 1952, as set out in Appendix 2 to that Report, shall be repealed and replaced with the Schedule of Noxious Weeds as defined in Appendix 1 to that Report.
  - (2) To direct the preparation of such legislation as may be necessary to give effect to their above decision.
  2. To note the intention of the States Agriculture and Countryside Board to return to the States with comprehensive Wildlife and Countryside legislation.

## **STATES OVERSEAS AID COMMITTEE**

### **OVERSEAS AID BUDGET**

- IX. After consideration of the Report dated the 27th February, 2001, of the States Overseas Aid Committee:-
1. That the revenue allocation of the States Overseas Aid Committee for the years 2002 to 2005 shall be increased by £100,000 per annum in real terms, and to direct the States Advisory and Finance Committee to include such increases within its recommendations to the States for the States Overseas Aid Committee's revenue allocations for those years.
  2. To instruct the States Overseas Aid Committee to report back to the States in 2005 on the appropriateness of its annual allocation.

### ***STATUTORY INSTRUMENT LAID BEFORE THE STATES***

#### **THE POST OFFICE (INLAND POST) (AMENDMENT) ORDER, 2001**

In pursuance of the provisions of section seventy of The Post Office (Guernsey) Law, 1969, as amended, The Post Office (Inland Post) (Amendment) Order, 2001, made by the States Post Office Board on the 24th April, 2001, was laid before the States.

D.R. DOREY,  
HER MAJESTY'S DEPUTY GREFFIER.