

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. XII  
dated 15th May, 2001

**PROJET DE LOI**  
ENTITLED  
**THE ELECTRICITY (GUERNSEY) LAW, 2001**

To approve, subject to the following amendment, the Projet de Loi entitled "The Electricity (Guernsey) Law, 2001", and to authorise the Bailiff to present a most humble Petition to Her Majesty in Council praying for Her Royal Sanction thereto.

Amendment

For all the wording of the draft Projet appearing on page 77 of the Brochure to the Billet d'Etat substitute the following wording:-

- "(2) The requirements of this subparagraph are that the customer in default-
- (a) has made good the default;
  - (b) has paid the reasonable expenses of disconnecting and re-connecting the supply; and
  - (c) has given such security as is mentioned in section 14(1) of this Law.
- (3) The obligation imposed by subparagraph (1) shall be a duty owed to any person who may be affected by a failure to comply with the obligation.
- (4) Where a duty is owed by virtue of subparagraph (3) to any person any breach of the duty which causes that person to sustain loss or damage shall be actionable at the suit or instance of that person.
- (5) In any proceedings brought against a public electricity supply licensee in pursuance of subparagraph (4), it shall be a defence for the public electricity supply licensee to prove that it took all reasonable steps and exercised all due diligence to avoid failing to comply with the obligation imposed by subparagraph (1)."

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