



Date of Vote: 24th June, 2015

**Billet d'État:** XI of 2015  
**Article:** V  
**Subject:** Policy Council  
**Review of Adoption Law**  
**Propositions:** 1 and 2

"V.- After consideration of the Report dated 27<sup>th</sup> April, 2015, of the Policy Council:-

1. To direct that the Adoption (Guernsey) Law, 1960, be amended, so that in addition to single people and married couples, it provides that a child may be adopted jointly by a couple who are:
  - a) in a civil partnership; or
  - b) in another legally recognised relationship between two people; or
  - c) two people (whether of different sexes or the same sex) living as partners in an enduring family relationship
 with each adoptive carer having equal rights and parental responsibility.
2. To direct the preparation of such legislation as may be necessary to give effect to the above decision."

**CARRIED: Pour: 38 Contre: 2 Ne vote pas: 2 Absent: 5**

**St. Peter Port South**

Deputy Peter A. Harwood **A**  
 Deputy Jan Kuttelwascher **P**  
 Deputy Barry L. Brehaut **P**  
 Deputy Roger Domaille **P**  
 Deputy Allister H. Langlois **A**  
 Deputy Robert A. Jones **P**

**St. Peter Port North**

Deputy Michelle K. Le Clerc **P**  
 Deputy John A. B. Gollop **P**  
 Deputy Peter A. Sherbourne **P**  
 Deputy Richard Conder **P**  
 Deputy Martin J. Storey **A**  
 Deputy Elis G. Bebb **P**  
 Deputy Lester C. Queripel **P**

**St. Sampson**

Deputy Gavin A. St. Pier **P**  
 Deputy Kevin A. Stewart **P**  
 Deputy Peter L. Gillson **P**  
 Deputy Paul R. Le Pelley **P**  
 Deputy Scott J. Ogier **P**  
 Deputy Lyndon S. Trott **N**

**Vale**

Deputy Matthew J. Fallaize **P**  
 Deputy David B. Jones **P**  
 Deputy Laurie B. Queripel **P**  
 Deputy Mary M. Lowe **P**  
 Deputy Andrew R. Le Lièvre **A**  
 Deputy Anthony Spruce **P**  
 Deputy Garry M. Collins **A**

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Deputy Darren J. Duquemin **P**  
 Deputy Christopher J. Green **P**  
 Deputy Mark H. Dorey **P**  
 Deputy Barry J. E. Paint **P**  
 Deputy Jonathan P. Le Tocq **P**  
 Deputy Sandra A. James, MBE **P**  
 Deputy A. Hunter Adam **P**

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 Deputy Alvord H. Brouard **P**  
 Deputy Arrun M. Wilkie **P**  
 Deputy David de G. De Lisle **P**  
 Deputy Yvonne Burford **P**  
 Deputy David A. Inglis **P**

**South-East**

Deputy Heidi J. R. Soulsby **P**  
 Deputy Robert W. Sillars **P**  
 Deputy Paul A. Luxon **P**  
 Deputy Michael G. O'Hara **P**  
 Deputy Francis W. Quin **N**  
 Deputy Michael P. J. Hadley **P**

Alderney Representative Louis E. Jean **C**  
 Alderney Representative S. D. Graham McKinley, OBE **P**