

THE STATES assembled on Wednesday 14th September 2011, at 09.30 a.m. under the Presidency of the Bailiff, Michael Cameron St. John Birt Esquire.

All members were present at roll call with the exception of –

Senator Paul Francis Routier M.B.E. – en défaut (défaut raised at 9.40 a.m.)

Senator Ben Edward Shenton – en défaut

Senator Frederick Ellyer Cohen – en défaut (défaut raised at 9.53 a.m.)

Senator James Leslie Perchard – en défaut

Senator Sarah Craig Ferguson – en défaut (défaut raised at 9.52 a.m.)

Connétable Alan Simon Crowcroft of St. Helier – en défaut (défaut raised at 9.53 a.m.)

Connétable Daniel Joseph Murphy of Grouville – excused attendance

Connétable Silvanus Arthur Yates of St. Martin – en défaut

Connétable Graeme Frank Butcher of St. John – ill

Connétable John Martin Refault of St. Peter – en défaut

Deputy John Alexander Nicholas Le Fondré of St. Lawrence – en défaut (défaut raised at 9.40 a.m.)

Deputy Anne Enid Pryke of Trinity – excused attendance (arrived in the Chamber at 10.30 a.m.)

Deputy Daniel John Arabin Wimberley of St. Mary – en défaut (défaut raised at 10.22 a.m.)

Deputy Trevor Mark Pitman of St. Helier – en défaut (défaut raised at 9.53 a.m.)

Prayers

Documents presented or laid

Draft Annual Business Plan 2012 (P.123/2011): fourteenth amendment (P.14/2011 Amd.) – addendum. Presented: 14th September 2011.

P.123/2011. Amd.(14). Add.

Deputy of St. Mary.

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THE STATES resumed consideration of paragraph (a) of the Draft Annual Business Plan 2012 (P.123/2011) and rejected an amendment of Deputy Geoffrey Peter Southern of St. Helier that after the words "withdrawn from the consolidated fund in 2012" there should be inserted the words –

"except that total net revenue expenditure should be increased by £7,000,000 by reinstating this amount in Central Pay Provision in respect of staff terms and conditions and the net revenue expenditure of the Treasury and Resources Department (Provision for Restructuring Costs) reduced by an equivalent sum in 2012."

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Members present voted as follows –

POUR: 12 CONTRE: 33 ABSTAIN: 0

Connétable of St. Helier
Deputy J.A. Martin (H)
Deputy G.P. Southern (H)
Deputy P.V.F. Le Claire (H)
Deputy S. Pitman (H)
Deputy K.C. Lewis (S)
Deputy M. Tadier (B)
Deputy of St. Mary
Deputy T.M. Pitman (H)
Deputy T.A. Vallois (S)
Deputy M.R. Higgins (H)
Deputy D.J. De Sousa (H)

Senator T.A. Le Sueur Senator P.F. Routier Senator P.F.C. Ozouf Senator T.J. Le Main Senator F.E. Cohen Senator S.C. Ferguson Senator A.J.H. Maclean Senator B.I. Le Marquand Senator F.du H. Le Greslev Connétable of St. Ouen Connétable of Trinity Connétable of St. Brelade Connétable of St. Saviour Connétable of St. Clement Connétable of St. Lawrence Connétable of St. Mary Deputy R.C. Duhamel (S) Deputy of St. Martin Deputy R.G. Le Hérissier (S) Deputy J.B. Fox (H) Deputy of St. Ouen Deputy of Grouville Deputy of St. Peter Deputy J.A. Hilton (H) Deputy J.A.N. Le Fondré (L)

Deputy of Trinity
Deputy S.S.P.A. Power (B)
Deputy I.J. Gorst (C)
Deputy A.E. Jeune (B)
Deputy A.T. Dupré (C)
Deputy E.J. Noel (L)
Deputy A.K.F. Green (H)
Deputy J.M. Maçon (S)

In accordance with Standing Order 106(1)(b), Senator Alan Breckon and the Deputy of St. John declared an interest and withdrew from the Chamber, whilst Deputies Robert Charles Duhamel of St. Saviour, John Benjamin Fox of St. Helier and Ian Joseph Gorst of St. Clement declared an interest but remained in the Chamber for the duration of the debate.

THE STATES, adopting paragraph (a) of the Draft Annual Business Plan 2012, as amended, approved the summary set out in Summary Table A, page 69, being the gross revenue expenditure of each States funded body, including depreciation, a proposed transfer from the Health Insurance Fund of £6,131,000, and the additional provisions of net revenue expenditure for central reserves of £12,485,000 and restructuring costs of £10,000,000 as part of the total net revenue expenditure of the Treasury and Resources Department and, having taken into account any income due to each of the States funded bodies, the total net revenue expenditure of £655,920,000, to be withdrawn from the consolidated fund in 2012; except that the net revenue expenditure of the Chief Minister's Department should be increased by £18,400,100 (£10,194,500 in respect of the Information Services Department, £4,395,500 in respect

of the Human Resources Department and £3,810,100 in respect of the PECRS pre-1987 debt) by transferring responsibility for the Information Services and Human Resources Departments back to the Chief Minister's Department on a permanent basis, and the total net revenue of the Treasury and Resources Department should be reduced by £18,400,100; except that the net revenue expenditure of the Education, Sport and Culture Department should be reduced by £15,000 and the net revenue expenditure of the Home Affairs Department should be increased by £15,000 to reflect a transfer of funding in this amount to the Building a Safer Society service area in the Home Affairs Department for 2012, with any increase above this figure compensated by appropriate measures within the Draft Budget 2012 to enable the Minister for Treasury and Resources to present a draft Budget which forecast a return to balanced budgets by 2013 as set out in Figure 4.6.

Members present voted as follows –

POUR: 37 CONTRE: 8 ABSTAIN: 0

Senator A. Breckon

Deputy S. Pitman (H)

Deputy of St. John

Deputy G.P. Southern (H) Deputy P.V.F. Le Claire (H)

Senator T.A. Le Sueur Senator P.F. Routier Senator P.F.C. Ozouf Senator T.J. Le Main Senator F.E. Cohen Senator S.C. Ferguson Senator A.J.H. Maclean Senator B.I. Le Marquand Senator F.du H. Le Gresley Connétable of St. Ouen

enator S.C. Ferguson

enator A.J.H. Maclean

enator B.I. Le Marquand

Deputy M. Tadier (B)

Deputy T.M. Pitman (H)

Deputy M.R. Higgins (H)

Connétable of Trinity Connétable of St. Brelade

Connétable of St. Helier

Connétable of St. Saviour

Connétable of St. Clement

Connétable of St. Lawrence

Connétable of St. Mary

Deputy R.C. Duhamel (S)

Deputy of St. Martin

Deputy R.G. Le Hérissier (S)

Deputy J.B. Fox (H)

Deputy J.A. Martin (H)

Deputy of St. Ouen

Deputy of St. Peter

Deputy J.A. Hilton (H)

Deputy J.A.N. Le Fondré (L)

Deputy of Trinity

Deputy S.S.P.A. Power (B)

Deputy K.C. Lewis (S)

Deputy I.J. Gorst (C)

Deputy A.E. Jeune (B)

Deputy A.T. Dupré (C)

Deputy E.J. Noel (L)

Deputy T.A. Vallois (S)

Deputy A.K.F. Green (H)

Deputy D.J. De Sousa (H)

Deputy J.M. Maçon (S)

THE STATES, adopting paragraph (b) of the Draft Annual Business Plan 2012, approved the summary set out in Summary Table B, page 70, being the estimated income and expenditure and estimated minimum contribution, if any, that each States trading operation was to make to the States consolidated fund in 2012.

Members present voted as follows –

CONTRE: 4 POUR: 39 ABSTAIN: 0

Senator T.A. Le Sueur Senator P.F. Routier Senator P.F.C. Ozouf Senator T.J. Le Main Senator A. Breckon Senator S.C. Ferguson Senator A.J.H. Maclean Senator B.I. Le Marquand Senator F. du H. Le Gresley

Connétable of St. Ouen

Connétable of St. Helier

Connétable of Trinity

Connétable of St. Brelade

Connétable of St. Saviour

Connétable of St. Clement

Connétable of St. Lawrence

Connétable of St. Mary

Deputy R.C. Duhamel (S)

Deputy of St. Martin

Deputy R.G. Le Hérissier (S)

Deputy J.B. Fox (H)

Deputy of St. Ouen

Deputy of St. Peter

Deputy J.A. Hilton (H)

Deputy J.A.N. Le Fondré (L)

Deputy of Trinity

Deputy S.S.P.A. Power (B)

Deputy K.C. Lewis (S)

Deputy I.J. Gorst (C)

Deputy M. Tadier (B)

Deputy A.E. Jeune (B)

Deputy of St. Mary

Deputy A.T. Dupré (C)

Deputy E.J. Noel (L)

Deputy T.A. Vallois (S)

Deputy M.R. Higgins (H)

Deputy A.K.F. Green (H)

Deputy D.J. De Sousa (H)

Deputy J.M. Maçon (S)

Deputy G.P. Southern (H) Deputy P.V.F. Le Claire (H) Deputy of St. John Deputy T.M. Pitman (H)

THE STATES commenced consideration of paragraph (c) of the Draft Annual Business Plan 2012 and, adopting an amendment of the Minister for Treasury and Resources, agreed that after the words "to be withdrawn from the consolidated fund" there should be inserted the words –

"except that the amount in Table C for Clinique Pinel Refurbishment in 2012 be increased from £1,100,000 to £2,868,000 with an increase in the amount to be withdrawn from the consolidated fund from £35,814,000 to £37,582,000".

Members present voted as follows –

POUR: 43 CONTRE: 0 ABSTAIN: 0

Senator T.A. Le Sueur

Senator P.F. Routier

Senator P.F.C. Ozouf

Senator T.J. Le Main

Senator F.E. Cohen

Senator A. Breckon

Senator S.C. Ferguson

Senator A.J.H. Maclean

Senator B.I. Le Marquand

Senator F. du H. Le Gresley

Connétable of St. Ouen

Connétable of Trinity

Connétable of St. Brelade

Connétable of St. Saviour

Connétable of St. Clement

Connétable of St. Lawrence

Connétable of St. Mary

Deputy R.C. Duhamel (S)

Deputy of St. Martin

Deputy R.G. Le Hérissier (S)

Deputy J.B. Fox (H)

Deputy J.A. Martin (H)

Deputy G.P. Southern (H)

Deputy of St. Ouen

Deputy J.A. Hilton (H)

Deputy P.V.F. Le Claire (H)

Deputy of Trinity

Deputy S.S.P.A. Power (B)

Deputy S. Pitman (H)

Deputy K.C. Lewis (S)

Deputy I.J. Gorst (C)

Deputy of St. John

Deputy M. Tadier (B)

Deputy A.E. Jeune (B)

Deputy of St. Mary

Deputy T.M. Pitman (H)

Deputy A.T. Dupré (C)

Deputy E.J. Noel (L)

Deputy T.A. Vallois (S)

Deputy M.R. Higgins (H)

Deputy A.K.F. Green (H)

Deputy D.J. De Sousa (H)

Deputy J.M. Maçon (S)

Changes in Presidency

The Bailiff retired from the Chamber during consideration of the amendment of the Minister for Treasury and Resources to paragraph (c) of the Draft Annual Business Plan 2012 and the meeting continued under the presidency of Mr. Michael Nelson de la Haye, Greffier of the States.

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THE STATES, having resumed consideration of paragraph (c) of the Draft Annual Business Plan 2012, as amended, approved each of the capital projects in the recommended programme of capital projects for each States funded body for 2012, as set out in Summary Table C, page 71, that required £35,814,000 to be withdrawn from the consolidated fund; except that the amount in Table C for Clinique Pinel Refurbishment in 2012 should be increased from £1,100,000 to £2,868,000 with an increase in the amount to be withdrawn from the consolidated fund from £35,814,000 to £37,582,000.

Deputy G.P. Southern (H)

Members present voted as follows –

POUR: 42 CONTRE: 1 ABSTAIN: 0

Senator T.A. Le Sueur

Senator P.F. Routier

Senator P.F.C. Ozouf

Senator T.J. Le Main

Senator F.E. Cohen

Senator A. Breckon

Senator S.C. Ferguson

Senator A.J.H. Maclean

Senator B.I. Le Marquand

Senator F. du H. Le Gresley

Connétable of St. Ouen

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Connétable of St. Clement

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Connétable of St. Mary

Deputy R.C. Duhamel (S)

Deputy of St. Martin

Deputy R.G. Le Hérissier (S)

Deputy J.B. Fox (H)

Deputy of St. Ouen

Deputy J.A. Hilton (H)

Deputy P.V.F. Le Claire (H)

Deputy of Trinity

Deputy S.S.P.A. Power (B)

Deputy S. Pitman (H)

Deputy K.C. Lewis (S)

Deputy I.J. Gorst (C)

Deputy of St. John

Deputy M. Tadier (B)

Deputy A.E. Jeune (B)

Deputy of St. Mary

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Deputy T.M. Pitman (H)

Deputy A.T. Dupré (C)

Deputy E.J. Noel (L)

Deputy T.A. Vallois (S)

Deputy M.R. Higgins (H)

Deputy A.K.F. Green (H)

Deputy D.J. De Sousa (H)

Deputy J.M. Maçon (S)

THE STATES, adopting paragraph (d) of the Draft Annual Business Plan 2012, approved each of the capital projects in the recommended programme of capital for each States trading operation, as set out in Summary Table D, page 72 that required funds be drawn from the trading funds in 2012.

THE STATES commenced consideration of paragraph (e) of the Draft Annual Business Plan 2012 and an amendment of Deputy Geoffrey Peter Southern of St. Helier to paragraph (e) that after the words "for 2013 and 2014" there should be inserted the words –

"except that the indicative total of net revenue expenditure should be increased in 2013 by £60,000 in order to provide a grant in this amount to the 'Prison! Me! No Way!' initiative.".

THE STATES acceded to a request of Deputy Geoffrey Peter Southern of St. Helier that his amendment to paragraph (e) of the Draft Annual Business Plan 2012 be withdrawn.

Adjournment

THE STATES adjourned, having agreed to reconvene on Thursday 15th September 2011 to continue consideration of the Draft Annual Business Plan 2012 (P.123/2011) and the outstanding items of public business.

THE STATES rose at 5.27 p.m.

M.N. DE LA HAYE

Greffier of the States