

STATES OF JERSEY



JERSEY OVERSEAS AID COMMISSION: RE-APPOINTMENT OF NON-STATES COMMISSIONER

Lodged au Greffe on 3rd November 2015
by the Deputy of Grouville

STATES GREFFE

PROPOSITION

THE STATES are asked to decide whether they are of opinion –

to appoint, in accordance with clause 7.4 of the Constitution of the Jersey Overseas Aid Commission as set out in Schedule 1 to the Jersey Overseas Aid Commission (Jersey) Law 2005, Mr. Peter Le Seelleur as a non-States Commissioner for a further period of 3 years with effect from 6th March 2016.

DEPUTY OF GROUVILLE

REPORT

The Jersey Overseas Aid Commission (Jersey) Law 2005 requires the Chairman, in making nominations, to use his or her best endeavours “*to ensure that the Commissioners shall be a diverse and balanced group of people in terms of gender, age, experience and skills, who share a commitment to the promotion of the objects of the Commission*”. In meeting that statutory requirement, non-States Commissioners with a range of backgrounds and professional qualifications were appointed when the Commission was first established.

The present States Commissioners are, in addition to myself as Chair, Connétable M.P.S. Le Troquer of St. Martin and Deputy J.A. Martin of St. Helier; and non-States Commissioners Mrs. T. Roberts and Mr. D. Melville. Mr. Peter Le Seilleur’s current 3-year term of office expires on 6th March 2016.

Mr. Peter Le Seilleur is a Chartered Accountant and currently the Finance Director of Capco Trust Jersey Limited. He has worked in the finance sector in Jersey since 1983. Mr. Le Seilleur was an elected member of St. Paul’s Church Administrative Council and served as Honorary Treasurer for 14 years. During that time Mr. Le Seilleur was involved in the assessment of many requests for financing from aid agencies of all kinds with each application considered being assessed not only on the merits of the appeal itself, but also on the standing of the agency making the application. Mr. Le Seilleur also serves as Honorary Treasurer of the Jersey Branch of the Chartered Institute of Marketing and the Grace Trust and is Honorary Auditor of the Scott Gibaut Homes Trust. He was the Honorary Treasurer of the Jersey Clipper 2000 campaign.

The non-States Commissioners all serve in an honorary capacity and give many hours of their time freely to assist the work of the Commission and I would like to thank Mr. Le Seilleur for agreeing to continue to offer his considerable expertise to the Commission for a further term.

Financial and manpower implications

There are no financial or manpower implications for the States arising from this proposition.