

**THE STATES assembled on Tuesday
25th September 2007, at 09.30 a.m. under
the Presidency of the Deputy Bailiff,
Mr. Michael Cameron St. John Birt Esquire.**

**His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor,
Lieutenant-General Andrew Peter Ridgway, C.B., C.B.E.,
was present**

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

Senator Frank Harrison Walker – en défaut (défaut raised at 9.36 a.m.)
Connétable Silvanus Arthur Yates of St. Martin– ill
Deputy Peter Nicholas Troy of St. Brelade– en défaut (défaut raised at 9.57 a.m.)
Deputy Roy George Le Hérisier– absent on States business
Deputy James Gordon Reed of St. Brelade– absent on States business
Deputy Shona Pitman of St. Helier– en défaut (défaut raised at 10.44 a.m.)
Deputy Alan John Henry Maclean of St. Helier– en défaut (défaut raised at 9.40 a.m.)
Deputy Juliette Gallichan of St. Mary– absent on States business

Prayers

Draft Annual Business Plan 2008 – P.93/2007

THE STATES resumed consideration of the draft Annual Business Plan 2008 and, adopting paragraph (c) approved the summary set out in the Summary Table A, page 43, being the gross revenue expenditure of each States funded body totalling £655,531,900, and having taken into account any income due to each of the States funded bodies, the net revenue expenditure of each States funded body totalling £559,654,400, to be withdrawn from the consolidated fund in 2008;

Members present voted as follows –

POUR: 34

Senator W. Kinnard
Senator T.A. Le Sueur
Senator P.F. Routier
Senator M.E. Vibert
Senator P.F.C. Ozouf
Senator T.J. Le Main
Senator B.E. Shenton
Senator F.E. Cohen
Connétable of St. Ouen

Connétable of St. Mary
Connétable of St. Peter
Connétable of St. Clement
Connétable of Trinity
Connétable of St. Lawrence
Connétable of Grouville
Connétable of St. Brelade

CONTRE: 10

Connétable of St. Helier
Deputy R.C. Duhamel (S)
Deputy A. Breckon (S)
Deputy G.C.L. Baudains (C)
Deputy J.B. Fox (H)
Deputy J.A. Martin (H)
Deputy G.P. Southern (H)
Deputy S.C. Ferguson (B)
Deputy P.V.F. Le Claire (H)
Deputy D.W. Mezbourian
(L)

ABSTAIN: 0

Connétable of St. John
Connétable of St. Saviour
Deputy J.J. Huet (H)
Deputy of St. Martin
Deputy P.N. Troy (B)
Deputy C.J. Scott Warren (S)
Deputy P.J.D. Ryan (H)
Deputy of Grouville
Deputy of St. Peter
Deputy J.A. Hilton (H)
Deputy G.W.J. de Faye (H)
Deputy J.A.N. Le Fondré (L)
Deputy of Trinity
Deputy S.S.P.A. Power (B)
Deputy A.J.D. Maclean (H)
Deputy K.C. Lewis (S)
Deputy of St. John
Deputy I.J. Gorst (C)

THE STATES, adopting paragraph (c) of an amendment of the Public Accounts Committee, agreed that after paragraph (c) of the draft Annual Business Plan 2008, there should be inserted a new paragraph (d) as follows and the subsequent paragraphs should be renumbered accordingly –

“(d) to agree that the ‘Revenue Expenditure for Financial Forecast’ as set out in the reconciliation to the Financial Forecast below Summary Table A was the figure that should be used on which to base Departmental comparatives in the States accounts for the year ended 31st December 2008;”

THE STATES, adopting paragraph (d) of the draft Annual Business Plan 2008, approved the summary set out in Summary Table B, page 44, 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 2008.

THE STATES, adopting paragraph (e) of the draft Annual Business Plan 2008, approved each of the capital projects in the recommended programme of capital projects for each States funded body for 2008, as set out in Summary Table D, page 46 that required £42,441,000 to be withdrawn from the consolidated fund.

Members present voted as follows –

POUR: 35

Senator L. Norman
Senator F.H. Walker
Senator W. Kinnard
Senator T.A. Le Sueur
Senator P.F. Routier
Senator M.E. Vibert
Senator P.F.C. Ozouf
Senator T.J. Le Main
Connétable of St. Ouen
Connétable of St. Mary
Connétable of St. Clement
Connétable of Trinity
Connétable of St. Lawrence
Connétable of Grouville

CONTRE: 6

Connétable of St. Helier
Deputy R.C. Duhamel (S)
Deputy G.C.L. Baudains (C)
Deputy J.A. Martin (H)
Deputy P.V.F. Le Claire (H)
Deputy S. Pitman (H)

ABSTAIN: 0

Connétable of St. Brelade
Connétable of St. Saviour
Deputy A. Breckon (S)
Deputy J.J. Huet (H)
Deputy of St. Martin
Deputy C.J. Scott Warren (S)
Deputy J.B. Fox (H)
Deputy S.C. Ferguson (B)
Deputy P.J.D. Ryan (H)
Deputy of Grouville
Deputy of St. Peter
Deputy J.A. Hilton (H)
Deputy G.W.J. de Faye (H)
Deputy J.A.N. Le Fondré (L)
Deputy D.W. Mezbourian
(L)
Deputy of Trinity
Deputy S.S.P.A. Power (B)
Deputy A.J.D. Maclean (H)
Deputy K.C. Lewis (S)
Deputy of St. John
Deputy I.J. Gorst (C)

THE STATES, adopting paragraph (f) of the draft Annual Business Plan 2008, approved each of the capital projects in the recommended programme of capital for each States trading operation, as set out in Summary Table E, page 47, that required funds to be drawn from the trading funds in 2008.

Members present voted as follows –

POUR: 29

Senator L. Norman
Senator F.H. Walker
Senator W. Kinnard
Senator T.A. Le Sueur
Senator P.F. Routier
Senator M.E. Vibert
Senator P.F.C. Ozouf
Senator T.J. Le Main
Senator J.L. Perchard
Connétable of St. Mary
Connétable of St. Clement
Connétable of St. Lawrence
Connétable of St. Saviour
Deputy A. Breckon (S)
Deputy J.J. Huet (H)
Deputy of St. Martin
Deputy C.J. Scott Warren (S)
Deputy J.A. Martin (H)
Deputy S.C. Ferguson (B)
Deputy of St. Peter
Deputy G.W.J. de Faye (H)
Deputy D.W. Mezbourian
(L)
Deputy of Trinity

CONTRE: 4

Connétable of St. Brelade
Deputy R.C. Duhamel (S)
Deputy G.C.L. Baudains (C)
Deputy P.V.F. Le Claire (H)
Connétable of St. Brelade
Deputy R.C. Duhamel (S)
Deputy G.C.L. Baudains (C)
Deputy P.V.F. Le Claire (H)

ABSTAIN: 0

Deputy S.S.P.A. Power (B)
Deputy S. Pitman (H)
Deputy A.J.D. Maclean (H)
Deputy K.C. Lewis (S)
Deputy of St. John
Deputy I.J. Gorst (C)

THE STATES, adopting paragraph (g) of the draft Annual Business Plan 2008, approved in principle the total net revenue expenditure for the States funded bodies, as set out in Summary Table C, page 45, for the period 2009 to 2012 and the proposed programme of capital projects for the States funded bodies for 2009 to 2012 as set out in the Summary Tables F to I, pages 48 to 51 respectively.

Members present voted as follows –

POUR: 30

Senator L. Norman
Senator F.H. Walker
Senator W. Kinnard
Senator P.F. Routier
Senator M.E. Vibert
Senator P.F.C. Ozouf
Senator T.J. Le Main
Senator F.E. Cohen
Senator J.L. Perchard
Connétable of St. Ouen
Connétable of St. Mary
Connétable of St. Clement
Connétable of Trinity
Connétable of St. Lawrence
Connétable of Grouville
Connétable of St. Brelade
Connétable of St. John
Deputy J.J. Huet (H)
Deputy of St. Martin
Deputy C.J. Scott Warren (S)
Deputy of Grouville
Deputy of St. Peter
Deputy J.A. Hilton (H)
Deputy G.W.J. de Faye (H)
Deputy D.W. Mezbourian
(L)
Deputy of Trinity
Deputy S.S.P.A. Power (B)
Deputy K.C. Lewis (S)
Deputy of St. John
Deputy I.J. Gorst (C)

CONTRE: 9

Connétable of St. Peter
Deputy R.C. Duhamel (S)
Deputy A. Breckon (S)
Deputy G.C.L. Baudains (C)
Deputy J.B. Fox (H)
Deputy J.A. Martin (H)
Deputy S.C. Ferguson (B)
Deputy P.V.F. Le Claire (H)
Deputy S. Pitman (H)

ABSTAIN: 1

Senator T.A. Le Sueur

THE STATES noted that the Chairman of the Public Accounts Committee, in accordance with Standing Order 34 (1), had informed the Greffier that paragraph (e) of an amendment of the Public Accounts Committee to the draft Annual Business Plan 2008 had been withdrawn.

THE STATES commenced consideration of paragraph (h) of the draft Annual Business Plan 2008 concerning the properties for disposal in 2008. Deputy Paul Vincent Francis Le Claire of St. Helier proposed that, in accordance

with Standing Order 79(2), the Corporate Services Scrutiny Panel consider having the matter referred to it.

After discussion, the States, having agreed that Deputy Paul Vincent Francis Le Claire of St. Helier be permitted to withdraw the proposition that the Corporate Services Scrutiny Panel consider having the proposition referred to it, adopted paragraph (h) of the draft Annual Business Plan 2008, and approved the schedule of properties for disposal in 2008 in the property plan, as detailed in Summary Table K, page 53 of the report.

Members present voted as follows –

POUR: 42

CONTRE: 3

ABSTAIN: 0

Senator L. Norman
Senator F.H. Walker
Senator W. Kinnard
Senator T.A. Le Sueur
Senator P.F. Routier
Senator M.E. Vibert
Senator P.F.C. Ozouf
Senator T.J. Le Main
Senator B.E. Shenton
Senator F.E. Cohen
Senator J.L. Perchard
Connétable of St. Ouen
Connétable of St. Mary
Connétable of St. Peter
Connétable of St. Clement
Connétable of Trinity
Connétable of St. Lawrence
Connétable of Grouville
Connétable of St. Saviour
Deputy R.C. Duhamel (S)
Deputy A. Breckon (S)
Deputy J.J. Huet (H)
Deputy of St. Martin
Deputy G.C.L. Baudains (C)
Deputy C.J. Scott Warren (S)
Deputy J.B. Fox (H)
Deputy J.A. Martin (H)
Deputy S.C. Ferguson (B)
Deputy P.J.D. Ryan (H)
Deputy of St. Peter
Deputy J.A. Hilton (H)
Deputy G.W.J. de Faye (H)
Deputy P.V.F. Le Claire (H)
Deputy J.A.N. Le Fondré (L)
Deputy D.W. Mezbourian
(L)
Deputy of Trinity
Deputy S.S.P.A. Power (B)
Deputy S. Pitman (H)
Deputy A.J.D. Maclean (H)
Deputy K.C. Lewis (S)
Deputy of St. John
Deputy I.J. Gorst (C)

Connétable of St. Helier
Connétable of St. Brelade
Connétable of St. John

THE STATES commenced consideration of paragraph (i) of the draft Annual Business Plan 2008 concerning the Legislation programme for 2008, and rejected an amendment of Deputy Alan Breckon of St. Saviour that after the words “pages 54 to 59 of the report” there should be inserted the words –

“except that in the said Table, for the following item –

PRIORITY	SPONSOR	DESCRIPTION	DRAFTING DAYS
29	Economic Development	Licensing Law A new Law to provide a simplified regulatory regime suited to present needs	30

there be substituted the following item –

PRIORITY	SPONSOR	DESCRIPTION	DRAFTING DAYS
29	Economic Development	Financial Services Ombudsman Law A new Law to establish a financial services ombudsman	30

Members present voted as follows –

POUR: 13

Connétable of St. Mary
Deputy R.C. Duhamel (S)
Deputy A. Breckon (S)
Deputy J.J. Huet (H)
Deputy G.C.L. Baudains (C)
Deputy J.B. Fox (H)
Deputy J.A. Martin (H)
Deputy G.P. Southern (H)
Deputy of Grouville
Deputy P.V.F. Le Claire (H)
Deputy D.W. Mezbourian (L)
Deputy S. Pitman (H)
Deputy K.C. Lewis (S)

CONTRE: 27

Senator L. Norman
Senator F.H. Walker
Senator W. Kinnard
Senator T.A. Le Sueur
Senator P.F. Routier
Senator M.E. Vibert
Senator P.F.C. Ozouf
Senator T.J. Le Main
Senator F.E. Cohen
Senator J.L. Perchard
Connétable of St. Ouen
Connétable of St. Peter
Connétable of St. Clement
Connétable of St. Helier
Connétable of St. Lawrence
Connétable of St. Brelade
Connétable of St. Saviour
Deputy of St. Martin
Deputy S.C. Ferguson (B)
Deputy of St. Peter
Deputy J.A. Hilton (H)
Deputy G.W.J. de Faye (H)
Deputy J.A.N. Le Fondré (L)
Deputy of Trinity
Deputy S.S.P.A. Power (B)
Deputy A.J.D. Maclean (H)
Deputy I.J. Gorst (C)

ABSTAIN: 0

THE STATES, adopting paragraph (i) of the draft Annual Business Plan 2008, approved the Legislative Programme for 2008, as set out in Summary Table L, pages 54 to 59 of the report.

Members present voted as follows –

POUR: 39

Senator S. Syvret
Senator L. Norman
Senator F.H. Walker
Senator W. Kinnard
Senator T.A. Le Sueur
Senator P.F. Routier
Senator M.E. Vibert
Senator P.F.C. Ozouf
Senator T.J. Le Main
Senator F.E. Cohen
Senator J.L. Perchard
Connétable of St. Ouen
Connétable of St. Mary
Connétable of St. Clement
Connétable of St. Helier
Connétable of Trinity
Connétable of St. Brelade
Connétable of St. Saviour
Deputy R.C. Duhamel (S)
Deputy of St. Martin
Deputy G.C.L. Baudains (C)
Deputy C.J. Scott Warren (S)
Deputy J.B. Fox (H)
Deputy J.A. Martin (H)
Deputy G.P. Southern (H)
Deputy S.C. Ferguson (B)
Deputy P.J.D. Ryan (H)
Deputy of St. Peter
Deputy J.A. Hilton (H)
Deputy G.W.J. de Faye (H)
Deputy P.V.F. Le Claire (H)
Deputy J.A.N. Le Fondré (L)
Deputy D.W. Mezbourian
(L)
Deputy of Trinity
Deputy S.S.P.A. Power (B)
Deputy A.J.D. Maclean (H)
Deputy K.C. Lewis (S)
Deputy of St. John
Deputy I.J. Gorst (C)

CONTRE: 4

Deputy A. Breckon (S)
Deputy J.J. Huet (H)
Deputy of Grouville
Deputy S. Pitman (H)

ABSTAIN: 0

Expenditure approval for 2007: amendment – P.103/2007

THE STATES noted that the Minister for Treasury and Resources, in accordance with Standing Order 34(1), had informed the Greffier that paragraph (a) of the proposition concerning amendments to the expenditure approval for 2007 had been withdrawn.

THE STATES, adopting paragraph (b) of proposition of the Minister for Treasury and Resources, and in accordance with Article 11(8) of the Public Finances (Jersey) Law 2005, amended the expenditure approval for 2007, approved by the States on 13th September 2006, in respect of the Social Security Department head of expenditure, to permit the withdrawal of a maximum of an additional £2,649,800 from the consolidated fund for its net revenue expenditure in order to fund the additional costs of supplementation.

Members present voted as follows –

POUR: 40

CONTRE: 3

ABSTAIN: 0

Senator L. Norman
Senator F.H. Walker
Senator W. Kinnard
Senator T.A. Le Sueur
Senator P.F. Routier
Senator M.E. Vibert
Senator T.J. Le Main
Senator J.L. Perchard
Connétable of St. Ouen
Connétable of St. Mary
Connétable of St. Peter
Connétable of St. Clement
Connétable of St. Helier
Connétable of Trinity
Connétable of St. Lawrence
Connétable of St. Brelade
Connétable of St. Saviour
Deputy R.C. Duhamel (S)
Deputy J.J. Huet (H)
Deputy of St. Martin
Deputy G.C.L. Baudains (C)
Deputy P.N. Troy (B)
Deputy C.J. Scott Warren (S)
Deputy J.B. Fox (H)
Deputy S.C. Ferguson (B)
Deputy P.J.D. Ryan (H)
Deputy of Grouville
Deputy of St. Peter
Deputy J.A. Hilton (H)
Deputy G.W.J. de Faye (H)
Deputy P.V.F. Le Claire (H)
Deputy J.A.N. Le Fondré (L)
Deputy D.W. Mezbourian
(L)
Deputy of Trinity
Deputy S.S.P.A. Power (B)
Deputy S. Pitman (H)
Deputy A.J.D. Maclean (H)
Deputy K.C. Lewis (S)
Deputy of St. John
Deputy I.J. Gorst (C)

Deputy A. Breckon (S)
Deputy J.A. Martin (H)
Deputy G.P. Southern (H)

Meeting of 25th September 2007

THE STATES then moved to consider the items of business on the Order Paper for 25th September 2007, and, in

accordance with Standing Order 51, the Deputy Bailiff asked the Greffier to call the roll of elected members –

All members were present at roll call at 4.35 p.m. with the exception of–

Senator Stuart Syvret – en défaut (défaut raised at 4.53 p.m.)
Senator Philip Francis Cyril Ozouf – excused attendance
Senator Ben Edward Shenton – en défaut
Connétable Daniel Joseph Murphy of Grouville – en défaut
Connétable Silvanus Arthur Yates of St. Martin– ill
Connétable Graeme Frank Butcher of St. John–ill
Deputy Roy George Le Hérissier– absent on States business
Deputy James Gordon Reed of St. Ouen– absent on States business
Deputy Juliette Gallichan of St. Mary– absent on States business

Subordinate enactments tabled

The following enactments were tabled, namely –

Diseases of Animals (Foot and Mouth – Restrictions No. 4) (Jersey) Order 2007. <i>Minister for Planning and Environment.</i>	R&O.111/2007.
Diseases of Animals (Foot and Mouth – Restrictions No. 5) (Jersey) Order 2007. <i>Minister for Planning and Environment.</i>	R&O.112/2007.
Road Racing (Motor Vehicle Rally) (Jersey) Order 2007. <i>Minister for Transport and Technical Services.</i>	R&O.113/2007.

Documents presented or laid

Retail Strategy: Impact Assessment (P.84/2007) – comments. Presented: 25th September 2007. <i>Minister for Economic Development.</i>	P.84/2007. Com.
States of Jersey Complaints Board: findings – Complaint against a decision of the Minister for Education, Sport and Culture relating to a nursery school place. Presented: 21st September 2007. <i>Privileges and Procedures Committee.</i>	R.92/2007.
Review of the Draft Price and Charge Indicators (Jersey) Law 200-. Presented: 25th September 2007. <i>Economic Affairs Scrutiny Panel.</i>	S.R.16/2007.

Notification of lodged propositions

Draft Income Support (Jersey) Regulations 200- (P.90/2007): second amendments. Lodged: 25th September 2007. <i>Health, Social Security and Housing Scrutiny Panel.</i>	P.90/2007. Amd. (2)
Draft Income Support (Special Payments) (Jersey) Regulations 200- (P.91/2007): amendments. Lodged: 25th September 2007. <i>Health, Social Security and Housing Scrutiny Panel.</i>	P.91/2007. Amd.

Draft Proceeds of Crime (Substitution of Schedule 2) (Jersey) Regulations 200. Lodged: 24th September 2007. <i>Minister for Treasury and Resources.</i>	P.127/2007.
Draft Drug Trafficking (Offences) (Amendment) (Jersey) Law 200-. Lodged: 24th September 2007. <i>Minister for Treasury and Resources.</i>	P.128/2007.
Draft Proceeds of Crime (Amendment) (Jersey) Law 200-. Lodged: 24th September 2007. <i>Minister for Treasury and Resources.</i>	P.129/2007.
Draft Corruption (Amendment of Definitions) (Jersey) Regulations 200-. Lodged: 24th September 2007. <i>Minister for Home Affairs.</i>	P.130/2007.
Draft Terrorism (Amendment No. 2) (Jersey) Law 200. Lodged: 24th September 2007. <i>Minister for Home Affairs.</i>	P.131/2007.
Draft Crime (Transnational Organized Crime) (Jersey) Law 200-. Lodged: 24th September 2007. <i>Minister for Home Affairs.</i>	P.132/2007.
Draft Proceeds of Crime (Cash Seizure) (Jersey) Law 200-. Lodged: 24th September 2007. <i>Minister for Home Affairs.</i>	P.133/2007.
Draft Criminal Justice (International Co-operation) (Amendment) (Jersey) Law 200-. Lodged: 24th September 2007. <i>Minister for Treasury and Resources.</i>	P.134/2007.
Draft Civil Asset Recovery (International Co-operation) (Jersey) Law 200-. Lodged: 25th September 2007. <i>Minister for Home Affairs.</i>	P.135/2007.
Draft Banking Business (Amendment No. 6) (Jersey) Law 200. Lodged: 25th September 2007. <i>Minister for Economic Development.</i>	P.136/2007.
Draft Insurance Business (Amendment No. 6) (Jersey) Law 200. Lodged: 25th September 2007. <i>Minister for Economic Development.</i>	P.137/2007.
Draft Financial Services (Amendment No. 4) (Jersey) Law 200. Lodged: 25th September 2007. <i>Minister for Economic Development.</i>	P.138/2007.
Draft Collective Investment Funds (Amendment No. 4) (Jersey) Law 200. Lodged: 25th September 2007. <i>Minister for Economic Development.</i>	P.139/2007.
Draft Income Support (Jersey) Law 2007 (Appointed Day) Act 200-. Lodged: 25th September 2007. <i>Minister for Social Security.</i>	P.140/2007.

Employment (Jersey) Law 2003: therapeutic work schemes. P.141/2007.
Lodged: 25th September 2007.
Deputy I.J. Gorst of St. Clement.

Draft Electricity Link with France (Protection of Submarine Cable) (Jersey) P.142/2007.
Regulations 200-.
Lodged: 25th September 2007.
Minister for Economic Development.

Change of Presidency

The Deputy Bailiff retired from the Chamber and the meeting continued under the presidency of Mr. Michael Nelson de la Haye, Greffier of the States.

Withdrawal of lodged propositions

THE STATES noted that, in accordance with Standing Order 34(1), Deputy Ian Joseph Gorst of St. Clement has informed the Greffier of the States that the following proposition lodged "au Greffe" on 23rd July 2007 was to be withdrawn –

Employment (Jersey) Law 2003: therapeutic work schemes. P.96/2007.
Lodged: 23rd July 2007.
Deputy I.J. Gorst of St. Clement.

Public Accounts Committee: appointment of member

In accordance with the provisions of Standing Order 123(1), Deputy Sarah Craig Ferguson of St. Brelade Chairman of the Public Accounts Committee nominated Senator Leonard Norman as a member of the Public Accounts Committee.

There being no other nominations, the Bailiff declared that Senator Leonard Norman had been duly appointed as an elected member of the Public Accounts Committee.

Written Questions

(see Official Report)

The Minister for Treasury and Resources tabled an answer to a question asked by Deputy G.P. Southern of St. Helier regarding GST.

The Minister for Economic Development tabled an answer to a question asked by Deputy G.P. Southern of St. Helier regarding impact of liquidity crisis in U.K. on Jersey finance.

The Minister for Social Security tabled an answer to a question asked by Deputy G.P. Southern of St. Helier regarding Supplementation.

Oral Questions

(see Official Report)

Deputy K.C. Lewis of St. Saviour asked a question of the Minister for Home Affairs regarding the prevention of illegal immigrants entering the United Kingdom via Jersey.

The Deputy of St. Martin asked a question of the Minister for Home Affairs regarding an audit of the Criminal Justice Policy to ensure that the present prosecution arrangements in the Magistrate's Court and Parish Hall enquiries were Human Rights compliant.

The Deputy of St. Martin asked a question of the Minister for Home Affairs regarding the Articles within the States of Jersey Law 2005 and the Police Force (Jersey) Law 1974, which enabled her to charge the Jersey Live organisers for policing that event.

Deputy S.S.P.A. Power of St. Brelade asked a question of the Minister for Home Affairs regarding a recent complaint of alleged blackmail that was made to the States of Jersey Police against certain principals of the Tax Justice Network.

Senator L. Norman asked a question of the Chairman of the Privileges and Procedures Committee regarding the legislation to give effect to the States decision to enable the Connétables to be all elected on the same day for a term of office of 4 years.

Oral Questions without notice

(see Official Report)

The Minister for Home Affairs answered questions without notice from members.

The Minister for Treasury and Resources answered questions without notice from members.

THE STATES adjourned, having agreed to reconvene on Wednesday 26th September 2007 to consider public business.

THE STATES rose at 5.39 p.m.

M.N. DE LA HAYE

Greffier of the States