



**THE STATES assembled on Thursday
9th May 2013, at 10.30 a.m. under
the Presidency of the Bailiff,
Sir Michael Birt.**

**His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor,
General Sir John McColl, K.C.B., C.B.E., D.S.O.
was present.**

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

Senator Sarah Craig Ferguson – ill
Senator Alan John Henry Maclean – excused
Connétable Juliette Gallichan of St. Mary – ill
Connétable Sadie Anthea Rennard of St. Saviour – excused attendance
Deputy Geoffrey Peter Southern of St. Helier – en défaut
Deputy Montfort Tadier of St. Brelade – en défaut
Deputy James Patrick Gorton Baker of St. Helier – en défaut

Prayers

President of Tynwald and Speaker of the House of Keys – welcome

The Bailiff, on behalf of all members, welcomed Hon. Clare Margaret Christian, President of Tynwald, and Hon. Stephen Charles Rodan SHK, Speaker of the House of Keys.

Liberation of the Island – statement

(see Official Report)

Connétable John Le Sueur Gallichan of Trinity made a statement on the occasion of the 68th anniversary of the Liberation of the Island.

THE STATES rose at 10.47 a.m.

M.N. DE LA HAYE

Greffier of the States