



**THE STATES assembled on Wednesday  
9th May 2018, at 10.30 a.m. under  
the Presidency of the Bailiff,  
Sir William James Bailhache.**

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**His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor,  
Air Chief Marshall Sir Stephen Dalton, G.C.B., LL.D. (Hon.), D.Sc. (Hon.), B.Sc., F.R.Ae.S.,  
C.C.M.I. was present.**

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

Deputy Roderick Gordon Bryans of St. Helier – en défaut

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Prayers

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#### **Visitors in the Public Gallery – welcome**

The Bailiff, on behalf of all members, welcomed Lady Dalton; Lord and Lady Chidgey; Councillor Kevin Brookes, Mayor of the Borough of Weymouth and Portland, and Mrs. Brookes; and Mr. Roland Bürkle, Bürgermeister of Bad Wurzach, and Mrs. Steffi Bürkle, who were present in the Public Gallery.

#### **Liberation of the Island – statement**

*(see Official Report)*

Senator Alan John Henry Maclean made a statement on the occasion of the 73rd anniversary of the Liberation of the Island.

THE STATES rose at 10.46 a.m.

**DR. M. EGAN**

*Greffier of the States*