

STATES OF JERSEY ORDER PAPER

Tuesday, 1st October 2002

A. COMMUNICATIONS BY THE BAILIFF

B. TABLING OF SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION

(Explanatory note attached)

Post Office (Foreign Post Provisions) (Amendment No. 28)
(Jersey) Order 2002. R & O 99/2002.
Committee for Postal Administration.

Post Office (General Provisions) (Amendment No. 49)
(Jersey) Order 2002. R & O 100/2002.
Committee for Postal Administration.

Road Racing (Motor Vehicle Rally) (Jersey) Order 2002. R
& O 101/2002.
Home Affairs Committee.

C. MATTERS RELATING TO COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP

D. PRESENTATION OF PAPERS

(a) Papers for information

Matters presented under Standing Order 6A(1)(a)

Field 126, La Grande Route de la Côte, P.98/2002. Rpt.
St. Clement: construction of homes
(P.98/2002) - report.
Planning and Environment Committee.

Jersey Harbours: progress towards the P.128/2002.
Trust Port (P.128/2002) - comments. Com.
Human Resources Committee.

Committee of Inquiry: procedures for P.139/2002.
allocation of residential property by Com.
Housing Trusts (P.139/2002) - comments.
Human Resources Committee.

Planning and Building Core Service: P.143/2002.
strategy for future resourcing Com.
(P.143/2002) - comments.
Human Resources Committee.

Health and Social Care Modernisation P.151/2002.
Fund (P.151/2002): comments. Com.
Human Resources Committee.

Matters presented under Standing Order 6A(1)(b)

(b) Notification of Standing Order decisions

(c) Notification of acceptance of tenders

(d) Papers to be lodged "au Greffe" under Standing

Order 17A(1)(a)

Channel Islands Lottery: allocation of profits. P.174/2002.
Gambling Control Committee.

(e) **Notification of Papers lodged “au Greffe” under Standing Order 17A(1)(b)**

(f) **Papers for consideration by the States in Committee under Standing Order 38A**

E. STATEMENTS AND PROPOSITIONS RELATING TO THE ARRANGEMENT OF PUBLIC BUSINESS AT THIS OR ANY SUBSEQUENT MEETING

THE STATES are asked to agree that the following matters lodged “au Greffe” be considered at their next meeting to be held on 8th October 2002 -

Tax Information Exchange Agreement with the United States of America. P.172/2002.
Lodged: 24th September 2002.
Policy and Resources Committee.

The President of the Policy and Resources Committee will ask that the above matter be considered as the first item of public business.

Jersey Consumer Council: transfer of responsibility. P.167/2001.
Lodged: 6th November 2001.
Deputy A. Breckon of St. Saviour.

Jersey Consumer Council: transfer of responsibility (P.167/2001): comments. P.167/2001. Com.
Presented: 27th November 2001.
Finance and Economics Committee.

Jersey Consumer Council: transfer of responsibility (P.167/2001): comments. P.167/2001. Com.(2).
Presented: 23rd July 2002.
Industries Committee.

Committee of Inquiry: procedures for allocation of residential property by Housing Trusts. P.139/2002.
Lodged: 20th August 2002.
Deputy S.M. Baudains of St. Helier.

Committee of Inquiry: procedures for allocation of residential property by Housing Trusts (P.139/2002) - comments. P.139/2002. Com.
Presented: 1st October 2002.
Human Resources Committee.

Haut de la Garenne: Incorporation of Trust, appointment of original Trustees, and lease of property to the Trust. P.147/2002.

Lodged: 3rd September 2002.
Planning and Environment Committee.

Haut de la Garenne: Incorporation of Trust, appointment of original Trustees, and lease of property to the Trust (P.147/2002) - comments.

P.147/2002.
Com.

Presented: 10th September 2002.
Finance and Economics Committee.

Haut de la Garenne: Incorporation of Trust, appointment of original Trustees, and lease of property to the Trust (P.147/2002) - amendment.

P.147/2002
Amd.

Lodged: 24th September 2002.
Planning and Environment Committee.

Draft Law granting an Act of Incorporation to the Association called "The Haut de la Garenne Trust".

P.148/2002.

Lodged: 3rd September 2002.
Planning and Environment Committee.

Health and Social Care Modernisation Fund.

P.151/2002.

Lodged: 10th September 2002.
Health and Social Services Committee.

Health and Social Care Modernisation Fund (P.151/2002): comments.

P.151/2002.
Com.

Presented: 1st October 2002.
Human Resources Committee.

Projet de Loi (200-) concernant les serments des Connétables et des Centeniers.

P.158/2002.
(re-issue)

Lodged: 10th September 2002.
Comité de Législation.

Draft Health Insurance (Medical Benefit) (Amendment No. 56) (Jersey) Regulations 200-. P.166/2002.
Lodged: 24th September 2002.
Employment and Social Security Committee.

Draft European Communities Legislation (Implementation) (Cattle Identification) (Jersey) Regulations 200-. P.168/2002.
Lodged: 24th September 2002.
Agriculture and Fisheries Committee.

Jersey Overseas Aid Committee: funding. P.169/2002.
Lodged: 24th September 2002.
Overseas Aid Committee.

St. Helier Street Life Programme. P.170/2002.
Lodged: 24th September 2002.
Planning and Environment Committee.

F. PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS

G. QUESTIONS

Deputy G.P. Southern of St. Helier will ask a question of the President of the Planning and Environment Committee regarding Haut de la Garenne, St. Martin.

Deputy G.P. Southern of St. Helier will ask questions of the President of the Education Committee regarding cuts in, or charges for, services.

H. MATTERS OF PRIVILEGE

I. PERSONAL STATEMENTS

J. COMMITTEE STATEMENTS

K. PUBLIC BUSINESS

Draft Amendment (No. 11) of Standing Orders Relating to Certain Transactions in Land. P.133/2002.
Lodged: 13th August 2002.
Privileges and Procedures Committee.

Draft Public Holidays and Bank Holidays (Amendment No. 2) (Jersey) Law 200. P.136/2002.
Lodged: 20th August 2002.
Finance and Economics Committee.

Mains Drain Extension Scheme: Thistle Grove, St. Lawrence and St. John. P.141/2002.
Lodged: 27th August 2002.
Deputy of St. John.

Mains Drain Extension Scheme: Thistle Grove, St. Lawrence and St. John. P.141/2002.
Com.

(P.141/2002) - comments.
Presented: 24th September 2002.
Finance and Economics Committee.

Mains Drain Extension Scheme: Thistle
Grove, St. Lawrence and St. John
(P.141/2002) - report. P.141/2002.
Presented: 24th September 2002. Rpt.
Public Services Committee.

Draft Boats and Surf-Riding (Control)
(Amendment No. 23) (Jersey) Regulations
200-. P.144/2002.
Lodged: 3rd September 2002.
Harbours and Airport Committee.

Draft Pilotage (General Provisions)
(Amendment No. 8) (Jersey) Regulations
200-.

P.145/2002.

Lodged: 3rd September 2002.

Harbours and Airport Committee.

Draft Harbours (Amendment No. 34)
(Jersey) Regulations 200-.

P.146/2002.

Lodged: 3rd September 2002.

Harbours and Airport Committee.

Draft Health and Safety at Work
(Construction) (Personal Protective
Equipment) (Jersey) Regulations 200-.

P.154/2002.

Lodged: 10th September 2002.

*Employment and Social Security
Committee.*

Draft Motor Traffic (No. 9) (Jersey)
Regulations 200-

P.155/2002.

Lodged: 10th September 2002.

Home Affairs Committee.

New North Quay, St. Helier: erection of
fencing - review.

P.163/2002.

Lodged: 17th September 2002.

Deputy G.C.L. Baudains of St. Clement.

C.M. NEWCOMBE

Greffier of the States

26th September 2002.

Explanatory Note regarding subordinate legislation tabled at this meeting.

R&O 99/2002

This Order abolishes the facility for the issue of a certificate of posting under the Post Office (Foreign Post Provisions) (Jersey) Order 1979 to the sender of an unregistered postal packet.

It also increases from 60p to 80p the charge for an international reply coupon.

The Order was made by the Committee for Postal Administration on 25th September 2002 and comes into force on 1st January 2003.

R&O 100/2002

This Order has the following effect -

- (a) it increases the surcharge on unpaid or underpaid mail from 15p to 80p;
- (b) it increases rental and other charges for Private Boxes by approximately 4 per cent; and
- (c) it increases redirection charges by approximately 4 per cent.

The Order was made by the Committee for Postal Administration on 25th September 2002, and will come into force on 1st January 2003.

R&O 101/2002

This Order allows the Jersey Motor Cycle and Light Car Club to hold motor races on public roads in the parishes of Saint Peter, Saint Ouen, Saint Mary, Saint Lawrence, Saint John and Trinity, on Friday, 25th October 2002 and Saturday, 26th October 2002.

The roads, and the dates and times at which they may be closed and used for those purposes, are specified in the Schedule to the Order.

The Order was made by the Home Affairs Committee on 26th September 2002, after consultation with the Public Services Committee.

QUESTION PAPER

(See Item G)

Deputy Geoffrey Peter Southern of St. Helier will ask the following question of the President of the Planning and Environment Committee -

The report accompanying the proposition regarding Haut de la Garenne, St. Martin: Approval of Drawings (P.57/2002), which was adopted by the States on 10th September 2002, states that 'over 60,000 bed nights were provided since 1995 ' and 'The building had to be taken out of use in 2000' -

- (a) can the President confirm that the 60,000 bed nights referred to were used over the five year period between 1995 and 2000?
- (b) does the President agree that such a level of occupancy of the planned 128-bed facility would result in an occupancy rate of only 25 per cent which would render the centre unviable?
- (c) what steps have or will be put in place to ensure that the Trust to be set up by the Committee is fully self-financing and not a continuing drain on the States' resources?

Deputy Geoffrey Peter Southern of St. Helier will ask the following questions of the President of the Education Committee -

- “1. The Education Committee has announced to staff that it will make cuts in, or make charges for, services in order to keep within budget.

Will the President -

- (a) inform members of the extent of these cuts or charges?
 - (b) outline the service areas where these cuts will fall?
 - (c) confirm that these cuts will affect individual school budgets?
2. Would the President confirm that it is the intention of the Committee to increase the pupil/teacher ratio (PTR), in 16+ education from 10.2 to one, to 11.2 to one?

At a time of rising rolls, would the President advise members whether -

- (a) this will result in larger A and A/S level classes?
 - (b) lead to a reduction in minority subjects (physics, modern languages) at A and A/S level?
3. Would the President advise members whether, whilst the

cuts will affect all six centres of 16+ education (assuming that Highlands College will also be affected), the cuts will fall most heavily upon Hautlieu School, where over 60 per cent of pupils are over 16, and would he advise members by how much in absolute and percentage terms the budgets of these six centres will be cut?