

**WRITTEN QUESTION TO THE CHIEF MINISTER
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ANSWER TO BE TABLED ON TUESDAY 18th JUNE 2019**

Question

Following the adoption of ‘Jèrriais: promotion by the Public Sector’ (P.143/2018), as amended, will the Chief Minister provide an update on the implementation of Part 2(b) of the proposition, namely that, within 4 months, the Council of Ministers would produce guidelines for Jèrriais to be incorporated into all official signage and letter headings produced and used by the public sector in Jersey; and if Part 2(b) has not been implemented, will the Chief Minister explain why not, given that the deadline of 4 months has passed?

Answer

A draft set of guidelines is being circulated to the Council of Ministers, and the Deputy, in advance of publication, which expected during the week commencing 17th June (the 4 month period elapsed on 12th June, which was not quite met as final internal checks were being performed before publishing).

In the meantime, we have been quietly adopting the use of Jèrriais, including in relation to new signage, letterheads, and business cards, seeking to reflect the principles agreed by the Assembly, and setting an example for other organisations on the importance of Jèrriais as a component of our unique culture.