

**WRITTEN QUESTION TO THE CHIEF MINISTER  
BY DEPUTY M.R. HIGGINS OF ST. HELIER  
QUESTION SUBMITTED ON MONDAY 25th JANUARY 2021  
ANSWER TO BE TABLED ON MONDAY 1st FEBRUARY 2021**

**Question**

Will the Chief Minister advise the Assembly who has been appointed, or is to be appointed, to establish and operate a Digital Commercial and Residential Property Register in the Island by the end of 2021 and will he provide a progress report in respect of their efforts to date?

**Answer**

Political and operational responsibility for this project is still under discussion. There were unforeseen delays as a result of the rise in COVID-19 cases during the end of 2020 and the changes in Ministerial responsibility which have occurred since October. The project plan is scheduled to be completed before the end of Q1 2021 and we anticipate confirming the political lead in the same timeframe.

As soon as the project plan is ready, I would be delighted to offer the Deputy a separate briefing.