

**WRITTEN QUESTION TO THE CHIEF MINISTER
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QUESTION SUBMITTED ON MONDAY 26th JUNE 2023
ANSWER TO BE TABLED ON MONDAY 3rd JULY 2023**

Question

“In relation to the rules around ‘ordinary residence’ and ‘temporary absence from the Island’, will the Chief Minister explain –

- (a) how the rules apply to High Value Residents who take up residence in the Island having been granted Entitled status under Regulation 2(1)(e) of the [Control of Housing and Work \(Residential and Employment Status\) \(Jersey\) Regulations 2013](#); and
- (b) whether these rules are applied differently to High Value Residents compared with other residents and, if so, how and why?”

Answer

- (a) Residents who hold 2(1)(e) status gain their entitled residential status by virtue of meeting the policy tests for 2(1)(e) applicants, as outlined in the guidance, notably a minimum tax contribution, and due diligence processes, and not by completing (or maintaining) a period of residence.
- (b) They have no special or specific arrangements prescribed in policy regarding ordinary residence and temporary absence, save that their 2(1)(e) entitled status is not based on completing a period of residence.