

STATES OF JERSEY



DRAFT SHOPS (REGULATION OF OPENING) (JERSEY) REGULATIONS 201- (P.95/2011): THIRD AMENDMENT

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In paragraph (6)(a) after the words “Christmas Day” insert the words “or 26th December”.

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REPORT

Last year the States Assembly voted to make the 26th December a limited trading day which will allow limited shop opening similar to that of a normal Sunday, but did not allow the Minister for Economic Development to designate the 26th of December a special day under the law, thus preventing the general opening of shops on the 26th December when the Boxing Day holiday is designated to an alternative day.

This amendment seeks to preserve the 26th December as a special day for as many families as possible by limiting the opening of shops to those smaller convenience stores.

Financial and manpower implications

There are no manpower or financial implications for the States.