

STATES OF JERSEY



DRAFT EMPLOYMENT OF STATES OF JERSEY EMPLOYEES (AMENDMENT No. 7) (JERSEY) REGULATIONS 201- (P.97/2014): SECOND AMENDMENT

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by the States Employment Board**

STATES GREFFE

PAGE 16, REGULATION 6 –

For Regulation 6 substitute the following Regulation –

**“6 Term of appointment of Chairman of Jersey Appointments
Commission**

In Article 18(4), for the words “4 years” there shall be substituted the
words “not more than 4 years”.

STATES EMPLOYMENT BOARD

REPORT

The States Employment Board has considered concerns expressed by the Jersey Appointments Commission about the Draft Employment of States of Jersey Employees (Amendment No. 7) (Jersey) Regulations 201- (the “draft Regulations”).

One of the main concerns raised regarding the draft Regulations had been that the appointment of Commissioners would be made by the Chief Minister and referred to the States, rather than being made by the States. The Commissioners had been advised that the amendments were being proposed in accordance with the States’ decision on 2nd February 2010 to adopt the proposition P.205/2009 “Appointments made by the States: revised procedures”, whereby it had been agreed that appointments should not be debated, but referred to the States by the relevant Minister. This had been reiterated to the Chairman at a subsequent meeting, but had remained a matter of concern for the Commission.

An amendment has accordingly been drafted to the draft Regulations which would enable the members of the Appointments Commission to be appointed in the same manner as the Greffier of the States and the Data Protection Commissioner, whose appointments are required to be approved by the States.

Financial and manpower implications

There are no additional financial or manpower implications for the States arising from this amendment.