STATES OF JERSEY



DRAFT EXTRADITION (JERSEY) LAW 2004 (APPOINTED DAY) ACT 200-

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REPORT

The States adopted the draft Extradition (Jersey) Law 200- on 11th May 2004. The Law has now been sanctioned by the Privy Council and registered in the Royal Court.

States Members will recall that the Law will mean that, for the first time, extradition cases will be dealt with in the Island under Island legislation and requests for extradition can be made to other countries and territories by the Island Authorities without the need for the United Kingdom government to act as intermediary.

Article 123 of the Law provides that the Law is to brought into force on a date prescribed by an Act of the States The date fixed by the draft Act is 1st November 2004 for the whole of the Law to come into effect.

Financial/manpower implications

Given the relatively few requests for extradition made or received in recent years, and the fact that the Attorney General's office is in practice currently involved in those which do take place, the commencement of the Law is not expected to require any additional manpower or financial resources.

Explanatory Note

The effect of this Act would be to bring the Extradition (Jersey) Law 2004 into force on 1st October 2004.



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Made[date to be inserted]Coming into force[date to be inserted]

THE STATES, in pursuance of Article 123 of the Extradition (Jersey) Law 2004 $^{[1]}$ have made the following Act –

1 Appointed day for commencement of Extradition (Jersey) Law 2004

The Extradition (Jersey) Law 2004^[2] shall come into force on 1st October 2004.

2 Citation

This Act may be cited as the Extradition (Jersey) Law 2004 (Appointed Day) Act 200-.

[1] Recueil des Lois, Volume 2004, page 915.

^[2] Recueil des Lois, Volume 2004, page 843.