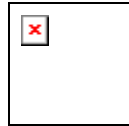


# PROJET DE LOI (200-) (AMENDEMENT) SUR LA VOIRIE

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The present *Loi* requires a Connétable to advertise the *branchage* date in the Jersey Gazette in the last week of June and of August.

Recent mild winters have brought forward the growth of plants generally and those in roadside hedges and *banques* are no exception.

Last year and this year especially have seen very early growth and some lanes are practically impassable at this time of year, but an earlier *branchage* to ensure road safety is not possible under the present *Loi*.

A Connétable has the power to require a landowner to cut back his vegetation at any time, but this is meant for individual instances; it is impractical to use this power as a means of effecting an earlier overall *branchage*.

My amendment would **not** require a Connétable to call the *branchage* earlier, but it would give him the **flexibility** to do so if he considered it necessary.

While the first *branchage* is the one that causes the most danger to traffic and pedestrians, with my amendment a Connétable would be able to advertise the *branchage* at any time during June or August, instead of only in the last week of those months.

I have consulted the States Environment Adviser on the matter and he has no objections.

[Note: If the amending *Loi* is adopted, the relevant part of Article 41 would read as follows -

“In the month of June and of August of each year the Connétables shall, by means of a notice published in the Jersey Gazette, warn their parishioners who occupy houses and lands bordering on public roads to have the *branchage* growing on their property along the public roads cut immediately ...”]

This projet de Loi has no implications for the financial or manpower resources of the States.

**LOI (200-) (AMENDEMENT) SUR LA VOIRIE**

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**LOI** pour modifier en outre la Loi (1914) sur la Voirie; confirmée par Ordre de Sa Majesté en Conseil en date du

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**AUX ETATS DE L'ILE DE JERSEY**

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**LES ETATS**, moyennant la sanction de Sa Très Excellente Majesté en Conseil, ont adopté la Loi suivante -

ARTICLE 1

Dans le premier alinea de l'Article 41 de la Loi (1914) sur la Voirie, telle que ladite Loi a été modifiée,<sup>[1]</sup> aux mots "la dernière semaine du mois de juin et du" seront substitués les mots "le mois de juin et le".

ARTICLE 2

La présente Loi pourra être citée sous le titre de "Loi (200-) (Amendement) sur la Voirie".

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<sup>[1]</sup> Tomes IV-VI, page 347, Volume 1970-1972, page 197 and Volume 1994-1995, page 348.