

STATES OF JERSEY



**DRAFT STATES OF JERSEY
(MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS)
LAW 201- (P.176/2010):
THIRD AMENDMENT
(P.176/2010 Amd.(3)) – AMENDMENT**

Lodged au Greffe on 11th January 2011
by Senator S.C. Ferguson

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In paragraph (a), delete the words “and (2)”.

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After paragraph (a), insert the following amendment –

“(aa) in paragraph (2) for the words “4 Senators” substitute the words
“12 Senators”.”.

SENATOR S.C. FERGUSON

Note: This amendment to paragraph (a) of my amendment will only be proposed if Senator Ozouf’s amendments proposing a revised transitional schedule of elections have been adopted.

REPORT

I am bringing this amendment to my amendment following the receipt of information from the Greffier of the States on the running order for the debate on P.176/2010.

Members will have seen from the report accompanying my amendments (P.176/2010 Amd.(3)) that I believe it would be inappropriate to reduce the number of Senators in the States. My own amendments were drafted to fit with the original transitional schedule of elections put forward by PPC, but if the revised transitional arrangements proposed by Senator Ozouf are approved by members, I need to propose this change to my own amendments, as under Senator Ozouf's proposals the first 'general election' for all members would take place in October 2014 and I therefore wish to retain 12 Senators for that election.

This amendment to my amendment will only need to be proposed if Senator Ozouf's amendments proposing a revised transitional schedule of elections have been adopted.

Financial and manpower implications

As set out in the financial and manpower statement in my amendments, there is no additional cost as this amendment to the amendment merely retains the current number of members. The potential saving that will be foregone is the cost of 4 States Members – approximately £173,000 a year. There are no manpower implications.