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PRIVILEGES AND PROCEDURES COMMITTEE

(35th Meeting)

20th December 2021

**PART A (Non-Exempt)**

All members were present.

Deputy C.S. Alves of St. Helier, Chair  
 Senator T.A. Vallois, Vice-Chair  
 Connétable A.S. Crowcroft of St. Helier  
 Connétable K. Shenton-Stone of St. Martin  
 Deputy R. Labey of St. Helier  
 Deputy M.R. Le Hegarat of St. Helier  
 Deputy G.C.U. Guida of St. Lawrence

In attendance -

Dr. M. Egan, Greffier of the States  
 L.M. Hart, Deputy Greffier of the States  
 W. Millow, Assistant Greffier (Chamber and Members' Support)  
 K. Boydens, Principal Committee and Panel Officer  
 Deputy M.R. Higgins of St. Helier (Item B1)  
 Deputy J.M. Maçon of St. Saviour (Item B2)

Note: The Minutes of this meeting comprise Part A and Part B.

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| Minutes.                                         | A1. The Minutes of the meetings held on 22nd November 2021 (Parts A and B), 6th December 2021 (Part A) and 7th December 2021 (Part A) having previously been circulated, were approved.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| Forthcoming business for debate by the Assembly. | A2. The Committee, with reference to Minute No. A2 of its meeting of 22nd November 2021, considered forthcoming business for debate by the Assembly at its meeting on 18th January 2022. The Committee decided that it did not wish to make a formal comment on any of the propositions which had been lodged ' <i>au Greffe</i> ' for debate on that date.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| Update on the work of the Sub-Committees.        | A3. The Committee, with reference to Minute No. A3 of its meeting of 22nd November 2021, received and considered a paper by the Principal Committee and Panel Officer regarding an update on the work of the Sub-Committees. The Committee noted the following updates:<br><br><b>Election Observers Sub-Committee</b> – the Deputy Greffier of the States advised that legislation relating to spending limits for political parties was currently being drafted and would be submitted for consideration by the Committee in due course.<br><br><b>Political Awareness Education Sub-Committee</b> – the Committee noted that there were no new updates.<br><br><b>States Members' Pensions Sub-Committee</b> – the Committee noted that there were no new updates. |

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**Diversity Forum Sub-Committee** – the Committee noted that there were no new updates.

**Democratic Accountability and Governance Sub-Committee** – the Committee noted that the Sub-Committee was discussing its final draft of the report which would be submitted to the Committee for its consideration in due course.