## WRITTEN QUESTION TO THE CHAIRMAN OF THE COMITÉ DES CONNÉTABLES BY SENATOR S.Y. MÉZEC ANSWER TO BE TABLED ON TUESDAY 10th JULY 2018

## Question

Further to the response to Written Question 42/2018, will the Chairman provide an updated breakdown by gender of who currently serves as elected members of the Parish Roads Committees; and will she also provide a further breakdown by gender of who has served in this capacity over the last 20 years?

## **Answer**

WQ.42/2018 asked for the number of women members on the Parish Roads Committees across the 12 Parishes.

This question asks for the breakdown by gender of the current elected members of those Committees. This response therefore relates to the 'principals' who are elected by each Parish Assembly.

The Parishes do not request the gender of those nominated for office at a Parish Assembly but, from the titles and names used by those elected, the breakdown is as follows:

- a) Current elected members by gender all male.
- b) Elected members by gender over the last 20 years (July 1998 June 2018) all male.

For information: the Parish Roads Committee membership is set out in the Loi (1914) sur la Voirie:

- St Helier Roads Committee is the Connétable, Rector and 5 principals of the parish
- In the other 11 parishes the Roads Committee is the Connétable, Rector and 3 principals of the parish.