

PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE

(16th Meeting)

21st May 2007**PART A**

All members were present, with the exception of Connétable T.J. du Feu of St. Peter, Connétable D.J. Murphy and Mr. M. Magee, from whom apologies had been received.

Deputy S.C. Ferguson, Chairman
 Senator J.L. Perchard
 Deputy A. Breckon
 Deputy J.G. Reed
 R. Bignell
 C. Evans
 A. Grimes
 Advocate A. Ohlsson

In attendance -

C. Swinson, O.B.E., Comptroller and Auditor General
 P. Monamy, Clerk to the Public Accounts Committee

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

Minutes.

A1. The Minutes of the Meeting held on 30th April 2007 (Part A only), having been previously circulated, were taken as read and were confirmed.

Public Accounts Committee report reviewing C&AG Reports on JFSC, Overseas Aid and Notes on States' Aggregate Expenditure.
 512/2(3)

A2. The Committee, with reference to its Minute No. A4 of 30th April 2007, considered a revised draft report reviewing the reports of the Comptroller and Auditor General on the Jersey Financial Services Commission (JFSC), Overseas Aid and his Notes on States' Aggregate Expenditure.

The Committee, having agreed a number of minor revisions, accordingly approved the report and asked that it be presented to the States at the earliest opportunity.

Planning for the States of Jersey Accounts 2006: hearings to be held.
 512/1(10)

A3. The Committee, with reference to its Minute No. A5(g) of 30th April 2007, agreed that it would be preferable to defer until July the proposed public hearing at which interviews of the Treasurer of the States and other Accounting Officers would be held in relation to the States of Jersey Accounts 2006 and, in relation to Social Security, "supplementation."

The Committee recognised that its next meeting (25th June 2007) would be utilised for briefings in preparation for the following meeting (30th July) and subsequent hearing.

The Comptroller and Auditor General was requested to make the necessary arrangements.