

# STATES OF JERSEY



## **COMMON STRATEGIC POLICY 2024- 2026 (P.21/2024): THIRD AMENDMENT (P.21/2024 AMD.(3)) – AMENDMENT (P.21/2024 AMD.(3).AMD) – CHILDREN’S RIGHTS IMPACT ASSESSMENT**

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by the Council of Ministers**

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**CHILDREN’S RIGHTS IMPACT ASSESSMENT (CRIA)**

**PART 1: SCREENING**

Name and title of Duty Bearer:	Deputy L. Feltham of St. Helier Central
Type of Duty Bearer: (Minister, Elected Member or States Assembly Body)	Minister
Assessment completed by (if not completed by duty bearer):	Group Director of Policy, Cabinet Office
Date:	14/05/2024
<p>1) Name and brief description of the proposed decision            The subject of your CRIA may be a proposed law, policy or proposition and in accordance with the Law is referred to in this template as the ‘<b>decision</b>’</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What is the problem or issue the decision is trying to address?</li> <li>• Do children experience this problem differently from adults?</li> </ul>	
<p>Common Strategic Policy 2024-2026 (P.21/2024): Amendment by Deputy I. Gardiner of St. Helier North aimed to support the health provisions and economic prosperity of older people, ensure homes are designed so an ageing population can continue living independently, and support lifelong learning, retraining and flexible roles are available for older workers. The Amendments proposed by the Council of Ministers support the principle of that Amendment but insert additional requirements to consider this alongside rising levels of disability and declining birth rates.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The health, housing and economic implications of an ageing population, with its associated rising levels of disability, and the support required to ensure positive outcomes.</li> <li>• Yes, children experience this problem differently from adults, as the ageing population and older age-related disabilities only apply to adults.</li> </ul>	
<p>2) Which groups of children and young people are likely to be affected?            Groups of children could include early years, primary or secondary education; young adults; children with additional learning needs; disabled children; children living in poverty; children from particular ethnic backgrounds; migrants; refugees; care experienced children and LGBTQ+ children</p>	
<p>No children will likely be affected by the decision as it is aimed at older people. The reference to declining birth rates is only included as it is relevant to the effect this has on wider population policy planning, which includes the levels of working age population and the levels of care needed to support an ageing population.</p>	
<p>3) What is the likely impact of the proposed decision on children and on their rights?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Identify any potential positive OR negative impacts and include indirect impacts on children and their rights as described in the UNCRC</li> <li>• Will different groups of children be affected differently by this decision?</li> </ul>	
<p>No positive or negative impacts have been identified in relation to children’s rights.</p>	

4) Is a full Children's Rights Impact Assessment required?  
If you have identified impacts on children and their rights, a full CRIA should be completed. If no impacts are identified then a Full CRIA is not required, but please explain your rationale and how you reached this conclusion

No. No impacts were identified on children and their rights.