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WRITTEN QUESTION TO THE MINISTER FOR TRANSPORT AND TECHNICAL SERVICES BY DEPUTY M.R. HIGGINS OF ST. HELIER ANSWER TO BE TABLED ON TUESDAY 28th APRIL 2015

Question

Will the Minister set out for members a chronology of all correspondence, from 2007 to the present day, between the department and the States of Guernsey and its departments regarding the burning of Guernsey's waste in Jersey's Energy from Waste Plant?

Answer

Officers from Jersey and Guernsey have consulted on various technical matters with regard to the feasibility of processing Guernsey waste. These communications are not logged and are not included in the table below.

Date	Activity
June 2007	Meeting in which waste issues between Jersey and Guernsey
	were discussed.
July 2007	Meeting between islands to discuss waste roles of each
	department and options for joint working.
May 2012	Meeting held in Jersey between Officers of Guernsey Public
	Services and TTS
August 2012	Members of the States of Guernsey visit the Energy from
	Waste Plant.
February 2013	Officer meeting, held in Guernsey.
February 2013	TTS received a request from the Guernsey Public Services
	Department to complete a questionnaire.
March 2013	TTS submit response to the initial questionnaire
April 2013	Meeting in Jersey with Guernsey counterparts
July 2013	Bi-lateral Ministerial Meeting with Guernsey
July 2013	Guernsey issued a pre-qualification tender request for the
	processing and shipping of waste from Guernsey.
September 2013	Tender returns reviewed and discussed by the Guernsey
	Public Services Board in September 2013 and the Public
	Services Department bought a States Report for debate in
	September 2013
April 2014	Waste update meeting between officers
December 2014	Introductory letter from new TTS Minister to new Guernsey
	PSD Minister
February 2015	Inter-Island meeting re Guernsey Waste disposal
May 2015	Political and Officer meeting planned for 22 nd May