



**THE STATES assembled on Tuesday
11th May 2010, at 09.30 a.m. under
the Presidency of the Bailiff,
Michael Cameron St. John Birt Esquire.**

**His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor,
Lieutenant-General Andrew Peter Ridgway, C.B., C.B.E.,
was present.**

All members were present at roll call with the exception of –

Senator Frederick Ellyer Cohen – en défaut (défaut raised at 9.38 a.m.)
Connétable Silvanus Arthur Yates of St. Martin – ill
Connétable John Martin Refault of St. Peter – absent on States business
Deputy John Benjamin Fox of St. Helier – absent on States business
Deputy Geoffrey Peter Southern of St. Helier – en défaut (défaut raised at 9.38 a.m.)
Deputy Sean Seamus Patrick Augustine Power of St. Brelade – absent on States business
Deputy Montfort Tadier of St. Brelade – en défaut (défaut raised at 9.41 a.m.)
Deputy Anne Teresa Dupré of St. Clement – absent on States business

Prayers

Liberation Day – thanks

The Bailiff, on behalf of all members, thanked those involved in the organisation of the recent Liberation Day celebrations, particularly the tea party for over 1,300 pensioners at the Royal Jersey Agricultural and Horticultural Society Headquarters. The Connétable of St. Ouen, on behalf of all members, extended thanks to the Bailiff and his team for making the 65th anniversary of the Liberation such a success.

Jersey Rugby Club Success

The Bailiff, on behalf of all members, congratulated the Jersey Rugby Club on their recent National III League Championship success at Twickenham.

Subordinate enactments tabled

The following enactments were tabled, namely –

Road Traffic (St. Clement) (Amendment No. 20) (Jersey) Order 2010. R&O.39/2010.
Minister for Transport and Technical Services.

Competition (Mergers and Acquisitions) (Jersey) Order 2010. R&O.40/2010.
Minister for Economic Development.

Pharmacists and Pharmacy Technicians (Registration) (General Provisions) (Jersey) Order 2010.
Minister for Health and Social Services. R&O.41/2010.

Documents presented or laid

Draft Employment of States of Jersey Employees (Amendment No. 5) (Jersey) Regulations 201- (P.22/2010): amendment (P.22/2010 Amd.) – comments.
Presented: 7th May 2010.
Council of Ministers. P.22/2010.
Amd.Com.

States Net Revenue Expenditure 2011 and 2012: reduction (P.29/2010) – comments.
Presented: 4th May 2010.
Council of Ministers. P.29/2010.
Com.

Health and Social Services Department: Management Improvement Plan (P.31/2010) – comments.
Presented: 10th May 2010.
Minister for Health and Social Services. P.31/2010.
Com.

Reciprocal Health Agreement with the United Kingdom: negotiations (P.39/2010) – comments.
Presented: 10th May 2010.
Minister for Health and Social Services. P.39/2010.
Com.

Jersey Competition Regulatory Authority: Annual Report 2009.
Presented: 27th April 2010.
Minister for Economic Development. R.47/2010.

Reports accompanying Propositions: guidelines.
Presented: 29th April 2010.
Privileges and Procedures Committee. R.48/2010.

Land Transactions under Standing Order 168(3) – 1, 5, 7 and 9 Baycroft Close, La Grande Route de St. Clément, St. Clement – leases.
Presented: 29th April 2010.
Minister for Treasury and Resources. R.49/2010.

Review of the Protection of Heritage Regime: Consultation Response.
Presented: 29th April 2010.
Minister for Planning and Environment. R.50/2010.

States Assembly Annual Report 2009.
Presented: 4th May 2010.
Privileges and Procedures Committee. R.51/2010.

Land Transactions under Standing Order 168(3) –
(a) Jersey Airport Airfield, L’Avenue de la Reine Elizabeth II, St. Peter – grant of rights;
(b) 4 Hollydale Estate, Le Mont Félard, St. Lawrence – assisted house purchase property.
Presented: 10th May 2010.
Minister for Treasury and Resources. R.52/2010.

Public Accounts Committee: Report on the accounts of the States for the year ended 31st December 2008 (P.A.C.1/2010) – responses of Departments. P.A.C.1/2010.
Presented: 26th April 2010. Res.
Public Accounts Committee.

States Spending Review. P.A.C.2/2010.
Presented: 23rd April 2010.
Public Accounts Committee.

Notification of lodged propositions

Millennium Town Park: commencement in 2010 (P.42/2010) – amendment. P.42/2010.
Lodged: 4th May 2010. Amd.
Council of Ministers.

Draft Supply of Goods and Services (Amendment) (Jersey) Regulations 201-. P.53/2010.
Lodged: 28th April 2010.
Minister for Economic Development.

Public Employees Contributory Retirement Scheme Committee of Management: P.54/2010.
membership.
Lodged: 6th May 2010.
Chief Minister.

Draft Mental Health (Amendment No. 3) (Jersey) Law 201-. P.55/2010.
Lodged: 6th May 2010.
Minister for Health and Social Services.

Draft States of Jersey (Period for Election) (Jersey) Regulations 201-. P.56/2010.
Lodged: 10th May 2010.
Privileges and Procedures Committee.

North of Town Masterplan. P.57/2010.
Lodged: 11th May 2010.
Minister for Planning and Environment.

Jersey Financial Services Commission: appointment of Commissioner. P.58/2010.
Lodged: 11th May 2010.
Minister for Economic Development.

Jersey Red Ensign: optional use for ships registered in Jersey. P.59/2010.
Lodged: 11th May 2010.
Minister for Economic Development.

Public Employees Contributory Retirement Scheme Committee of Management: P.60/2010.
membership.
Lodged: 11th May 2010.
Chief Minister.

Withdrawal of lodged propositions

THE STATES noted that, in accordance with Standing Order 34(1), the proposer of the following proposition lodged “au Greffe” had informed the Greffier of the States that it had been withdrawn –

Public Employees Contributory Retirement Scheme Committee of Management: P.54/2010.
membership.
Lodged: 6th May 2010.
Chief Minister.

Environment Scrutiny Panel – resignation

THE STATES noted the resignation of Deputy P.V.F. Le Claire of St. Helier from the Environment Scrutiny Panel.

Appointment of a member of the Privileges and Procedures Committee

In accordance with Standing Order 122, the Connétable of St. Mary, Chairman of the Privileges and Procedures Committee, nominated the Connétable of St. Saviour as a member of the Privileges and Procedures Committee.

Deputy Trevor Mark Pitman of St. Helier was nominated by Deputy Michael Roderick Higgins of St. Helier.

THE STATES, having proceeded to a secret ballot, were informed of the following results by the Bailiff –

The Connétable of St. Saviour	29
Deputy Trevor Mark Pitman of St. Helier	18

The Bailiff accordingly declared that the Connétable of St. Saviour had been duly appointed as a member of the Privileges and Procedures Committee.

Personal statements

(see Official Report/Hansard)

Deputy Paul Vincent Francis Le Claire of St. Helier, in accordance with Standing Order 16(3), made a personal statement regarding his resignation from the Environment Scrutiny Panel.

Written Questions

(see Official Report/Hansard)

The Chief Minister tabled an answer to a question asked by the Deputy of St. John regarding the employment of Orchid Communications.

The Chief Minister tabled an answer to a question asked by Senator J.L. Perchard regarding the Managing Director of the Waterfront Enterprise Board’s employment contract.

The Minister for Health and Social Services tabled an answer to a question asked by Senator J.L. Perchard regarding sharing a Medical Officer of Health with Guernsey.

The Minister for Planning and Environment tabled an answer to a question asked by Senator B.E. Shenton regarding the designation of buildings as being of 'local interest'.

The Minister for Home Affairs tabled an answer to a question asked by the Deputy of St. John regarding the diversity of the States of Jersey Police.

The Minister for Health and Social Services tabled an answer to a question asked by the Connétable of St. Lawrence regarding the number of prosecutions since the introduction of smoking restrictions.

The Minister for Education, Sport and Culture tabled an answer to a question asked by Deputy R.G. Le Hérissier of St. Saviour regarding the energy consumption in the Island's schools and colleges.

The Minister for Transport and Technical Services tabled an answer to a question asked by Deputy R.G. Le Hérissier of St. Saviour regarding the integration of school buses into the scheduled network.

The Minister for Treasury and Resources tabled an answer to a question asked by Deputy G.P. Southern of St. Helier regarding the first stage of the Comprehensive Spending Review.

The Chief Minister tabled an answer to a question by Deputy G.P. Southern of St. Helier regarding the cost and effectiveness of the 'Livelink' system.

The Minister for Economic Development tabled an answer to a question asked by Deputy G.P. Southern of St. Helier regarding transfer pricing (or mispricing) of goods.

The Chief Minister tabled an answer to a question asked by Deputy G.P. Southern of St. Helier regarding the terms of the new Voluntary Redundancy package to be applied to public sector workers.

The Minister for Economic Development tabled an answer to a question asked by Deputy G.P. Southern of St. Helier regarding the consultation timescale for the granting of Class 1 postal licences to 2 competitors to Jersey Post.

The Minister for Housing tabled an answer to a question asked by Deputy D.J. De Sousa of St. Helier regarding the elimination of price wars over land acquisition with housing trusts.

The Minister for Housing tabled an answer to a question asked by Deputy D.J. De Sousa of St. Helier regarding the regulation of housing trusts.

The Chairman of the Privileges and Procedures Committee tabled an answer to a question asked by Deputy D.J. De Sousa of St. Helier regarding a single date for the 2011 elections.

The Minister for Transport and Technical Services tabled an answer to a question asked by Deputy D.J. De Sousa of St. Helier regarding the total number of vehicles rented annually by States Departments from Motor Mall.

The Minister for Treasury and Resources tabled an answer to a question asked by Deputy D.J. De Sousa of St. Helier regarding redundancies at the Jersey New Waterworks Company.

The Chief Minister tabled an answer to a question asked by the Connétable of St. Mary regarding the implementation of paragraph 2.1.1(a) of the Code of Practice on Public Access to Official Information.

The Minister for Economic Development tabled an answer to a question asked by the Deputy of St. John regarding fees charged to Airport taxi cab drivers.

The Minister for Planning and Environment tabled an answer to a question asked by Deputy T.M. Pitman of St. Helier regarding scaffolding at a building in La Motte Street.

The Chairman of the Privileges and Procedures Committee tabled an answer to a question asked by Deputy T.M. Pitman of St. Helier regarding monitoring the commitment of members to their public duties.

The Minister for Planning and Environment tabled an answer to a question asked by Deputy T.M. Pitman of St. Helier regarding the Town Park.

The Chairman of the Privileges and Procedures Committee tabled an answer to a question asked by Deputy M. Tadier of St. Brelade regarding the introduction of a 4 year term for all States Members.

The Chairman of the Privileges and Procedures Committee tabled an answer to a question asked by Deputy M. Tadier of St. Brelade regarding the current qualifications to stand for election as a member of the States Assembly.

The Minister for Transport and Technical Services tabled an answer to a question asked by the Deputy of St. Mary regarding accidents involving cyclists or pedestrians in the vicinity of the ongoing roadworks along the promenade between St. Aubin and St. Helier.

The Minister for Education, Sport and Culture tabled an answer to a question asked by the Deputy of St. Mary regarding the number of redundancies at the Jersey Heritage Trust.

The Chief Minister tabled an answer to a question asked by the Deputy of St. Mary regarding the growth in GDP.

The Minister for Planning and Environment tabled an answer to a question asked by the Deputy of St. Mary regarding legal advice in relation to contamination of neighbouring properties on the Talman site.

Oral Questions

(see Official Report/Hansard)

Deputy T.M. Pitman of St. Helier asked a question of the Minister for Home Affairs regarding the number of alleged abuse cases relating to the cellars at Haut de la Garenne.

Deputy J.M. Maçon of St. Saviour asked a question of the Minister for Health and Social Services regarding Health and Social Services staff suspensions.

Deputy R.G. Le Hérissier of St. Saviour asked a question of the Minister for Treasury and Resources regarding Fiscal Stimulus Funding for Fort Regent.

Deputy S. Pitman of St. Helier asked a question of the Minister for Treasury and Resources regarding the profitability of the Market Sub-Post Office.

Deputy M. Tadier of St. Brelade asked a question of the Minister for Health and Social Services regarding the grading of the newly appointed Interim Managing Director at Health and Social Services.

Deputy K.C. Lewis of St. Saviour asked a question of the Minister for Economic Development regarding tourism figures and the Tourism Strategy.

Deputy P.V.F. Le Claire of St. Helier asked a question of the Chief Minister regarding representation at the World Trade Organisation.

The Deputy of St. Martin asked a question of the Minister for Home Affairs regarding allegations made in relation to abuse in the stone bath or immediate area at Haut de la Garenne.

The Deputy of St. Mary asked a question of the Minister for Education, Sport and Culture regarding cuts at the Jersey Heritage Trust.

Deputy M. Tadier of St. Brelade asked a question of the Minister for Health and Social Services regarding the introduction of Community Care Orders.

Deputy K.C. Lewis of St. Saviour asked a question of the Assistant Minister for Economic Development regarding help for farmers currently facing the worst potato crop for 50 years.

The Deputy of St. Mary asked a question of the Assistant Minister for Planning and Environment regarding the protection of wildlife on Les Ecréhous.

The Deputy of St. Martin asked a question of the Minister for Home Affairs regarding the funding of the historic child abuse investigations.

Deputy T.M. Pitman of St. Helier asked a question of the Chairman of the Privileges and Procedures Committee regarding States Members with 'second jobs'.

Deputy R.G. Le Hérissier of St. Saviour asked a question of the Minister for Economic Development regarding the impact of changes to postal rates on small traders or local societies.

Oral Questions without notice

(see Official Report/Hansard)

The Minister for Social Security answered questions without notice from members.

The Minister for Planning and Environment answered questions without notice from members.

Personal statements

(see Official Report/Hansard)

Deputy Montfort Tadier of St. Brelade, in accordance with Standing Order 16(3), made a personal statement regarding his resignation from the Privileges and Procedures Committee.

François Scornet bronze- presentation to the States

A bronze statuette of François Scornet, which had been presented to Deputy Paul Vincent Francis Le Claire of St. Helier, was accepted on behalf of the Assembly by the Chairman of the Privileges and Procedures Committee.

Draft Employment of States of Jersey Employees (Amendment No. 5) (Jersey) Regulations 201-P.22/2010.

THE STATES commenced consideration of the Draft Employment of States of Jersey Employees (Amendment No. 5) (Jersey) Regulations 201- and adopted the principles.

Members present voted as follows –

POUR: 30

Senator T.A. Le Sueur
 Senator P.F. Routier
 Senator P.F.C. Ozouf
 Senator T.J. Le Main
 Senator B.E. Shenton
 Senator F.E. Cohen
 Senator J.L. Perchard
 Senator A. Breckon
 Senator S.C. Ferguson
 Senator A.J.D. Maclean
 Senator B.I. Le Marquand
 Connétable of St. Ouen
 Connétable of St. Helier
 Connétable of Trinity
 Connétable of Grouville
 Connétable of St. Brelade
 Connétable of St. John
 Connétable of St. Saviour
 Connétable of St. Mary
 Deputy R.C. Duhamel (S)
 Deputy of St. Ouen
 Deputy of St. Peter
 Deputy J.A. Hilton (H)
 Deputy J.A.N. Le Fondré (L)
 Deputy of Trinity
 Deputy K.C. Lewis (S)
 Deputy I.J. Gorst (C)
 Deputy A.E. Jeune (B)
 Deputy A.K.F. Green (H)
 Deputy J.M. Maçon (S)

CONTRE: 12

Connétable of St. Lawrence
 Deputy of St. Martin
 Deputy R.G. Le Hérisier (S)
 Deputy G.P. Southern (H)
 Deputy S. Pitman (H)
 Deputy of St. John
 Deputy M. Tadier (B)
 Deputy of St. Mary
 Deputy T.M. Pitman (H)
 Deputy T.A. Vallois (S)
 Deputy M.R. Higgins (H)
 Deputy D.J. De Sousa (H)

ABSTAIN: 0

THE STATES, having been informed that the relevant scrutiny panel had indicated that it did not wish to scrutinise the draft legislation, adopted Regulations 1 and 2.

Members present voted as follows –

POUR: 41

Senator T.A. Le Sueur
 Senator P.F. Routier
 Senator P.F.C. Ozouf
 Senator T.J. Le Main
 Senator B.E. Shenton

CONTRE: 3

Deputy S. Pitman (H)
 Deputy M. Tadier (B)
 Deputy T.M. Pitman (H)

ABSTAIN: 0

Senator F.E. Cohen
 Senator J.L. Perchard
 Senator A. Breckon
 Senator S.C. Ferguson
 Senator A.J.D. Maclean
 Senator B.I. Le Marquand
 Connétable of St. Ouen
 Connétable of St. Helier
 Connétable of Trinity
 Connétable of Grouville
 Connétable of St. Brelade
 Connétable of St. John
 Connétable of St. Saviour
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 Deputy G.P. Southern (H)
 Deputy of St. Ouen
 Deputy of St. Peter
 Deputy J.A. Hilton (H)
 Deputy P.V.F. Le Claire (H)
 Deputy J.A.N. Le Fondré (L)
 Deputy of Trinity
 Deputy K.C. Lewis (S)
 Deputy I.J. Gorst (C)
 Deputy of St. John
 Deputy A.E. Jeune (B)
 Deputy of St. Mary
 Deputy E.J. Noel (L)
 Deputy T.A. Vallois (S)
 Deputy M.R. Higgins (H)
 Deputy A.K.F. Green (H)
 Deputy D.J. De Sousa (H)
 Deputy J.M. Maçon (S)

THE STATES commenced consideration of Regulation 3 and, adopting an amendment of the Deputy of St. Martin, agreed that in Regulation 3, in the substituted Article 5(1)(c)(ii) for the words “appointed by the States, on the recommendation of the Chief Minister,” there should be substituted the words “elected by the States”.

Members present voted as follows –

POUR: 39

Senator P.F. Routier
 Senator B.E. Shenton
 Senator J.L. Perchard
 Senator A. Breckon
 Senator S.C. Ferguson
 Senator B.I. Le Marquand

CONTRE: 1

Senator T.J. Le Main

ABSTAIN: 3

Senator T.A. Le Sueur
 Senator P.F.C. Ozouf
 Connétable of St. Brelade

Connétable of St. Ouen
 Connétable of Trinity
 Connétable of Grouville
 Connétable of St. John
 Connétable of St. Saviour
 Connétable of St. Clement
 Connétable of St. Lawrence
 Connétable of St. Mary
 Deputy R.C. Duhamel (S)
 Deputy of St. Martin
 Deputy R.G. Le Hérisier (S)
 Deputy J.A. Martin (H)
 Deputy G.P. Southern (H)
 Deputy of St. Ouen
 Deputy of St. Peter
 Deputy J.A. Hilton (H)
 Deputy P.V.F. Le Claire (H)
 Deputy J.A.N. Le Fondré (L)
 Deputy of Trinity
 Deputy S. Pitman (H)
 Deputy K.C. Lewis (S)
 Deputy I.J. Gorst (C)
 Deputy of St. John
 Deputy M. Tadier (B)
 Deputy A.E. Jeune (B)
 Deputy of St. Mary
 Deputy T.M. Pitman (H)
 Deputy E.J. Noel (L)
 Deputy T.A. Vallois (S)
 Deputy M.R. Higgins (H)
 Deputy A.K.F. Green (H)
 Deputy D.J. De Sousa (H)
 Deputy J.M. Maçon (S)

THE STATES adopted Regulation 3, as amended.

THE STATES commenced consideration of Regulation 4 and, adopting an amendment of the Deputy of St. Martin, agreed that in Regulation 4(a), in the substituted Article 6(1)(b) there should be deleted the words “, including at least 2 who are members under Article 5(1)(a) or (b)”.

Members present voted as follows –

POUR: 29

Senator B.E. Shenton
 Senator J.L. Perchard
 Senator A. Breckon
 Connétable of St. Ouen
 Connétable of Trinity
 Connétable of Grouville
 Connétable of St. John
 Connétable of St. Saviour

CONTRE: 14

Senator T.A. Le Sueur
 Senator P.F. Routier
 Senator P.F.C. Ozouf
 Senator T.J. Le Main
 Senator S.C. Ferguson
 Senator A.J.D. Maclean
 Senator B.I. Le Marquand
 Connétable of St. Clement

ABSTAIN: 1

Connétable of St. Brelade

Connétable of St. Lawrence	Deputy of St. Ouen
Connétable of St. Mary	Deputy J.A.N. Le Fondré (L)
Deputy R.C. Duhamel (S)	Deputy of Trinity
Deputy of St. Martin	Deputy I.J. Gorst (C)
Deputy R.G. Le Hérisssier (S)	Deputy A.E. Jeune (B)
Deputy J.A. Martin (H)	Deputy E.J. Noel (L)
Deputy G.P. Southern (H)	
Deputy of St. Peter	
Deputy J.A. Hilton (H)	
Deputy P.V.F. Le Claire (H)	
Deputy S. Pitman (H)	
Deputy K.C. Lewis (S)	
Deputy of St. John	
Deputy M. Tadier (B)	
Deputy of St. Mary	
Deputy T.M. Pitman (H)	
Deputy T.A. Vallois (S)	
Deputy M.R. Higgins (H)	
Deputy A.K.F. Green (H)	
Deputy D.J. De Sousa (H)	
Deputy J.M. Maçon (S)	

THE STATES adopted Regulation 4, as amended.

THE STATES adopted Regulations 5 and 6.

Members present voted as follows –

POUR: 40

Senator T.A. Le Sueur
 Senator P.F. Routier
 Senator T.J. Le Main
 Senator B.E. Shenton
 Senator J.L. Perchard
 Senator A. Breckon
 Senator A.J.D. Maclean
 Senator B.I. Le Marquand
 Connétable of St. Ouen
 Connétable of Trinity
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 Connétable of St. Brelade
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 Connétable of St. Lawrence
 Connétable of St. Mary
 Deputy R.C. Duhamel (S)
 Deputy of St. Martin
 Deputy R.G. Le Hérisssier (S)
 Deputy J.A. Martin (H)
 Deputy G.P. Southern (H)
 Deputy of St. Peter

CONTRE: 3

Senator S.C. Ferguson
 Deputy of St. Ouen
 Deputy M. Tadier (B)

ABSTAIN: 1

Senator P.F.C. Ozouf

Deputy J.A. Hilton (H)
 Deputy P.V.F. Le Claire (H)
 Deputy J.A.N. Le Fondré (L)
 Deputy of Trinity
 Deputy S. Pitman (H)
 Deputy K.C. Lewis (S)
 Deputy I.J. Gorst (C)
 Deputy of St. John
 Deputy A.E. Jeune (B)
 Deputy of St. Mary
 Deputy T.M. Pitman (H)
 Deputy E.J. Noel (L)
 Deputy T.A. Vallois (S)
 Deputy M.R. Higgins (H)
 Deputy A.K.F. Green (H)
 Deputy D.J. De Sousa (H)
 Deputy J.M. Maçon (S)

THE STATES, in pursuance of Article 42 of the Employment of States of Jersey Employees (Jersey) Law 2005, made Regulations entitled the Employment of States of Jersey Employees (Amendment No. 5) (Jersey) Regulations 2010.

Members present voted as follows –

POUR: 39

Senator T.A. Le Sueur
 Senator P.F. Routier
 Senator B.E. Shenton
 Senator J.L. Perchard
 Senator A. Breckon
 Senator S.C. Ferguson
 Senator A.J.D. Maclean
 Senator B.I. Le Marquand
 Connétable of St. Ouen
 Connétable of Trinity
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 Deputy G.P. Southern (H)
 Deputy of St. Peter
 Deputy J.A. Hilton (H)
 Deputy P.V.F. Le Claire (H)
 Deputy J.A.N. Le Fondré (L)
 Deputy of Trinity
 Deputy S. Pitman (H)

CONTRE: 2

Senator T.J. Le Main
 Deputy of St. Ouen

ABSTAIN: 2

Senator P.F.C. Ozouf
 Deputy M. Tadier (B)

Deputy K.C. Lewis (S)
Deputy I.J. Gorst (C)
Deputy of St. John
Deputy A.E. Jeune (B)
Deputy of St. Mary
Deputy T.M. Pitman (H)
Deputy E.J. Noel (L)
Deputy T.A. Vallois (S)
Deputy M.R. Higgins (H)
Deputy A.K.F. Green (H)
Deputy D.J. De Sousa (H)
Deputy J.M. Maçon (S)

States net revenue expenditure 2011 and 2012: reduction P.29/2010

THE STATES commenced consideration of a proposition of the Public Accounts Committee to refer to their Act dated 5th October 2009 in which they approved the Annual Business Plan 2010 and, *inter alia*, approved the indicative total Net Revenue Expenditure for the States funded bodies, as set out in Part Three of the report Summary Table C as amended for the period 2011 to 2014, and requested the Chief Minister to present Annual Business Plans to the States within these indicative total amounts; and to request the Chief Minister to prepare and lodge for approval draft Annual Business Plans limiting total net revenue expenditure for the States funded bodies, calculated on the basis shown in the financial forecasts, (namely after the Net Revenue Expenditure Allocation has been adjusted for the Repayment of Capital Debt), to a sum not exceeding –

- (i) £580.45 million in respect of 2011; and;
- (ii) £551.43 million in respect of 2012.

Adjournment

THE STATES adjourned, having agreed to reconvene on Wednesday 12th May 2010 to continue consideration of the proposition of the Public Accounts Committee entitled 'States net revenue expenditure 2011 and 2012: reduction' (P.29/2010) and the outstanding items of public business.

THE STATES rose at 5.28 p.m.

A.H. HARRIS

Deputy Greffier of the States