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DRAFT WATER RESOURCES (JERSEY) LAW 200-(P.206/2005): COMMENTS

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The Economic Development Committee supports the proposed Draft Water Resources (Jersey) Law 200- in principle and acknowledges the changes implemented, following consultation, to reduce possible regulation and resultant resource implications. The Committee feels that it is appropriate to protect the Island's water supply as it is an important resource, and its sustainability is clearly important for economic growth. However, the Law must be implemented and regulated without imposing undue burden on the Island's key industry sectors of Agriculture and Tourism.

This comment supersedes the comment mistakenly inserted into the Report accompanying the proposed draft Water Resources (Jersey) Law 200- which was a comment issued as part of the consultation process in 2003.