

STATES OF JERSEY



DRAFT DISTANCE SELLING (JERSEY) LAW 2007 (APPOINTED DAY) ACT 200-

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REPORT

This Appointed Day Act will bring into force the Distance Selling (Jersey) Law 2007 which was adopted by the States on 4th July 2007. The Law received Royal Assent on 14th November 2007 and was registered in the Royal Court on 30th November 2007.

The Law sets out a number of rights and duties in relation to consumer contracts for the supply of goods and some services where those contracts are entered into by the use of mail, telephone, internet or other means not involving the combined presence of consumer and supplier. The Law also deals with the cancellation of those contracts and the supply of substitute goods as well as related credit agreements. It is based on similar principles to those found in the U.K. Distance Selling Regulations and importantly, will help protect the international reputation of Jersey as a place with a well regulated fulfilment industry from which consumers can be confident they will be treated fairly.

Financial and Manpower implications

There are no financial or manpower implications for the States arising from this Appointed Day Act.

Explanatory Note

This Act brings the entire Distance Selling (Jersey) Law 2007 into force on 1st March 2008.



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Made

[date to be inserted]

Coming into force

[date to be inserted]

THE STATES, in pursuance of Article 26(2) of the Distance Selling (Jersey) Law 2007^[1], have made the following Act –

1 Commencement of Law

The Distance Selling (Jersey) Law 2007^[2] shall come into force on 1st March 2008.

2 Citation

This Act may be cited as the Distance Selling (Jersey) Law 2007 (Appointed Day) Act 200-.

[1] *L.37/2007*

[2] *L.37/2007*