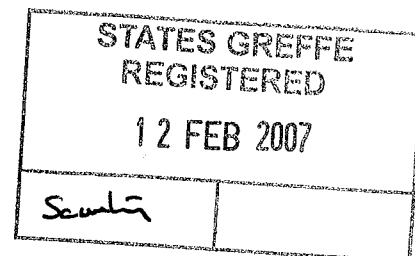


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**For: Economic Affairs Scrutiny Panel**

- Jersey **needs** to host a UK Mainstream supermarket like *Tesco*, *ASDA* or *Sainsburys* -- or a **genuine** *Morrisons*; such competition would give the Jersey food retail scene a long overdue shake-down in terms of product-range and price.
- For folk on the west side of the Island, the prospect of trekking through Town to *Checkers* (Rue des Pres), *Grand Marche Co-op* and *Safeway* becomes ever bleaker as *Traffic* steadily implements measures to strangle St Helier -- one sites their obsession with Pelicans instead of Zebras, and Traffic Lights rather than Jersey Filters, which seriously bogs down traffic movement. They are already managing single-handedly to destroy Town Centre shopping -- we now stay **out** of Town unless we are absolutely desperate.
- Currently my wife and I mainly use St Peter's *Co-op* -- Red Houses *Checkers* seems still too expensive; if we want luxury items, we go downstairs opposite to *M & S*.
- A UK Mainstream **out-of-Town** supermarket should be found a home either near the Airport **Or** North of St Peter's -- even in St Ouen's. **The one area we do not want it located is in Town -- or anywhere near it.**

Christopher