WRITTEN QUESTION TO THE MINISTER FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT BY DEPUTY T.M. PITMAN OF ST. HELIER ANSWER TO BE TABLED ON TUESDAY 20th OCTOBER 2009

Question

"Following a meeting I organised between residents, Harbours, the Police and his Assistant Minister, could the Minister advise what progress, if any, has been made with regard to installing a manned, electronic barrier/gate at Albert Quay to prevent unauthorised cars and motorbikes causing a nuisance to residents late at night and will he give an indication of when this will finally be in place?"

Answer

In consultation with the Resident's Association and port users, a planning application was submitted in September to install a gate system at the entrance to the port. The electronic barrier will be manned at peak times.

The planning process is currently underway and notices are on display to this effect. If approved, the lead in time for delivery of the gates will then be a further 12 to 15 weeks. Subject to planning approval, work on installation will commence in the New Year.