

# STATES OF JERSEY

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## **DRAFT PUBLIC ELECTIONS (EXPENDITURE AND DONATIONS) (JERSEY) REGULATIONS 200 (P.82/2008): AMENDMENTS**

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Lodged au Greffe on 1st July 2008  
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STATES GREFFE

**PAGE 22, NEW ARTICLE**

After Article 16 insert the following Article and renumber the remaining Article accordingly–

**“17 Arrangements for publication and distribution of election material**

- (1) The Privileges and Procedures Committee shall make arrangements for election material provided to it by a candidate to be published in or distributed with an English language newspaper circulating in Jersey.
- (2) The election material shall include information summarizing the candidate’s background and manifesto (whether or not it contains other information).
- (3) Such arrangements shall be available to each candidate in an election on equal terms.”.

DEPUTY R.G. LE HÉRISSIER OF ST. SAVIOUR

## **REPORT**

This insert will ensure that a basic amount of information is available for each candidate and is published in a format which enables direct comparisons to be made. The insert should also be available in public places like Parish Halls and the Greffe in order to cover individuals who do not purchase the local newspaper.

I am advised that the cost of the 2 inserts will be a maximum of £10,000 each. The actual cost will depend on the number of pages required which will, in turn, be related to the number of candidates in the elections. There are no manpower implications other than the small amount of work in receiving and collating the candidates' submissions.