

# STATES OF JERSEY



## **DRAFT ROYAL COURT AND STAMP DUTIES AND FEES (JERSEY) AMENDMENT LAW 202- (P.67/2024) – CHILDREN’S RIGHTS IMPACT ASSESSMENT**

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**Presented to the States on 30th September 2024  
by the Minister for Treasury and Resources**

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**STATES GREFFE**

**CHILDREN’S RIGHTS IMPACT ASSESSMENT (CRIA)**

**PART 1: SCREENING**

Name and title of Duty Bearer:	Minister for Treasury & Resources
Type of Duty Bearer: (Minister, Elected Member or States Assembly Body)	Minister
Assessment completed by (if not completed by duty bearer):	Revenue Jersey
Date:	27/09/2024

<p>1) Name and brief description of the proposed decision The subject of your CRIA may be a proposed law, policy or proposition and in accordance with the Law is referred to in this template as the ‘<b>decision</b>’</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What is the problem or issue the decision is trying to address?</li> <li>• Do children experience this problem differently from adults?</li> </ul> <p>The Draft Royal Court Fees and Stamp Duties Fees (Jersey) Amendment Law 202- makes a number of amendments to Royal Court Law and the Stamp Duties Law. These changes include abolishing jurats fees, which are the last remaining physical court stamps; uprating court fees contained in the Stamp Duty law; and making judicial fees non-refundable when a late settlement removes the need for a hearing.</p> <p>These changes are made to update court processes and do not directly impact children.</p>
<p>2) Which groups of children and young people are likely to be affected? Groups of children could include early years, primary or secondary education; young adults; children with additional learning needs; disabled children; children living in poverty; children from particular ethnic backgrounds; migrants; refugees; care experienced children and LGBTQ+ children</p> <p>Children are not directly affected by this proposition.</p>
<p>3) What is the likely impact of the proposed decision on children and on their rights?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Identify any potential positive OR negative impacts and include indirect impacts on children and their rights as described in the UNCRC</li> <li>• Will different groups of children be affected differently by this decision?</li> </ul> <p>The proposed decision does not impact on any children’s rights as set out in the Convention on the Rights of the Child.</p>
<p>4) Is a full Children’s Rights Impact Assessment required? If you have identified impacts on children and their rights, a full CRIA should be completed. If no impacts are identified then a Full CRIA is not required, but please explain your rationale and how you reached this conclusion</p> <p>A full impact assessment is not required as the decision does not impact children or their rights.</p>