WRITTEN QUESTION TO THE MINISTER FOR EDUCATION, SPORT AND CULTURE BY DEPUTY R.G. LE HÉRISSIER OF ST. SAVIOUR

ANSWER TO BE TABLED ON TUESDAY 15th JULY 2008

Question

Given the under utilisation of the Greenfields facility, would the Minister agree to the sharing of the playing field with the adjacent housing estate?

Answer

Greenfields is a secure unit and young people who are there have recreation facilities in the Sports Hall and also on a Ball Court within the facility.

The field which has been developed is for use by pupils who are on the Alternative Curriculum. It has always been the intention that when the field is ready for use, it will be available for use by members of the local community in evenings, weekends and school holidays. The field has been sown and it is expected that it will be ready for use from late autumn.