

**WRITTEN QUESTION TO THE CHIEF MINISTER
BY SENATOR S.Y. MÉZEC
QUESTION SUBMITTED ON MONDAY 18TH OCTOBER 2021
ANSWER TO BE TABLED ON MONDAY 25TH OCTOBER 2021**

Question

Will the Chief Minister provide a breakdown of how much the Government has spent taking out adverts in the Jersey Evening Post for each month since it ceased to be a legal requirement to publish the Jersey Gazette through the Jersey Evening Post?

Answer

This answer assumes that the information request above refers to the vote by the States Assembly to bring into force the Official Publications (Amendment No. 2) (Jersey) Law 2017. The Official Publications (Publication of Jersey Gazette) (Jersey) Order 2018 was signed on Friday 13th July 2018 and came into force on Saturday 19th June 2019 requiring Jersey Gazette notices to be published online at www.gov.je/gazette

The monthly spend by the Government of Jersey on **advertising and publicity (inclusive of recruitment advertising)** is demonstrated in the annual tables below.

2019

Month	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Spend £	4,691	9,237	-	12,021	4,520	1,425	5,056

2020

Month	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Spend £	-	8,300	-	6,144	-	15,647	500	-	-	13,138	4,009	34,071

2021

Month	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept
Spend £	-	15,877	-	2,851	614	8,310	11,326	-	29,333