PRIVILEGES AND PROCEDURES COMMITTEE

(11th Meeting)

(Business conducted by electronic mail)

23rd October 2013

PART A

All members were present.

Deputy J.M. Maçon, Chairman Senator S.C. Ferguson Senator B.I. Le Marquand Connétable L. Norman of St. Clement Deputy J.A. Martin Deputy M. Tadier Deputy J.H. Young

In attendance -

M.N. de la Haye, Greffier of the States A. Goodyear, Clerk to the Privileges and Procedures Committee

Note: The Minutes of this meeting comprise Part A only.

Composition and Election of the States Assembly – reform proposals. 465/1(194) A1. The Committee, with reference to its Minute No. A7 of 3rd October 2013, received a report prepared by Professor R. Johnston of the University of Bristol and Professor I. McLean of the University of Oxford, dated October 2013 and entitled: 'The Proportionality of Electoral Districting Schemes for Jersey: an Evaluation'.

The Committee recalled that Professors McLean and Johnston had been appointed as advisors to carry out a review of the reform proposals P.93/2013; P.94/2013; P.98/2013; P.116/2013; P.117/2013 and related amendments, and had prepared the report accordingly. The Committee requested the Chairman to prepare a foreword to the report and agreed to present the report to the States as comments in respect of the aforementioned propositions and amendments. The Greffier of the States was requested to take the necessary action.