

## STATES OF JERSEY ORDER PAPER

## 2nd JULY 2019

#### **SUMMARY**

9.30 a.m. Communications by the Presiding Officer and other announcements

Appointments, matters of privilege, petitions (if any)

Approx. 9.40 a.m. Summary of written questions

Up to 2 hours Oral questions with notice

*Urgent questions (if any)* 

Up to 30 minutes, divided between the two Ministers

Oral questions without notice

- Minister for Children and Housing
- Minister for Treasury and Resources

#### Statements

• Minister for Children and Housing regarding the Citizen's Panel

Approx. 11.45 a.m. **Establishment of an elected Speaker** (P.47/2019)

Housing developments for first-time buyers: allocation criteria (P.53/2019)

Housing developments for first-time buyers: allocation criteria (P.53/2019) – amendment (P.53/2019 Amd.)

Arrangement of public business at subsequent meetings

Lunch adjournment likely around 12.45 p.m., until 2.15 p.m. If business is not completed by around 5.30 p.m. the Assembly usually adjourns for the evening and will resume its meeting at 9.30 a.m. on Wednesday 3rd and Thursday 4th July 2019 if necessary.



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## A. COMMUNICATIONS BY THE PRESIDING OFFICER

## B. TABLING OF SUBORDINATE ENACTMENTS

(Explanatory note attached)

Misuse of Drugs (Miscellaneous Amendments) (No. 8) (Jersey) Order 2019. R&O.49/2019. *Minister for Health and Social Services*.

## C. DOCUMENTS PRESENTED

Planning Committee Decisions 2018 (R.37/2019): response of the Minister for the Environment.  Presented: 25th June 2019, <i>Minister for the Environment</i> .	R.37/2019. Res.
Community and Social Services for Adults and Older Adults – Follow-up (R.42/2019) – Executive response with comments of the Public Accounts Committee.  Presented: 24th June 2019, <i>Public Accounts Committee</i> .	R.42/2019. Res.

Housing Repairs and Maintenance: Follow-up (R.47/2019) – Executive	R.47/2019.
response with comments of the Public Accounts Committee.	Res.
Presented: 25th June 2019, Public Accounts Committee.	

Commissioner for Standards: Investigation of Complaint of breach of the Code	R.74/2019.
of Conduct for Elected Members by Deputy S.J. Pinel of St. Clement.	
Presented: 20th June 2019, <i>Privileges and Procedures Committee</i> .	

Land Transactions under Standing Order 168(3) – Philip Le Feuvre House –	R.75/2019.
conveyance of interest in party-owned wall to the Public and redefinition of	
boundary.	

Presented: 21st June 2019, Minister for	· Infrastructure.
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Jersey Competition Regulatory Authority: re-appointment of Chairman.	R.76/2019.
Presented: 24th June 2019, Chief Minister.	

Channel Islands Competition and Regulatory Authorities: Annual Report	R.77/2019.
2018.	

Presented: 24th June 2019, Chief Minister.

States of Jersey Law 2005: delegation of functions – Chief Minister to Minister	R.78/2019.
for Children and Housing/Assistant Minister for Health and Social Services –	
Jersey Redress Scheme.	

Presented: 24th June 2019, Chief Minister.

States of Jersey Law 2005: delegation of functions – Minister for Health and	R.79/2019.
Social Services – Mental Health Services – June 2019.	
Presented: 25th June 2019, Minister for Health and Social Services.	

Chief Executive Officer: Performance Appraisal.	R.80/2019.
Presented: 25th June 2019 Chief Minister	



Jersey Data Protection Authority: appointment of Non-Executive Directors. R.81/2019. Presented: 25th June 2019, *Chief Minister*.

Meetings of the States in 2020.

R.82/2019.

Presented: 27th June 2019, Privileges and Procedures Committee.

#### D. NOTIFICATION OF LODGED PROPOSITIONS

Draft Criminal Procedure (Bail) (Jersey) Law 2017 (Appointed Day)

P.63/2019.

Act 201-.

Lodged: 21st June 2019, Minister for Home Affairs.

Draft Police Procedures and Criminal Evidence (Jersey) Law 2003 (Appointed Day) (No. 6) Act 201-.

Lodged: 21st June 2019, Minister for Home Affairs.

Draft Aquatic Resources (Jersey) Law 2014 (Appointed Day) Act 201-. P.65/2019.

Lodged: 24th June 2019, Minister for the Environment.

Draft Aquatic Resources (Seaweed Licences) (Jersey) Regulations 201-. P.66/2019.

Lodged: 24th June 2019, Minister for the Environment.

Draft Amendment (No. 39) of the Standing Orders of the States of Jersey. P.67/2019.

Lodged: 27th June 2019, *Privileges and Procedures Committee*.

Draft Air and Sea Ports (Incorporation) (Miscellaneous) (Jersey) P.68/2019.

Regulations 201-.

Lodged: 28th June 2019, Minister for Economic Development, Tourism, Sport and Culture.

#### E. WITHDRAWAL OF LODGED PROPOSITIONS

#### F. APPOINTMENT OF MINISTERS, COMMITTEES AND PANELS

## G. MATTERS OF PRIVILEGE

#### H. PETITIONS

## I. QUESTIONS

## $(a)- Written\ Questions$

(attached)

WQ.280/2019 1. The Minister for Infrastructure will table an answer to a question asked by Deputy G.J. Truscott of St. Brelade regarding maintenance of the Railway Walk.

WQ.281/2019 2. The Minister for Treasury and Resources will table an answer to a question asked by Deputy M.R. Le Hegarat of St. Helier regarding the reporting of Government finances.

WQ.282/2019 3. The Minister for the Environment will table an answer to a question asked by Deputy R.J. Ward of St. Helier regarding air pollution monitoring around the Island's schools



- WQ.283/2019 4. The Minister for Education will table an answer to a question asked by Deputy R.J. Ward of St. Helier regarding the monitoring and inspection of nursery provision.
- WQ.284/2019 5. The Minister for Treasury and Resources will table an answer to a question asked by Deputy R.J. Ward of St. Helier regarding the projected level of deficit in public finances.
- WQ.285/2019 6. The Minister for Health and Social Services will table an answer to a question asked by Deputy K.G. Pamplin of St. Saviour regarding the services offered to deaf Islanders.
- WQ.286/2019 7. The Chairman of the States Employment Board will table an answer to a question asked by Deputy K.G. Pamplin of St. Saviour regarding exit interviews undertaken with States of Jersey employees.
- WQ.287/2019 8. The Minister for Health and Social Services will table an answer to a question asked by Deputy K.G. Pamplin of St. Saviour regarding Jersey Talking Therapies.
- WQ.288/2019 9. The Chief Minister will table an answer to a question asked by Deputy K.G. Pamplin of St. Saviour regarding statistical measures to monitor progress against the Common Strategic Policy.
- WQ.289/2019 10. The Minister for Health and Social Services will table an answer to a question asked by Deputy K.G. Pamplin of St. Saviour regarding the transfer of the Child and Adolescent Mental Health Service.
- WQ.290/2019 11. The Minister for Infrastructure will table an answer to a question asked by Deputy R.J. Ward of St. Helier regarding the annual financial return from the Liberty Bus contract.
- WQ.291/2019 12. The Minister for Treasury and Resources will table an answer to a question asked by Deputy C.S. Alves of St. Helier regarding the review of the Income Tax system.
- WQ.292/2019 13. The Minister for Health and Social Services will table an answer to a question asked by Deputy C.S. Alves of St. Helier regarding the information given to patients at the General Hospital about their blood type.
- WQ.293/2019 14. The Minister for Children and Housing will table an answer to a question asked by Deputy M. Tadier of St. Brelade regarding the rental deposit scheme.
- WQ.294/2019 15. The Chief Minister will table an answer to a question asked by Deputy G.P. Southern of St. Helier regarding targets for net inward migration to Jersey.
- WQ.295/2019 16. The Minister for External Relations will table an answer to a question asked by Deputy G.P. Southern of St. Helier regarding the decision to allow public access to the register of beneficial ownership of businesses.
- WQ.296/2019 17. The Minister for Health and Social Services will table an answer to a question asked by Deputy G.P. Southern of St. Helier regarding the publication of waiting lists for specialist healthcare services.
- WQ.297/2019 18. The Minister for Education will table an answer to a question asked by Deputy G.P. Southern of St. Helier regarding the reporting system for expenditure on the pupil premium.
- WQ.298/2019 19. The Chairman of the States Employment Board will table an answer to a question asked by Deputy M.R. Higgins of St. Helier regarding the complaints made to, and against, the Board since 2014.



WQ.299/2019

20. The Chairman of the States Employment Board will table an answer to a question asked by Deputy M.R. Higgins of St. Helier regarding the legal actions taken against the Board since 2014.

WQ.300/2019

21. H.M. Attorney General will table an answer to a question asked by Deputy M.R. Higgins of St. Helier regarding the referral of sexual offences from the States of Jersey Police to the Law Officers' Department.

WQ.301/2019

22. The Minister for Children and Housing will table an answer to a question asked by Deputy M.R. Higgins of St. Helier regarding cases referred to the Children's Commissioner.

WQ.302/2019

23. The Minister for Children and Housing will table an answer to a question asked by Deputy M.R. Higgins of St. Helier regarding the Minister's policy position in respect of qualifying rules for housing.

#### (b) - Oral Questions

(120 minutes)

OQ.180/2019

1. Deputy K.G. Pamplin of St. Saviour will ask the following question of the Minister for Health and Social Services –

"Following the answer to my Written Question 285/2019, will the Minister state what work has been done, or is being undertaken, to ensure sufficient services are provided to meet the needs of deaf Islanders?"

OQ.174/2019

2. Deputy S.M. Ahier of St. Helier will ask the following question of the Minister for Treasury and Resources –

"Will the Minister advise the Assembly whether she intends to remove the de minimis exemption clause from G.S.T. on internet purchases?"

OO.171/2019

3. Deputy G.P. Southern of St. Helier will ask the following question of the Minister for External Relations –

Will the Minister set out what changes to Jersey's Anti-Money Laundering (A.M.L.) regulations over the past 3 years, if any, have led to the suspension of some 8,000 bank accounts by Lloyds Bank?

OO.178/2019

4. Deputy M.R. Higgins of St. Helier will ask the following question of the Chief Minister –

"Will the Chief Minister explain how responsibility is divided between Ministers and Directors General for the actions of their departments and how he ensures a distinction between policy and operational responsibility is maintained; and, in light of the Machinery of Government legislation agreed by the previous Assembly, how, if at all, has he changed his approach to this area since being appointed?"

OQ.177/2019

5. Deputy R.J. Ward of St. Helier will ask the following question of the Minister for Social Security –

What processes, if any, are in place to help vulnerable people with their claims for the benefits available to them; and is it the Minister's assessment that the current level of any such help is sufficient?



OQ.169/2019 6. The Connétable of St. Martin will ask the following question of the Chief Minister –

> "In light of the 'One Gov' reorganisation, what measures, if any, has the Chief Minister taken to ensure that every department within the Government of Jersey is overseen by (and therefore the responsibility of) a Minister, in order that there is clear oversight of each department and a figure of authority to whom the public can reach out?"

OO.172/2019 7. Deputy K.F. Morel of St. Lawrence will ask the following question of the Minister for Children and Housing -

> "Will the Minister provide an update on the performance of Mydeposits Jersey and confirm whether or not the contract is likely to be renewed in 2020?"

OO.176/2019 8. Deputy M. Tadier of St. Brelade will ask the following question of the Minister for Social Security -

> "Further to the Assembly's adoption of P.31/2018, will the Minister explain why amendments to legislation have not been lodged for debate to prevent discrimination by landlords against tenants with children; and will she state when she plans to lodge such amendments?"

OQ.170/2019 9. The Connétable of St. Martin will ask the following question of the Minister for the Environment -

> "What consideration will the Minister give to the environmental impact of the power stations which supply the energy Jersey imports when calculating ways to achieve carbon neutrality, as part of his examination and assessment of this matter?"

OQ.179/2019 10. Deputy M.R. Higgins of St. Helier will ask the following question of the Minister for Economic Development, Tourism, Sport and Culture -

> "Will the Minister state how many events Events Jersey has organised since it was formed; and will he provide the size of its budget and the number of staff supporting it?"

OQ.173/2019 11. Deputy K.F. Morel of St. Lawrence will ask the following question of the Chairman of the States Employment Board -

> "Given that a number of parents are reportedly refusing to pay school fees for those days of education missed by their children because of the teachers' strikes, will the Chairman state the total fees that would not be paid should that happen, and will he advise what assessment has been undertaken of the total cost of the strikes to families, for instance through missed days at work and extra childcare?"

OQ.175/2019 12. Deputy G.P. Southern of St. Helier will ask the following question of the Minister for Treasury and Resources -

> "How much revenue would be raised from the top 10% of income earners and from the bottom 10% of income earners by increasing the income tax rate by 1% and maintaining allowances at the current levels?"

OQ.181/2019 13. Deputy K.G. Pamplin of St. Saviour will ask the following question of the Chief Minister –

> "Following the recent report that net inward migration has exceeded 1,000 people for the fourth year in a row, will the Chief Minister bring forward a policy on population and migration as a matter of urgency?"



#### (c) – Questions to Ministers without notice (30 minutes) –

1st question period – Minister for Children and Housing

2nd question period – Minister for Treasury and Resources

#### J. PERSONAL STATEMENTS

#### K. STATEMENTS ON A MATTER OF OFFICIAL RESPONSIBILITY

The Minister for Children and Housing will make a statement regarding the Citizen's Panel.

#### L. PUBLIC BUSINESS

Establishment of an elected Speaker. P.47/2019. Lodged: 30th April 2019, *Senator J.A.N. Le Fondré*.

**Housing developments for first-time buyers: allocation criteria.** P.53/2019. Lodged: 15th May 2019, *Deputy I. Gardiner of St. Helier.* 

Housing developments for first-time buyers: allocation criteria (P.53/2019) – P.53/2019. Amd.

Lodged: 11th June 2019, Deputy I. Gardiner of St. Helier.

#### M. ARRANGEMENT OF PUBLIC BUSINESS

## **E-petitions**

The Chairman of the Privileges and Procedures Committee will ask the Assembly whether it wishes to consider in-Committee the e-petition 'Higher sentences for paedophiles', which has attracted more than 5,000 signatures.

## 16th July 2019

<b>Draft Income Support (Amendment No. 19) (Jersey) Regulations 201</b> Lodged: 3rd June 2019, <i>Minister for Social Security</i> .	P.56/2019.
<b>Draft Unlawful Public Entertainments (Jersey) Regulations 201</b> Lodged: 4th June 2019, <i>Minister for Home Affairs</i> .	P.57/2019.
<b>Draft Sanctions and Asset-Freezing (Amendment) (Jersey) Law 201</b> Lodged: 4th June 2019, <i>Minister for External Relations.</i>	P.58/2019.
Consultants: reporting on their use by the Government of Jersey.  Lodged: 12th June 2019, <i>Deputy K.F. Morel of St. Lawrence</i> .	P.59/2019.

Greffier of the States: consent to extension of term of office. P.60/2019.

Lodged: 14th June 2019, Privileges and Procedures Committee.

**Channel Islands Competition Regulatory Authority: telecommunications** P.61/2019. **strategy.** 

Lodged: 17th June 2019, Senator S.C. Ferguson.

**Draft Criminal Procedure (Jersey) Law 2018 (Appointed Day) Act 201-.** P.62/2019. Lodged: 18th June 2019, *Minister for Home Affairs*.



## Draft Criminal Procedure (Bail) (Jersey) Law 2017 (Appointed Day) P.63/2019. Act 201-.

Lodged: 21st June 2019, Minister for Home Affairs.

Note: Because of the requirement for a four-week lodging period, the minimum lodging period of the proposition lodged by the Minister for Home Affairs will expire on Friday 5th July 2019. The Minister will therefore seek the agreement of the Assembly, under Standing Order 26(7), to reduce the lodging period in order that this matter can be debated at the meeting.

## **Draft Police Procedures and Criminal Evidence (Jersey) Law 2003** P.64/2019. (Appointed Day) (No. 6) Act 201-.

Lodged: 21st June 2019, Minister for Home Affairs.

Note: Because of the requirement for a four-week lodging period, the minimum lodging period of the proposition lodged by the Minister for Home Affairs will expire on Friday 5th July 2019. The Minister will therefore seek the agreement of the Assembly, under Standing Order 26(7), to reduce the lodging period in order that this matter can be debated at the meeting.

### 10th September 2019

Draft Aquatic Resources (Jersey) Law 2014 (Appointed Day) Act 201	P.65/2019.
Lodged: 24th June 2019, Minister for the Environment.	

# **Draft Aquatic Resources (Seaweed Licences) (Jersey) Regulations 201-.** P.66/2019. Lodged: 24th June 2019, *Minister for the Environment.*

# **Draft Amendment (No. 39) of the Standing Orders of the States of Jersey.** P.67/2019. Lodged: 27th June 2019, *Privileges and Procedures Committee.*

## **Draft Air and Sea Ports (Incorporation) (Miscellaneous) (Jersey)** P.68/2019. **Regulations 201-.**

Lodged: 28th June 2019, Minister for Economic Development, Tourism, Sport and Culture.

### 24th September 2019

Reform of the composition and election of the States.	P.46/2019.
Lodged: 23rd April 2019, Privileges and Procedures Committee.	(re-issue)

## **Employment (Jersey) Law 2003: review of parental leave rights** P.54/2019. **amendments.**

Lodged: 21st May 2019, Deputy L.M.C. Doublet of St. Saviour.

# **Employment (Jersey) Law 2003: review of parental leave rights amendments** (P.54/2019) – amendment. P.54/2019. Amd.

Lodged: 11th June 2019, Deputy L.M.C. Doublet of St. Saviour.

## DR. M. EGAN Greffier of the States

27th June 2019

#### Note -

In accordance with the meeting dates fixed for 2019 by the Privileges and Procedures Committee, this meeting will continue, if necessary, on Wednesday 3rd and Thursday 4th July 2019.



### Explanatory Note regarding subordinate legislation tabled at this meeting.

(See Item B)

#### R&O.49/2019.

Misuse of Drugs (Miscellaneous Amendments) (No. 8) (Jersey) Order 2019.

This Order makes a number of amendments to the Misuse of Drugs (Jersey) Law 1978 (the "Law"), as well as to various Orders made under that Law, on the basis of recommendations of the Jersey Advisory Council on the Misuse of Drugs.

*Article 1* amends the Law to add 3-fluorophenmetrazine, a stimulant that is susceptible to abuse, to the list of controlled drugs under the Law. The Article also adds gabapentin and pregabalin, drugs used to treat epilepsy that may cause harm when misused, as controlled drugs.

Article 2 amends the Misuse of Drugs (General Provisions) (Jersey) Order 2009 to add references to the three drugs mentioned above to the Order's Schedules. The Order is also amended so that trace amounts of cannabinol and cannabinol derivatives, when contained in a preparation of cannabidiol (which is not a controlled drug), are exempt from certain provisions of the Law.

*Article 3* amends the Misuse of Drugs (Designation) (Jersey) Order 1989 to implement the exemption of trace amounts of cannabinol and cannabinol derivatives referred to in the previous paragraph.

Article 4 deletes the requirement in the Misuse of Drugs (Addicts) (Jersey) Order 1980 that prescribers must notify the Medical Officer of Health in certain circumstances.

Article 5 sets out the name by which this Order may be cited. It also states that the Order comes into force on the day after the day on which the Order is made, with the exception of the provisions relating to gabapentin and pregabalin. Those provisions come into force on the 30th day after the day on which the Order is made.

The Order was made on 26th June 2019 and comes into force in accordance with Article 5.



(See Item I(a))

1. The Minister for Infrastructure will table an answer to the following asked by Deputy G.J. Truscott of St. Brelade –

"Will the Minister advise whether there are any plans in place to enhance the amenity and conservation value of the Railway Walk in St. Brelade; and will the Minister also outline the current maintenance regime for the Walk and indicate how much is currently spent annually on such maintenance?"

2. The Minister for Treasury and Resources will table an answer to the following asked by Deputy M.R. Le Hegarat of St. Helier –

"Further to the response to Written Question 250/2019, will the Minister state when the half-yearly report on Government finances will be published; will she ensure that the report provides information on departmental expenditure as of the end of April 2019, as requested in Written Question 250/2019; and will she explain what approach she plans to take in respect of anticipated overspends and underspends at the end of the year?"

3. The Minister for the Environment will table an answer to the following asked by Deputy R.J. Ward of St. Helier –

"Will the Minister give a specific date for when real-time air pollution monitoring will be introduced around schools in the Island; and will he state which specific sites will be used for the monitoring to take place and indicate the precise way in which the information will be made accessible by States members and the wider public?"

4. The Minister for Education will table an answer to the following asked by Deputy R.J. Ward of St. Helier –

"Will the Minister advise -

- (a) what processes her department follows to inspect or monitor the quality of service that each nursery provides (both States and private nurseries); and
- (b) whether any such processes involve comparing staffing ratios, staff qualifications, child development techniques, resources and curriculums; and, if they do, how these matters are measured and recorded?"
- 5. The Minister for Treasury and Resources will table an answer to the following asked by Deputy R.J. Ward of St. Helier –

"Will the Minister advise –

- (a) on what date did the Minister become aware of a prospective £30 to £40 million deficit in public finances;
- (b) what data was used to calculate this deficit; and
- (c) at what points in time does the Minister plan to review the projected level of the deficit during the period of the Government Plan?"



6. The Minister for Health and Social Services will table an answer to the following asked by Deputy K.G. Pamplin of St. Saviour –

"Will the Minister provide a breakdown of the services offered to deaf Islanders by the States of Jersey (i.e. excluding the voluntary sector), including job titles and positions and whether the services are provided for adults, children or both?"

7. The Chairman of the States Employment Board will table an answer to the following asked by Deputy K.G. Pamplin of St. Saviour –

"Will the Chairman advise whether all States of Jersey employees receive an exit interview at the end of their employment and what process is followed for sharing, analysing and acting on the information and feedback that is provided during such interviews; and if interviews are not held, will the Chairman explain why they are not?"

8. The Minister for Health and Social Services will table an answer to the following asked by Deputy K.G. Pamplin of St. Saviour –

"Further to the response to Written Question 203/2019, will the Minister provide an update on staff recruitment to Jersey Talking Therapies, including a breakdown of filled and unfilled posts, and will he also advise on the current plans for restructuring and relocation of the service?"

9. The Chief Minister will table an answer to the following asked by Deputy K.G. Pamplin of St. Saviour –

"Further to the adoption of the Common Strategic Policy, will the Chief Minister advise what statistical data, if any, has been gathered to show, or measure, improvements or developments between 1st June 2018 and 1st June 2019 in respect of the key areas of the Policy?"

10. The Minister for Health and Social Services will table an answer to the following asked by Deputy K.G. Pamplin of St. Saviour –

"Further to the response to Written Question 232/2019, will the Minister provide a timetable for the transfer of the Child and Adolescent Mental Health Service (C.A.H.M.S.), including the plan for the safe transition of services across the departments, and will he also state when it is anticipated that improvements to the support for young Islanders with their mental health will be delivered as part of that process?"

11. The Minister for Infrastructure will table an answer to the following asked by Deputy R.J. Ward of St. Helier –

"What has been the annual financial return to the States since the start of the Liberty Bus contract; and what specific projects has this money been spent on?"



12. The Minister for Treasury and Resources will table an answer to the following asked by Deputy C.S. Alves of St. Helier –

"Will the Minister state -

- (a) when the review of the Income Tax system started;
- (b) how much public involvement there has been in this review;
- (c) how much has been spent to date on the different elements of the review; and
- (d) when the review will finish and the Minister will feed back the findings of the review to the Assembly?"
- 13. The Minister for Health and Social Services will table an answer to the following asked by Deputy C.S. Alves of St. Helier –

"Will the Minister advise whether there are circumstances in which the Hospital is aware of patients' blood type but does not inform the patients in question of their blood type; and, if so, will he state the reasons why patients are not so informed in such cases?"

14. The Minister for Children and Housing will table an answer to the following asked by Deputy M. Tadier of St. Brelade –

"Will the Minister advise -

- (a) how many current rental deposits are protected in the mydeposits scheme;
- (b) how many cases of non-protected deposits, if any, have been reported to the department;
- (c) how many of any such cases in (c) have been referred for prosecution; and
- (d) what does the department estimate is the total number of non-registered deposits in Jersey?"
- 15. The Chief Minister will table an answer to the following asked by Deputy G.P. Southern of St. Helier –

"Will the Chief Minister explain to members why the target of net inward migration of 325 people per year has not been met in each of the past 4 years?"

16. The Minister for External Relations will table an answer to the following asked by Deputy G.P. Southern of St. Helier –

"Will the Minister explain to members why the Government has agreed to allow public access to the register of beneficial ownership of businesses, given the previous position of opposition to such access; and will he further explain why such access will not take place until 2023 and whether such public access will apply to beneficial ownership of companies through trusts?"



17. The Minister for Health and Social Services will table an answer to the following asked by Deputy G.P. Southern of St. Helier –

"Further to the response to Oral Question 165/2019, will the Minister commit to publishing waiting times for specialist healthcare services using the mode average (i.e. most frequent), separated into the waiting time to see a consultant and the waiting time for treatment?"

18. The Minister for Education will table an answer to the following asked by Deputy G.P. Southern of St. Helier –

"What reporting system does the Minister have in place to account for expenditure incurred on the pupil premium?"

19. The Chairman of the States Employment Board will table an answer to the following asked by Deputy M.R. Higgins of St. Helier –

"Will the Chairman provide members with a table showing the number of complaints that have been made to, and against, the States Employment Board for each year since 2014, identifying in each case the nature of the complaint, the process involved in addressing it and the outcomes?"

20. The Chairman of the States Employment Board will table an answer to the following asked by Deputy M.R. Higgins of St. Helier –

"Will the Chairman provide members with details of the legal actions that have been taken against the States Employment Board in each year since 2014 and state in each case the nature of the action and whether it is ongoing or has been determined; and, where the case has been determined, will he state the quantum of damages that have been paid by the Board or the States' insurers as a consequence?"

21. H.M. Attorney General will table an answer to the following asked by Deputy M.R. Higgins of St. Helier –

"Will H.M. Attorney General advise members of the number of sexual offences that have been referred to the Law Officers' Department for consideration for prosecution by the States of Jersey Police each year since 2014, indicating the type of offence in each case; will he advise how many of these referrals indeed resulted in a prosecution and what the outcome was in each instance; and in those instances where a prosecution was not pursued, will he give the reasons why those cases were not pursued?"

22. The Minister for Children and Housing will table an answer to the following asked by Deputy M.R. Higgins of St. Helier –

"Will the Minister request details from the Children's Commissioner of any cases referred to the Commissioner that she concluded did not fall within her remit and that she was therefore unable to address directly; and of the action, if any, the Commissioner took in relation to any such cases and of any advice given by the Commissioner either to the referee(s) or to whom the cases were subsequently referred?"



23. The Minister for Children and Housing will table an answer to the following asked by Deputy M.R. Higgins of St. Helier –

"In light of the publication of the 'Review of access to social housing in Jersey', will the Minister state his policy position regarding the 10-year qualifying rule for housing and advise whether he has considered any alternatives to that provision and, if so, what the costs and implications of any such alternatives are?"



## ORAL QUESTIONS TO MINISTERS WITHOUT NOTICE

(See Item I(c))

Questions without notice 2019		
July 16th	Social Security	Chief Minister
2nd Session 2019		
September 10th	Home Affairs	International Development
September 24th	Health and Social Services	Chief Minister
October 8th	Education	Economic Development, Tourism,
		Sport and Culture
October 22nd	Environment	Chief Minister
November 12th	Treasury and Resources	Children and Housing
November 26th	External Relations	Chief Minister
December 10th	Social Security	Home Affairs