

**REGULATION OF UNDERTAKINGS AND DEVELOPMENT: QUARTERLY MANPOWER REPORT AS AT  
31ST DECEMBER 1998**

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**REPORT**

**1. People engaged full-time**

The total number of persons engaged full-time by undertakings fell by 34 over the twelve months from 31st December 1997 to 34,018 at 31st December 1998, a decrease of 0.1 per cent.

The largest percentage declines in total numbers of persons engaged full-time occurred in the computer related activities sector (-10.3 per cent), the agriculture and fisheries sector (-5.8 per cent) and the manufacturing and hotels/restaurants sectors (both -3.6 per cent). The largest increases were in the financial intermediation sector (+10.5 per cent), the legal activities sector (+10.4 per cent), in education (+7.2 per cent).

**2. People engaged part-time**

The total number of persons engaged part-time by undertakings fell by 84 over the twelve months from 31st December 1997 to 7,867 at 31st December 1998, a decrease of 1.1 per cent.

The largest percentage declines in total numbers of persons engaged part-time occurred in the agriculture and fisheries (-14.4 per cent), trades (-13.6 per cent), and construction (-12.0 per cent) sectors, but there was also general growth in the computer related activities and other sectors.

### **3. Total people engaged**

The total number of persons engaged by undertakings on the Island fell by 118 over the twelve months from 31st December 1997 to 41,885 at 31st December 1998, a decrease of 0.3 per cent.

The largest percentage declines in total numbers of persons engaged occurred in the agriculture and fisheries sector (-6.9 per cent) and the trade sector (-4.4 per cent). The largest increases were in the legal activities (+10.2 per cent) and the financial intermediation (+7.9 per cent) sectors.

4. **Comparison over the last twelve months**

The Manpower Survey for June 1998 showed an increase of 1,643 in the number of persons engaged full-time over the twelve month period from 30th June 1997. For the twelve month period from December 1997, the equivalent comparison shows a fall of 34 in the number of persons engaged on a full-time basis.

Persons requiring further information on this survey are asked to contact the Regulation of Undertakings and Development Office on 603710.

## Manpower Survey December 1997 and 1998 compared

### FULL-TIME

<i>Category</i>	<i>31st Dec. 97</i>	<i>31st Dec. 98</i>	<i>Change Dec. to Dec.</i>	<i>% Change Dec. to Dec.</i>
Agriculture and fishing	1,716	1,616	-100	-5.8
Quarrying	167	166	-1	-0.6
Manufacturing	1,953	1,882	-71	-3.6
Electricity, gas and water	623	620	-3	-0.5
Construction	4,018	3,967	-51	-1.3
Trades	6,648	6,562	-86	-1.3
Hotels and restaurants	4,261	4,107	-154	-3.6
Transport, storage comms	1,179	1,169	-10	-0.8
Banking	4,470	4,535	65	1.5
Financial intermediation ****	2,436	2,692	256	10.5
Real estate other business	1,174	1,197	23	2.0
Computer related activities	311	279	-32	-10.3
Legal activities	1,092	1,206	114	10.4
Accounting related activities	1,158	1,162	4	0.3
Architectural activities	328	339	11	3.4
Education	221	237	16	7.2
Health and social work	966	935	-31	-3.2
Social/personal services	1,331	1,347	16	1.2
<b>Total:</b>	<b>34,052</b>	<b>34,018</b>	<b>-34</b>	<b>-0.1</b>

\*\*\*\* Jersey Financial Services Commission added with 47 staff.

### PART-TIME

<i>Category</i>	<i>31st Dec. 97</i>	<i>31st Dec. 98</i>	<i>Change Dec. to Dec.</i>	<i>% Change Dec. to Dec.</i>
Agriculture and fishing	236	202	-34	-14.4
Quarrying	2	2	0	0.0
Manufacturing	383	398	15	3.9
Electricity, gas and water	26	17	-9	-34.6
Construction	301	265	-36	-12.0
Trades	2,211	1,910	-301	-13.6
Hotels and restaurants	953	1,019	66	6.9
Transport, storage comms	176	214	38	21.6
Banking	580	590	10	1.7
Financial intermediation ****	390	356	-34	-8.7
Real estate other business	962	1,021	59	6.1
Computer related activities	35	62	27	77.1
Legal activities	120	130	10	8.3
Accounting related activities	141	138	-3	-2.1
Architectural activities	59	64	5	8.5
Education	158	140	-18	-11.4
Health and social work	616	691	75	12.2
Social/personal services	602	648	46	7.6
<b>Total:</b>	<b>7,951</b>	<b>7,867</b>	<b>-84</b>	<b>-1.1</b>

## Manpower Survey December 1997 and 1998 compared (cont'd)

### TOTAL NO ENGAGED

<i>Category</i>	<i>31st Dec. 97</i>	<i>31st Dec. 98</i>	<i>Change Dec. to Dec.</i>	<i>% Change Dec. to Dec.</i>
Agriculture and fishing	1,952	1,818	-134	-6.9
Quarrying	169	168	-1	-0.6
Manufacturing	2,336	2,280	-56	-2.4
Electricity, gas and water	649	637	-12	-1.8
Construction	4,319	4,232	-87	-2.0
Trades	8,859	8,472	-387	-4.4
Hotels and restaurants	5,214	5,126	-88	-1.7
Transport, storage comms	1,355	1,383	28	2.1
Banking	5,050	5,125	75	1.5
Financial intermediation ****	2,826	3,048	222	7.9
Real estate other business	2,136	2,218	82	3.8
Computer related activities	346	341	-5	-1.4
Legal activities	1,212	1,336	124	10.2
Accounting related activities	1,299	1,300	1	0.1
Architectural activities	387	403	16	4.1
Education	379	377	-2	-0.5
Health and social work	1,582	1,626	44	2.8
Social/personal services	1,933	1,995	62	3.2

<b>Total:</b>	<b>42,003</b>	<b>41,885</b>	<b>-118</b>	<b>-0.3</b>
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N.B. The above figures do not include seasonal staff.