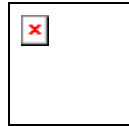


**STATES OF JERSEY LAW 1966, AS AMENDED:
DELEGATION OF FUNCTIONS -
HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES**

**Presented to the States on 8th February 2000
by the Health and Social Services Committee**



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On 12th January 2000, the Health and Social Services Committee made an Act to -

- (a) approve the delegated functions listed in the Committee Paper, to the officers and to the extent specified in that Committee Paper, apart from the modifications indicated below;
- (b) inform the Greffier of the States that it wishes to continue to delegate the functions, as modified, and request that the functions delegated under the Nursing and Residential Homes (No. 2) (Jersey) Law 1997 are presented to the States for information.

The terms of the delegation are recorded in an Act of the Committee as follows -

“A3. The Committee, with reference to Act Nos. 11 of 7th May and 9 of 1st October 1997 and 22 of 1st April 1998, of the Committee as previously constituted, received an undated report from the Department, attached as an enclosure to this Act, which set out the details of certain functions of the Health and Social Services Committee which had been delegated to the Committee’s officers in accordance with Article 36(a) of the States of Jersey Law 1966, as amended.

Having noted the nature of the functions delegated the Committee confirmed its support for the continued delegation of the functions set out in the attached report (designated Committee Paper CP/HSS/1/00). However, it agreed that it would wish to amend those functions set out in R.C.21/98 which related to the Misuse of Drugs (Jersey) Law 1978 - Article 10 and the Misuse of Drugs (Addicts) (Jersey) Order 1980 in order that it could delegate the issuing of the relevant licences to a person for whom a licence had not previously been issued. In this connexion it requested that a report detailing the amendments be prepared by the Department for presentation to the States.”.

COMMITTEE PAPER

Modifications

Changes to enable the delegated function to include the issue of new licences, in addition to the renewal of existing licences -

Legislation: Misuse of Drugs (Jersey) Law 1978 - Article 10, in conjunction with the Misuse of Drugs (Designation) (Jersey) Order 1989.

Delegate: Medical Officer of Health, or Deputy.

Functions delegated: To issue a licence under Article 10, paragraph (4) (b) of the Misuse of Drugs (Jersey) Law 1978, for a medical practitioner to prescribe amphetamine to patients.

Scope of delegation: The delegation applies only to permit issue of the licence for a period not exceeding 12 months.

Legislation: Misuse of Drugs (Addicts) (Jersey) Order 1980 - Article 3.

Delegate: Medical Officer of Health, or Deputy.

Functions delegated: To issue a licence under Article 3 of the Misuse of Drugs (Addicts) (Jersey) Order 1980, for a doctor to prescribe controlled drugs or substances as specified in that Order to patients who have been statutorily notified under Article 2 of the same Order.

Scope of delegation: The delegation applies only to permit issue of the licence for a period not exceeding 12 months.

These delegations amend those presented to the States in R.C.21/98.