



**THE STATES assembled on Thursday
26th February 2026, at 9.30 a.m. under
the Presidency of the Deputy Bailiff,
Mark Howard Temple, Esquire.**

All members were present at roll call with the exception of –

Deputy Philip Francis Cyril Ozouf of St. Saviour – ill

Prayers

Standing Order 55A – remote participation

THE STATES, with reference to their Act dated 14th September 2021, in which they had agreed that, notwithstanding Standing Order 55A(1), Members who did not wish to attend in the States Chamber might continue to take part in States meetings using Microsoft Teams (until the States had considered and voted upon a proposition to re-apply Standing Order 55A(1) or to repeal or vary the terms of the Standing Order), assembled in accordance with Standing Order 55A with Members able to participate remotely using Microsoft Teams. The following Members attended remotely, either for all or part of the meeting –

Connétable Marcus O'Donnell Troy of St. Clement
Connétable Mark Anthony Labey of Grouville
Deputy Carina Soares Alves of St. Helier Central
Deputy Hilary Louise Jeune of St. John, St. Lawrence and Trinity

Draft Assisted Dying (Jersey) Law 202- P.65/2025

THE STATES resumed consideration of the Draft Assisted Dying (Jersey) Law 202- and adopted Articles 1 to 102 and Schedules 1 to 6, as amended.

Members present voted as follows –

POUR: 32

Connétable of St. Peter
Connétable of St. Martin
Connétable of St. John
Connétable of St. Clement
Connétable of Grouville
Connétable of St. Mary
Deputy G.P. Southern
Deputy C.F. Labey
Deputy M. Tadier
Deputy S.G. Luce
Deputy L.M.C. Doublet
Deputy S.M. Ahier
Deputy R.J. Ward
Deputy C.S. Alves

CONTRE: 16

Connétable of St. Helier
Connétable of St. Lawrence
Connétable of St. Brelade
Connétable of Trinity
Connétable of St. Ouen
Connétable of St. Saviour
Deputy K.F. Morel
Deputy M.R. Le Hegarat
Deputy I.J. Gorst
Deputy K.L. Moore
Deputy Sir P.M. Bailhache
Deputy D.J. Warr
Deputy A. Howell
Deputy R.S. Kovacs

ABSTAINED: 0

Deputy I. Gardiner
 Deputy L.J. Farnham
 Deputy S.Y. Mézec
 Deputy T.A. Coles
 Deputy B.B. de S.V.M. Porée
 Deputy H.M. Miles
 Deputy M.R. Scott
 Deputy J. Renouf
 Deputy C.D. Curtis
 Deputy L.V. Feltham
 Deputy R.E. Binet
 Deputy H.L. Jeune
 Deputy M.E. Millar
 Deputy T.J.A. Binet
 Deputy M.R. Ferey
 Deputy A.F. Curtis
 Deputy L.K.F. Stephenson
 Deputy M.B. Andrews

Deputy B. Ward
 Deputy K.M. Wilson

THE STATES, subject to the sanction of His Most Excellent Majesty in Council, adopted a Law entitled the Assisted Dying (Jersey) Law 202-.

Members present voted as follows –

POUR: 32

Connétable of St. Peter
 Connétable of St. Martin
 Connétable of St. John
 Connétable of St. Clement
 Connétable of Grouville
 Connétable of St. Mary
 Deputy G.P. Southern
 Deputy C.F. Labey
 Deputy M. Tadier
 Deputy S.G. Luce
 Deputy L.M.C. Doublet
 Deputy S.M. Ahier
 Deputy R.J. Ward
 Deputy C.S. Alves
 Deputy I. Gardiner
 Deputy L.J. Farnham
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 Deputy B.B. de S.V.M. Porée
 Deputy H.M. Miles
 Deputy M.R. Scott
 Deputy J. Renouf
 Deputy C.D. Curtis
 Deputy L.V. Feltham
 Deputy R.E. Binet
 Deputy H.L. Jeune
 Deputy M.E. Millar
 Deputy T.J.A. Binet
 Deputy M.R. Ferey
 Deputy A.F. Curtis

CONTRE: 16

Connétable of St. Helier
 Connétable of St. Lawrence
 Connétable of St. Brelade
 Connétable of Trinity
 Connétable of St. Ouen
 Connétable of St. Saviour
 Deputy K.F. Morel
 Deputy M.R. Le Hegarat
 Deputy I.J. Gorst
 Deputy K.L. Moore
 Deputy Sir P.M. Bailhache
 Deputy D.J. Warr
 Deputy A. Howell
 Deputy R.S. Kovacs
 Deputy B. Ward
 Deputy K.M. Wilson

ABSTAINED: 0

Deputy L.K.F. Stephenson
Deputy M.B. Andrews

Draft Marriage and Civil Partnership (Dissolution and Separation) (Jersey) Law 202- P.85/2025

THE STATES resumed consideration of the Draft Marriage and Civil Partnership (Dissolution and Separation) (Jersey) Law 202-, the principles having been adopted on 26th November 2025, and, commencing consideration of Articles 1 to 58 and Schedules 1 to 23, adopted an amendment of the Minister for Justice and Home Affairs (P.85/2025 Amd.), that –

in Article 21(1)(b), for “a deed or2 there should be substituted 2an”.

in Article 22(1), for “a dissolution order or annulment order” there should be substituted “a final dissolution order or final annulment order”;

in Article 22(4), “20 and” should be deleted;

in Article 23 –

(1) in Article 23(1) –

- (a) in sub-paragraph (a), for “a dissolution order” there should be substituted “a final dissolution order”; and
- (b) in sub-paragraph (b), for “an annulment order” there should be substituted “a final annulment order”.

(2) In Article 23(3), "20 and" should be deleted.

in Article 24 –

(1) in Article 24, for the second paragraph (2) there should be substituted “(3)” and the subsequent paragraphs should be renumbered and cross-referenced accordingly; and

(2) in Article 24(3)(b) (renumbered as Article 24(4)(b)), "Article 20 and" should be deleted;

in Article 27(6)(c), “20 and” should be deleted;

in Article 36, paragraph (8) should be deleted and the subsequent paragraph renumbered accordingly; and

in Article 40 –

(1) in Article 40(2), for “, with the intention of impeding the application, is” there should be substituted “may be”; and

(2) in Article 40(3)(b), for “application” there should be substituted “court”.

THE STATES adopted Articles 1 to 58 and Schedules 1 to 23, as amended.

Members present voted as follows –

POUR: 45

CONTRE: 0

ABSTAINED: 0

Connétable of St. Helier

Connétable of St. Lawrence
 Connétable of St. Brelade
 Connétable of Trinity
 Connétable of St. Peter
 Connétable of St. Martin
 Connétable of St. John
 Connétable of St. Clement
 Connétable of Grouville
 Connétable of St. Ouen
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 Deputy T.A. Coles
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 Deputy D.J. Warr
 Deputy H.M. Miles
 Deputy M.R. Scott
 Deputy J. Renouf
 Deputy C.D. Curtis
 Deputy L.V. Feltham
 Deputy R.E. Binet
 Deputy H.L. Jeune
 Deputy M.E. Millar
 Deputy A. Howell
 Deputy M.R. Ferey
 Deputy R.S. Kovacs
 Deputy A.F. Curtis
 Deputy K.M. Wilson
 Deputy L.K.F. Stephenson
 Deputy M.B. Andrews

THE STATES, subject to the sanction of His Most Excellent Majesty in Council, adopted a Law entitled the Marriage and Civil Partnership (Dissolution and Separation) (Jersey) Law 202-.

Members present voted as follows –

POUR: 46

CONTRE: 0

ABSTAINED: 0

Connétable of St. Helier
 Connétable of St. Lawrence
 Connétable of St. Brelade
 Connétable of Trinity

Connétable of St. Peter
 Connétable of St. Martin
 Connétable of St. John
 Connétable of St. Clement
 Connétable of Grouville
 Connétable of St. Ouen
 Connétable of St. Mary
 Connétable of St. Saviour
 Deputy G.P. Southern
 Deputy C.F. Labey
 Deputy M. Tadier
 Deputy S.G. Luce
 Deputy L.M.C. Doublet
 Deputy K.F. Morel
 Deputy M.R. Le Hegarat
 Deputy S.M. Ahier
 Deputy R.J. Ward
 Deputy C.S. Alves
 Deputy I. Gardiner
 Deputy L.J. Farnham
 Deputy K.L. Moore
 Deputy S.Y. Mézec
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 Deputy D.J. Warr
 Deputy H.M. Miles
 Deputy M.R. Scott
 Deputy J. Renouf
 Deputy C.D. Curtis
 Deputy L.V. Feltham
 Deputy R.E. Binet
 Deputy H.L. Jeune
 Deputy M.E. Millar
 Deputy A. Howell
 Deputy M.R. Ferey
 Deputy R.S. Kovacs
 Deputy A.F. Curtis
 Deputy B. Ward
 Deputy K.M. Wilson
 Deputy L.K.F. Stephenson
 Deputy M.B. Andrews

Draft Heritage (Jersey) Law 202- P.121/2025

THE STATES commenced consideration of the Draft Heritage (Jersey) Law 202- and adopted the principles.

Members present voted as follows –

POUR: 46

CONTRE: 0

ABSTAINED: 0

Connétable of St. Lawrence
 Connétable of St. Brelade
 Connétable of Trinity

Connétable of St. Peter
 Connétable of St. Martin
 Connétable of St. John
 Connétable of St. Clement
 Connétable of Grouville
 Connétable of St. Ouen
 Connétable of St. Mary
 Connétable of St. Saviour
 Deputy G.P. Southern
 Deputy C.F. Labey
 Deputy M. Tadier
 Deputy S.G. Luce
 Deputy L.M.C. Doublet
 Deputy K.F. Morel
 Deputy M.R. Le Hegarat
 Deputy S.M. Ahier
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 Deputy L.V. Feltham
 Deputy R.E. Binet
 Deputy H.L. Jeune
 Deputy M.E. Millar
 Deputy A. Howell
 Deputy M.R. Ferey
 Deputy R.S. Kovacs
 Deputy A.F. Curtis
 Deputy B. Ward
 Deputy K.M. Wilson
 Deputy L.K.F. Stephenson
 Deputy M.B. Andrews

THE STATES, having been informed that the relevant scrutiny panel had indicated that it did not wish to scrutinise the draft legislation, adopted Articles 1 to 24 and Schedule 1.

Members present voted as follows –

POUR: 43

CONTRE: 0

ABSTAINED: 0

Connétable of St. Lawrence
 Connétable of St. Brelade
 Connétable of Trinity
 Connétable of St. Peter
 Connétable of St. Martin

Connétable of St. John
 Connétable of St. Clement
 Connétable of Grouville
 Connétable of St. Ouen
 Connétable of St. Saviour
 Deputy C.F. Labey
 Deputy M. Tadier
 Deputy S.G. Luce
 Deputy L.M.C. Doublet
 Deputy K.F. Morel
 Deputy M.R. Le Hegarat
 Deputy S.M. Ahier
 Deputy R.J. Ward
 Deputy C.S. Alves
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 Deputy L.J. Farnham
 Deputy K.L. Moore
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 Deputy D.J. Warr
 Deputy H.M. Miles
 Deputy M.R. Scott
 Deputy J. Renouf
 Deputy C.D. Curtis
 Deputy L.V. Feltham
 Deputy R.E. Binet
 Deputy H.L. Jeune
 Deputy M.E. Millar
 Deputy T.J.A. Binet
 Deputy M.R. Ferey
 Deputy R.S. Kovacs
 Deputy A.F. Curtis
 Deputy B. Ward
 Deputy K.M. Wilson
 Deputy L.K.F. Stephenson

THE STATES, subject to the sanction of His Most Excellent Majesty in Council, adopted a Law entitled the Heritage (Jersey) Law 202-.

Members present voted as follows –

POUR: 43

CONTRE: 0

ABSTAINED: 0

Connétable of St. Lawrence
 Connétable of St. Brelade
 Connétable of Trinity
 Connétable of St. Peter
 Connétable of St. Martin
 Connétable of St. John
 Connétable of St. Clement
 Connétable of Grouville
 Connétable of St. Ouen
 Connétable of St. Saviour

Deputy C.F. Labey
 Deputy M. Tadier
 Deputy S.G. Luce
 Deputy L.M.C. Doublet
 Deputy K.F. Morel
 Deputy M.R. Le Hegarat
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 Deputy H.L. Jeune
 Deputy M.E. Millar
 Deputy T.J.A. Binet
 Deputy M.R. Ferey
 Deputy R.S. Kovacs
 Deputy A.F. Curtis
 Deputy B. Ward
 Deputy K.M. Wilson
 Deputy L.K.F. Stephenson

Draft Treaties (Jersey) Law 202- P.122/2025

THE STATES commenced consideration of the Draft Treaties (Jersey) Law 202- and adopted the principles.

Members present voted as follows –

POUR: 44

CONTRE: 0

ABSTAINED: 0

Connétable of St. Lawrence
 Connétable of St. Brelade
 Connétable of Trinity
 Connétable of St. Peter
 Connétable of St. Martin
 Connétable of St. John
 Connétable of St. Clement
 Connétable of Grouville
 Connétable of St. Ouen
 Connétable of St. Saviour
 Deputy C.F. Labey
 Deputy M. Tadier

Deputy S.G. Luce
 Deputy L.M.C. Doublet
 Deputy K.F. Morel
 Deputy M.R. Le Hegarat
 Deputy S.M. Ahier
 Deputy R.J. Ward
 Deputy C.S. Alves
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 Deputy I.J. Gorst
 Deputy L.J. Farnham
 Deputy K.L. Moore
 Deputy S.Y. Mézec
 Deputy Sir P.M. Bailhache
 Deputy T.A. Coles
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 Deputy D.J. Warr
 Deputy H.M. Miles
 Deputy M.R. Scott
 Deputy J. Renouf
 Deputy C.D. Curtis
 Deputy L.V. Feltham
 Deputy R.E. Binet
 Deputy H.L. Jeune
 Deputy M.E. Millar
 Deputy A. Howell
 Deputy T.J.A. Binet
 Deputy M.R. Ferey
 Deputy R.S. Kovacs
 Deputy A.F. Curtis
 Deputy B. Ward
 Deputy K.M. Wilson
 Deputy L.K.F. Stephenson

THE STATES, having been informed that the relevant scrutiny panel had indicated that it did not wish to scrutinise the draft legislation, commenced consideration of Articles 1 to 6, and, adopting an amendment of the Minister for Justice and Home Affairs (P.85/2025 Amd.), agreed that –

in Article 2(3), for “Article 3, 4 or 5” there should be substituted “Article 3 or 4”;

in Article 3(3), for “Article 2, 4 or 5” there should be substituted “Article 2 or 4”; and

in Article 5 should be deleted and the subsequent Article renumbered accordingly.

THE STATES adopted Articles 1 to 6, as amended.

Members present voted as follows –

POUR: 44

CONTRE: 0

ABSTAINED: 0

Connétable of St. Lawrence
 Connétable of St. Brelade
 Connétable of Trinity
 Connétable of St. Peter
 Connétable of St. Martin
 Connétable of St. John
 Connétable of St. Clement

Connétable of Grouville
 Connétable of St. Ouen
 Connétable of St. Saviour
 Deputy C.F. Labey
 Deputy M. Tadier
 Deputy S.G. Luce
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 Deputy K.F. Morel
 Deputy M.R. Le Hegarat
 Deputy S.M. Ahier
 Deputy R.J. Ward
 Deputy C.S. Alves
 Deputy I. Gardiner
 Deputy I.J. Gorst
 Deputy L.J. Farnham
 Deputy K.L. Moore
 Deputy S.Y. Mézec
 Deputy Sir P.M. Bailhache
 Deputy T.A. Coles
 Deputy B.B. de S.V.M. Porée
 Deputy D.J. Warr
 Deputy H.M. Miles
 Deputy M.R. Scott
 Deputy J. Renouf
 Deputy C.D. Curtis
 Deputy L.V. Feltham
 Deputy R.E. Binet
 Deputy H.L. Jeune
 Deputy M.E. Millar
 Deputy A. Howell
 Deputy T.J.A. Binet
 Deputy M.R. Ferey
 Deputy R.S. Kovacs
 Deputy A.F. Curtis
 Deputy B. Ward
 Deputy K.M. Wilson
 Deputy L.K.F. Stephenson

THE STATES, subject to the sanction of His Most Excellent Majesty in Council, adopted a Law entitled the Treaties (Jersey) Law 202-.

Members present voted as follows –

POUR: 45

CONTRE: 0

ABSTAINED: 0

Connétable of St. Lawrence
 Connétable of St. Brelade
 Connétable of Trinity
 Connétable of St. Peter
 Connétable of St. Martin
 Connétable of St. John
 Connétable of St. Clement
 Connétable of Grouville
 Connétable of St. Ouen
 Connétable of St. Saviour
 Deputy G.P. Southern

Deputy C.F. Labey
 Deputy M. Tadier
 Deputy S.G. Luce
 Deputy L.M.C. Doublet
 Deputy K.F. Morel
 Deputy M.R. Le Hegarat
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 Deputy L.V. Feltham
 Deputy R.E. Binet
 Deputy H.L. Jeune
 Deputy M.E. Millar
 Deputy A. Howell
 Deputy T.J.A. Binet
 Deputy M.R. Ferey
 Deputy R.S. Kovacs
 Deputy A.F. Curtis
 Deputy B. Ward
 Deputy K.M. Wilson
 Deputy L.K.F. Stephenson

Amendments to Standing Orders – Miscellaneous amendments P.12/2026

THE STATES commenced consideration of a proposition of the Privileges and Procedures Committee entitled ‘Amendments to Standing Orders – Miscellaneous amendments’ (P.12/2026) and, adopting paragraph (a) of the proposition, agreed an amendment to the Standing Orders of the States of Jersey with effect from 8th June 2026.

Members present voted as follows –

POUR: 28

Connétable of St. Lawrence
 Connétable of St. Brelade
 Connétable of St. Peter
 Connétable of St. Martin
 Connétable of St. John
 Connétable of St. Clement
 Connétable of St. Ouen
 Connétable of St. Saviour
 Deputy M.R. Le Hegarat

CONTRE: 12

Deputy G.P. Southern
 Deputy C.F. Labey
 Deputy M. Tadier
 Deputy L.M.C. Doublet
 Deputy R.J. Ward
 Deputy K.L. Moore
 Deputy T.A. Coles
 Deputy D.J. Warr
 Deputy C.D. Curtis

ABSTAINED: 1

Deputy R.S. Kovacs

Deputy S.M. Ahier
 Deputy C.S. Alves
 Deputy I. Gardiner
 Deputy I.J. Gorst
 Deputy L.J. Farnham
 Deputy S.Y. Mézec
 Deputy Sir P.M. Bailhache
 Deputy H.M. Miles
 Deputy M.R. Scott
 Deputy J. Renouf
 Deputy R.E. Binet
 Deputy M.E. Millar
 Deputy A. Howell
 Deputy T.J.A. Binet
 Deputy M.R. Ferey
 Deputy A.F. Curtis
 Deputy B. Ward
 Deputy L.K.F. Stephenson
 Deputy M.B. Andrews

Deputy L.V. Feltham
 Deputy H.L. Jeune
 Deputy K.M. Wilson

THE STATES resumed consideration of a proposition of the Privileges and Procedures Committee entitled 'Amendments to Standing Orders – Miscellaneous amendments' (P.12/2026) and, adopting paragraph (b) of the proposition, agreed an amendment to the Standing Orders of the States of Jersey with immediate effect.

Members present voted as follows –

POUR: 25

Connétable of St. Lawrence
 Connétable of St. Brelade
 Connétable of St. Clement
 Connétable of St. Ouen
 Connétable of St. Saviour
 Deputy C.F. Labey
 Deputy M. Tadier
 Deputy L.M.C. Doublet
 Deputy M.R. Le Hegarat
 Deputy S.M. Ahier
 Deputy C.S. Alves
 Deputy I. Gardiner
 Deputy I.J. Gorst
 Deputy L.J. Farnham
 Deputy Sir P.M. Bailhache
 Deputy H.M. Miles
 Deputy M.R. Scott
 Deputy C.D. Curtis
 Deputy R.E. Binet
 Deputy M.E. Millar
 Deputy A. Howell
 Deputy T.J.A. Binet
 Deputy M.R. Ferey
 Deputy B. Ward
 Deputy L.K.F. Stephenson

CONTRE: 16

Connétable of St. Peter
 Connétable of St. Martin
 Connétable of St. John
 Deputy G.P. Southern
 Deputy R.J. Ward
 Deputy K.L. Moore
 Deputy S.Y. Mézec
 Deputy T.A. Coles
 Deputy B.B. de S.V.M. Porée
 Deputy D.J. Warr
 Deputy J. Renouf
 Deputy L.V. Feltham
 Deputy H.L. Jeune
 Deputy A.F. Curtis
 Deputy K.M. Wilson
 Deputy M.B. Andrews

ABSTAINED: 1

Deputy R.S. Kovacs

Capping the number of High-Net-Worth individuals granted Entitled Status via Regulation 2(1)(E) P.19/2026

THE STATES, rejected a proposition of Deputy Jonathan Renouf of St. Brelade entitled ‘Capping the number of High-Net-Worth individuals granted Entitled Status via Regulation 2(1)(E)’ (P.19/2026), to request the Chief Minister to limit the number of Entitled status approvals granted to High Net Worth Individuals (HNWI) under Regulation 2(1)(e) of the Control of Housing and Work (Residential and Employment Status) (Jersey) Regulations 2013 to 15 per year, calculated on a rolling 5 year basis, and to implement those changes by the end of March 2026.

Members present voted as follows –

POUR: 7

Connétable of St. Lawrence
 Connétable of St. Mary
 Deputy L.M.C. Doublet
 Deputy H.M. Miles
 Deputy J. Renouf
 Deputy H.L. Jeune
 Deputy A.F. Curtis

CONTRE: 34

Connétable of St. Brelade
 Connétable of Trinity
 Connétable of St. Martin
 Connétable of St. John
 Connétable of Grouville
 Connétable of St. Saviour
 Deputy G.P. Southern
 Deputy C.F. Labey
 Deputy M. Tadier
 Deputy S.G. Luce
 Deputy K.F. Morel
 Deputy M.R. Le Hegarat
 Deputy S.M. Ahier
 Deputy R.J. Ward
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 Deputy M.R. Scott
 Deputy C.D. Curtis
 Deputy L.V. Feltham
 Deputy R.E. Binet
 Deputy M.E. Millar
 Deputy A. Howell
 Deputy T.J.A. Binet
 Deputy M.R. Ferey
 Deputy R.S. Kovacs
 Deputy K.M. Wilson
 Deputy L.K.F. Stephenson

ABSTAINED: 1

Connétable of St. Clement

THE STATES noted that, in accordance with the provisions of Standing Order 106, the following members declared an interest in the subject of the proposition of Deputy Jonathan Renouf of St. Brelade, in that they rented properties to High Net Worth Individuals –

Deputy Ian Joseph Gorst of St. Mary, St. Ouen and St. Peter
 Deputy Kristina Louise Moore of St. Mary, St. Ouen and St. Peter

Deputy Rosemary Esther Binet of Grouville and St. Martin
Deputy Thomas John Albert Binet of St. Saviour

Arrangement of public business for future meetings

THE STATES agreed the following arrangement of public business for future meetings proposed, as amended, by the Chair of the Privileges and Procedures Committee in accordance with the provisions of Standing Order 88(3) –

9th March 2026

Suspension of Deputy P.F.C. Ozouf of St. Saviour. P.47/2026.
Lodged: 17th February 2026, *Privileges and Procedures Committee*.

Draft Alcohol Licensing (Jersey) Law 202-. P.112/2025.
Lodged: 8th December 2025, *Minister for Sustainable Economic Development*. (re-issue.(2)).

Note: The 2nd reading of the Draft Regulations would resume following adoption of the principles on 22nd January 2026. It has been proposed by the Minister for Sustainable Economic Development that the debate be deferred to 10th March 2026.

Draft Alcohol Licensing (Jersey) Law 202- (P.112/2025) – Children’s Rights Impact P.112/2025.
Assessment. Add.
Presented: 8th December 2025, *Minister for Sustainable Economic Development*.

Draft Alcohol Licensing (Jersey) Law 202- (P.112/2025): amendment. P.112/2025.
Lodged: 7th January 2026, *Comité des Connétables*. Amd.

Draft Alcohol Licensing (Jersey) Law 202- (P.112/2025): second amendment. P.112/2025.
Lodged: 9th February 2026, *Deputy A.F. Curtis of St. Clement*. Amd.(2).

Draft Alcohol Licensing (Jersey) Law 202- (P.112/2025): third amendment. P.112/2025.
Lodged: 10th February 2026, *Deputy Sir P.M. Bailhache of St. Clement*. Amd.(3).

Draft Alcohol Licensing (Jersey) Law 202- (P.112/2025): third amendment (P.112/2025 P.112/2025.
Amd.(3)) – comments. Amd.(3).
Presented: 20th February 2026, *Minister for Sustainable Economic Development*. Com.

Draft Alcohol Licensing (Jersey) Law 202- (P.112/2025): fourth amendment. P.112/2025.
Lodged: 10th February 2026, *Minister for Sustainable Economic Development*. Amd.(4).

Draft Food (Jersey) Regulations 202-. P.113/2025.
Lodged: 10th December 2025, *Minister for the Environment*.

Draft Food (Jersey) Regulations 202- (P.113/2025) – Children’s Rights Impact P.113/2025.
Assessment. Add.
Presented: 9th December 2025, *Minister for the Environment*.

Draft Food (Jersey) Commencement Act 202-. P.114/2025.
Lodged: 10th December 2025, *Minister for the Environment*.

Draft Sexual Offences (Jersey) Amendment Law 202-. P.5/2026.
Lodged: 13th January 2026, *Minister for Justice and Home Affairs*.

Draft Sexual Offences (Jersey) Amendment Law 202-. (P.5/2026) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. Presented: 13th January 2026, <i>Minister for Justice and Home Affairs</i> .	P.5/2026. Add.
Draft Harassment and Stalking (Jersey) Law 202-. Lodged: 13th January 2026, <i>Minister for Justice and Home Affairs</i> .	P.6/2026.
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Draft Domestic Abuse (Jersey) Amendment Law 202-. Lodged: 13th January 2026, <i>Minister for Justice and Home Affairs</i> .	P.7/2026.
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Draft Crime (Strangulation) (Jersey) Law 202-. Lodged: 13th January 2026, <i>Minister for Justice and Home Affairs</i> .	P.8/2026.
Draft Crime (Strangulation) (Jersey) Law 202- (P.8/2026) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. Presented: 13th January 2026, <i>Minister for Justice and Home Affairs</i> .	P.8/2026. Add.
Draft Crime (Strangulation) (Jersey) Law 202- (P.8/2026): amendment. Lodged: 6th February 2026, <i>Minister for Justice and Home Affairs</i> .	P.8/2026. Amd.
Draft Crime (Strangulation) (Jersey) Law 202- (P.8/2026): amendment. (P.8/2026 Amd.) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. Presented: 6th February 2026, <i>Minister for Justice and Home Affairs</i> .	P.8/2026. Amd.Add.
Draft Crime (Public Order) (Jersey) Amendment Law 202-. Lodged: 13th January 2026, <i>Minister for Justice and Home Affairs</i> .	P.9/2026.
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Draft Sanctions and Asset-Freezing Law (Jersey) Amendment Regulations 202-. Lodged: 22nd January 2026, <i>Minister for External Relations</i> .	P.10/2026.
Draft Sanctions and Asset-Freezing Law (Jersey) Amendment Regulations 202- (P.10/2026) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. Presented: 22nd January 2026, <i>Minister for External Relations</i> .	P.10/2026. Add.
Draft Comptroller and Auditor General (Jersey) Amendment Law 202-. Lodged: 26th January 2026, <i>Chief Minister</i> .	P.11/2026.
Draft Comptroller and Auditor General (Jersey) Amendment Law 202- (P.11/2026) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. Presented: 26th January 2026, <i>Chief Minister</i> .	P.11/2026. Add.
Bailiff’s Consultative Panel – amendment to Terms of Office. Lodged: 27th January 2026, <i>Privileges and Procedures Committee</i> .	P.13/2026.

Treating Children as Children. Lodged: 27th January 2026, <i>Deputy Sir P.M. Bailhache of St. Clement.</i>	P.14/2026.
Treating Children as Children (P.14/2026) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. Presented: 27th January 2026, <i>Deputy Sir P.M. Bailhache of St. Clement.</i>	P.14/2026. Add.
Treating children as children (P.14/2026): comments. Presented: 20th February 2026, <i>Privileges and Procedures Committee.</i>	P.14/2026. Com.
Draft Health and Social Care Professionals Register (Jersey) Law 202-. Lodged: 27th January 2026, <i>Minister for Health and Social Services.</i>	P.15/2026. (re-issue).
Draft Health and Social Care Professionals Register (Jersey) Law 202- (P.15/2026) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. Presented: 27th January 2026, <i>Minister for Health and Social Services.</i>	P.15/2026. Add.
Draft Health and Social Care Professionals Register (Jersey) Law 202- (P.15/2026): amendment. Lodged: 19th February 2026, <i>Deputy T.A. Coles of St. Helier South.</i>	P.15/2026. Amd.
Draft Termination of Pregnancy (Jersey) Law 202-. Lodged: 27th January 2026, <i>Minister for Health and Social Services.</i>	P.16/2026.
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Agreement between the Government of Jersey and the Government of the Kingdom of Bahrain: Elimination of double taxation (taxes on income) and prevention of tax evasion/avoidance. Lodged: 27th January 2026, <i>Minister for External Relations.</i>	P.17/2026.
Draft Sea Fisheries (Trawling, Netting and Dredging) (Jersey) Amendment Regulations 202-. Lodged: 28th January 2026, <i>Minister for the Environment.</i>	P.18/2026.
<i>Note: Because of the requirement for a six-week lodging period, the minimum lodging period of the proposition of the Minister for the Environment would expire on Wednesday 11th March 2026. The Minister had therefore given notice of his intention to propose, in accordance with Standing Order 26(7), that the minimum lodging period for the proposition be reduced in order that it could be debated at the meeting.</i>	
Draft Sea Fisheries (Trawling, Netting and Dredging) (Jersey) Amendment Regulations 202- (P.18/2026) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. Presented: 28th January 2026, <i>Minister for the Environment.</i>	P.18/2026. Add.
Comptroller and Auditor General: appointment. Lodged: 2nd February 2026, <i>Chief Minister.</i>	P.20/2026.
Comptroller and Auditor General: appointment (P.20/2026 Amd.) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. Presented: 2nd February 2026, <i>Chief Minister.</i>	P.20/2026. Add.
Ministerial Office: independent support to Ministers. Lodged: 3rd February 2026, <i>Deputy M.R. Scott of St. Brelade.</i>	P.23/2026.

Assess affordability of qualifying state pensioners receiving Home Carer's Allowance. Lodged: 6th February 2026, <i>Deputy M.B. Andrews of St. Helier North.</i>	P.27/2026.
Political Parties and election expenses: online publication of information. Lodged: 6th February 2026, <i>Deputy M.R. Scott of St. Brelade.</i>	P.28/2026.
Assessment of visual impact in green backdrop zone planning applications. Lodged: 9th February 2026, <i>Deputy M.R. Scott of St. Brelade.</i>	P.31/2026.
Review of affordable housing percentage in developments. Lodged: 9th February 2026, <i>Deputy M.R. Scott of St. Brelade.</i>	P.33/2026.
Draft Elections (Electoral Registers) Amendment (Jersey) Commencement Act 202-. Lodged: 10th February 2026, <i>Privileges and Procedures Committee.</i>	P.39/2026.
Curbing growth of Public Sector: end-to-end review of Government processes. Lodged: 12th February 2026, <i>Deputy M.R. Scott of St. Brelade.</i>	P.44/2026.
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Use of Cash in Jersey. Lodged: 17th February 2026, <i>Deputy M. Tadier of St. Brelade.</i>	P.48/2026.

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Draft Animal Welfare (Jersey) Law 202-. Lodged: 29th October 2025, <i>Minister for the Environment.</i>	P.97/2025.
<i>Note: The 2nd reading of the Draft Regulations would resume following adoption of the principles on 22nd January 2026 and the subsequent referral to the Environment, Housing and Infrastructure Scrutiny Panel under Standing Order 72(1).</i>	
Draft Animal Welfare (Jersey) Law 202- (P.97/2025) – Children's Rights Impact Assessment. Presented: 29th October 2025, <i>Minister for the Environment.</i>	P.97/2025. Add.
Draft Animal Welfare (Jersey) Law 202- (P.97/2025): amendment. Lodged: 23rd January 2026, <i>Minister for the Environment.</i>	P.97/2025. Amd.
Draft Sea Fisheries (Atlantic Bluefin Tuna) (Jersey) Regulations 202-. Lodged: 3rd February 2026, <i>Minister for the Environment.</i>	P.21/2026.
Draft Sea Fisheries (Atlantic Bluefin Tuna) (Jersey) Regulations 202- (P.21/2026) – Children's Rights Impact Assessment. Presented: 3rd February 2026, <i>Minister for the Environment.</i>	P.21/2026. Add.
Draft Planning and Building (Jersey) Amendment Law 202-. Lodged: 3rd February 2026, <i>Minister for the Environment.</i>	P.22/2026.
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Draft Public Finances Law (States Funds) (Jersey) Amendment Regulations 202-. Lodged: 4th February 2026, <i>Minister for Treasury and Resources</i> .	P.24/2026.
Draft Director Disqualification Sanctions (Jersey) Amendment Law 202-. Lodged: 5th February 2026, <i>Minister for External Relations</i> .	P.25/2026.
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Draft Water Law (Jersey) Amendment Regulations 202-. Lodged: 5th February 2026, <i>Minister for the Environment</i> .	P.26/2026.
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Draft Cremation (Jersey) Amendment Regulations 202-. Lodged: 6th February 2026, <i>Minister for Health and Social Services</i> .	P.29/2026.
The Care Experienced Fund. Lodged: 6th February 2026, <i>Minister for Children and Families</i> .	P.30/2026.
The Care Experienced Fund (P.30/2026) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. Presented: 6th February 2026, <i>Minister for Children and Families</i> .	P.30/2026. Add.
Draft Road Traffic Law (Drug Driving) (Jersey) Amendment Regulations 202-. Lodged: 9th February 2026, <i>Minister for Infrastructure</i> .	P.32/2026.
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Lobbying Guidance and Engagement Code for elected Members of the States. Lodged: 10th February 2026, <i>Privileges and Procedures Committee</i> .	P.34/2026.
Risk-based exclusion policy for elected Members of the States. Lodged: 10th February 2026, <i>Privileges and Procedures Committee</i> .	P.35/2026.
Draft Shipping (IMO Conventions) (Jersey) Amendment Law 202-. Lodged: 10th February 2026, <i>Minister for Sustainable Economic Development</i> .	P.36/2026.
Draft Shipping (IMO Conventions) (Jersey) Amendment Law 202- (P.36/2026) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. Presented: 10th February 2026, <i>Minister for Sustainable Economic Development</i> .	P.36/2026. Add.
Draft Agriculture and Fisheries (Loans) Law 202-. Lodged: 10th February 2026, <i>Minister for Sustainable Economic Development</i> .	P.37/2026.

Draft Agriculture and Fisheries (Loans) Law 202- (P.37/2026) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. P.37/2026.
Add.
Presented: 10th February 2026, *Minister for Sustainable Economic Development.*

Draft Criminal Justice (Procedures) (Jersey) Amendment Law 202-. P.38/2026.
Lodged: 10th February 2026, *Minister for Justice and Home Affairs.*

Draft Criminal Justice (Procedures) (Jersey) Amendment Law 202- (P.38/2026) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. P.38/2026.
Add.
Presented: 10th February 2026, *Minister for Justice and Home Affairs.*

Draft Shops (Regulation of Opening and Deliveries) (Jersey) Repeal Law 202-. P.40/2026.
Lodged: 10th February 2026, *Minister for Sustainable Economic Development.*

Draft Shops (Regulation of Opening and Deliveries) (Jersey) Repeal Law 202-. P.40/2026.
(P.40/2026) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. Add.
Presented: 10th February 2026, *Minister for Sustainable Economic Development.*

Draft Wills and Successions and Probate (Jersey) Amendment Law 202-. P.41/2026.
Lodged: 11th February 2026, *Council of Ministers.*

Note: Because of the requirement for a six-week lodging period, the minimum lodging period of the proposition of the Council of Ministers would expire on Wednesday 25th March 2026. The Chief Minister had therefore given notice of his intention to propose, in accordance with Standing Order 26(7), that the minimum lodging period for the proposition be reduced in order that it could be debated at the meeting.

Draft Mental Health, Capacity and Self-Determination (Jersey) Amendment Law 202-. P.42/2026.
Lodged: 11th February 2026, *Minister for Health and Social Services.*

Note: Because of the requirement for a six-week lodging period, the minimum lodging period of the proposition of the Minister for Health and Social Services would expire on Wednesday 25th March 2026. The Minister had therefore given notice of his intention to propose, in accordance with Standing Order 26(7), that the minimum lodging period for the proposition be reduced in order that it could be debated at the meeting.

Draft Mental Health, Capacity and Self-Determination (Jersey) Amendment Law 202-. P.42/2026.
(P.42/2026) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. Add.
Presented: 11th February 2026, *Minister for Health and Social Services.*

Draft Dogs Law (Jersey) Amendment Regulations 202-. P.43/2026.
Lodged: 12th February 2026, *Environment, Housing and Infrastructure Scrutiny Panel.* (re-issue).

Note: Because of the requirement for a six-week lodging period, the minimum lodging period of the proposition of the Environment, Housing and Infrastructure Scrutiny Panel would expire on Thursday 26th March 2026. The Chair had therefore given notice of her intention to propose, in accordance with Standing Order 26(7), that the minimum lodging period for the proposition be reduced in order that it could be debated at the meeting.

Draft Control of Housing and Work Amendment (Jersey) Commencement Act 202-. P.45/2026.
Lodged: 13th February 2026, *Chief Minister.*

Draft Companies (Jersey) Amendment No.2 Law 202-. P.49/2026.
Lodged: 17th February 2026, *Minister for External Relations.*

Note: Because of the requirement for a six-week lodging period, the minimum lodging period of the proposition of the Minister for External Relations would expire on Tuesday 31st March 2026. The Minister had therefore given notice of his intention to propose, in accordance with Standing Order 26(7), that the minimum lodging period for the proposition be reduced in order that it could be debated at the meeting.

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| Draft Companies (Jersey) Amendment No.2 Law 202- (P.49/2026) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment.
Presented: 17th February 2026, <i>Minister for External Relations.</i> | P.49/2026.
Add. |
| Rent Tribunal: appointment of Chair, Deputy Chair and Member positions.
Lodged: 18th February 2026, <i>Minister for Housing.</i> | P.50/2026. |
| Removal of interest tax relief for Buy-To-Let mortgages.
Lodged: 18th February 2026, <i>Deputy C.D. Curtis of St. Helier Central.</i> | P.51/2026. |
| Prosecution of illegal taxi services.
Lodged: 18th February 2026, <i>Deputy C.D. Curtis of St. Helier Central.</i> | P.52/2026. |
| Restriction on solar ground mounts on agricultural land – Petition.
Lodged: 19th February 2026, <i>Deputy M. Tadier of St. Brelade.</i> | P.53/2026. |
| Continuation of Rural and Marine support.
Lodged: 19th February 2026, <i>Deputy K.F. Morel of St. John, St. Lawrence and Trinity.</i> | P.54/2026. |
| First-time Buyer properties.
Lodged: 19th February 2026, <i>Deputy A.F. Curtis of St. Clement.</i> | P.55/2026. |
| Statutory Duty to future generations.
Lodged: 19th February 2026, <i>Deputy K.M. Wilson of St. Clement.</i> | P.56/2026. |
| Statutory Duty to future generations (P.56/2026) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment.
Presented: 19th February 2026, <i>Deputy K.M. Wilson of St. Clement.</i> | P.56/2026.
Add. |
| Work Permit changes.
Lodged: 19th February 2026, <i>Deputy B.B. de S.V.M. Porée of St. Helier South.</i> | P.57/2026. |

THE STATES rose at 5.42 p.m.

W.J.C. MILLOW

Deputy Greffier of the States