



**THE STATES assembled on Wednesday
22nd October 2025, at 9.30 a.m. under
the Presidency of the Deputy Bailiff,
Robert James MacRae, Esquire.**

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

Connétable Deidre Wendy Mezbourian of St. Lawrence – en défaut
Connétable Michael Keith Jackson of St. Brelade – absent on States Business
Deputy Carolyn Fiona Labey of Grouville and St. Martin – en défaut (défaut raised at 9.51 a.m.)
Deputy Inna Gardiner of St. Helier North – absent on States Business
Deputy Ian Joseph Gorst of St. Mary, St. Ouen and St. Peter – en défaut
Deputy Kristina Louise Moore of St. Mary, St. Ouen and St. Peter – ill
Deputy Philip Francis Cyril Ozouf of St. Saviour – en défaut (défaut raised at 9.51 a.m.)
Deputy Beatriz Borges de Sousa Vaz Moreno Porée of St. Helier South – absent on States Business
Deputy Thomas John Albert Binet of St. Saviour – ill
Deputy Raluca Stefana Kovacs of St. Saviour – absent on States Business

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 Richard Anthony Kingston Honeycombe of St. Ouen
Deputy Louise Mary Catherine Doublet of St. Saviour
Deputy Lucy Kate Frances Stephenson of St. Mary, St. Ouen and St. Peter

Documents presented

Draft Trusts (Jersey) Amendment Law 202- (P.89/2025) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. P.89/2025.
Presented: 22nd October 2025, *Minister for External Relations.* Add.

Notification of lodged propositions

Draft Trusts (Jersey) Amendment Law 202-. P.89/2025.
Lodged: 22nd October 2025, *Minister for External Relations.*

Supplementary Planning Guidance: Parking P.54/2025

THE STATES commenced consideration of a proposition of the Connétable of St. Helier entitled 'Supplementary Planning Guidance: Parking' (P.54/2025) and rejected a proposition of Deputy Alexander Frederick Curtis of St. Clement that, in accordance with Standing Order 83, the matter should be referred back to the Connétable of St. Helier in order that further information relating to the proposition could be provided to the Assembly.

Members present voted as follows –

POUR: 16

Connétable of Trinity
 Connétable of Grouville
 Connétable of St. Ouen
 Connétable of St. Mary
 Deputy C.F. Labey
 Deputy S.G. Luce
 Deputy K.F. Morel
 Deputy M.R. Le Hegarat
 Deputy L.J. Farnham
 Deputy D.J. Warr
 Deputy H.M. Miles
 Deputy J. Renouf
 Deputy R.E. Binet
 Deputy H.L. Jeune
 Deputy A. Howell
 Deputy A.F. Curtis

CONTRE: 25

Connétable of St. Helier
 Connétable of St. Peter
 Connétable of St. Martin
 Connétable of St. John
 Connétable of St. Clement
 Connétable of St. Saviour
 Deputy G.P. Southern
 Deputy M. Tadier
 Deputy L.M.C. Doublet
 Deputy S.M. Ahier
 Deputy R.J. Ward
 Deputy C.S. Alves
 Deputy S.Y. Mézec
 Deputy P.F.C. Ozouf
 Deputy Sir P.M. Bailhache
 Deputy T.A. Coles
 Deputy M.R. Scott
 Deputy C.D. Curtis
 Deputy L.V. Feltham
 Deputy M.E. Millar
 Deputy M.R. Ferey
 Deputy B. Ward
 Deputy K.M. Wilson
 Deputy L.K.F. Stephenson
 Deputy M.B. Andrews

ABSTAINED: 0

THE STATES resumed consideration of a proposition of the Connétable of St. Helier entitled 'Supplementary Planning Guidance: Parking' (P.54/2025) and, adopting Paragraph (a) of the proposition, requested the Minister for the Environment to revise the relevant Supplementary Planning Guidance to ensure that, where practicable, a minimum of one parking space was provided per unit of accommodation.

Members present voted as follows –

POUR: 26

Connétable of St. Helier
 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 G.P. Southern
 Deputy M. Tadier

CONTRE: 11

Connétable of Trinity
 Connétable of Grouville
 Connétable of St. Mary
 Deputy K.F. Morel
 Deputy S.M. Ahier
 Deputy L.J. Farnham
 Deputy H.M. Miles
 Deputy J. Renouf
 Deputy R.E. Binet

ABSTAIN: 0

Deputy S.G. Luce
 Deputy L.M.C. Doublet
 Deputy M.R. Le Hegarat
 Deputy R.J. Ward
 Deputy C.S. Alves
 Deputy S.Y. Mézec
 Deputy P.F.C. Ozouf
 Deputy Sir P.M. Bailhache
 Deputy T.A. Coles
 Deputy M.R. Scott
 Deputy C.D. Curtis
 Deputy L.V. Feltham
 Deputy A. Howell
 Deputy M.R. Ferey
 Deputy B. Ward
 Deputy K.M. Wilson
 Deputy L.K.F. Stephenson

Deputy M.E. Millar
 Deputy A.F. Curtis

THE STATES acceded to a request by the Connétable of St. Helier, in accordance with Standing Order 69(4), that Paragraph (b) of his proposition be withdrawn.

Jersey Police Complaints Authority: Re-Appointment of Members P.66/2025

THE STATES, adopting a proposition of the Minister for Justice and Home Affairs entitled ‘Jersey Police Complaints Authority: Re-Appointment of Members’ (P.66/2025), appointed, in accordance with Article 2 of, and the Schedule to, the Police (Complaints and Discipline) (Jersey) Law 1999, the following persons as a member of the Jersey Police Complaints Authority for a period of 3 years, commencing immediately –

Ms. Allison Le Couteur
 Mr. Blake Albert

Members present voted as follows –

POUR: 34

CONTRE: 0

ABSTAIN: 0

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 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 L.J. Farnham
 Deputy S.Y. Mézec

Deputy Sir P.M. Bailhache
 Deputy H.M. Miles
 Deputy M.R. Scott
 Deputy J. Renouf
 Deputy C.D. Curtis
 Deputy L.V. Feltham
 Deputy R.E. Binet
 Deputy M.E. Millar
 Deputy A. Howell
 Deputy M.R. Ferey
 Deputy A.F. Curtis
 Deputy B. Ward
 Deputy K.M. Wilson
 Deputy L.K.F. Stephenson

Les Quennevais Parade and Precinct P.67/2025

THE STATES commenced consideration of a proposition of Deputy Helen Mary Miles of St. Brelade entitled 'Les Quennevais Parade and Precinct' (P.67/2025) and, adopting an amendment of the Council of Ministers (P.67/2025 Amd.), agreed that, in paragraph (b), after the words "to include", the words "a detailed scheme of regeneration for" should be deleted; in paragraph (c), after the words "should be considered", the words "as a standing item" should be deleted and, after the words "to request the Chief Minister to update", the word "standing" should be deleted.

THE STATES, adopting the proposition of Deputy Helen Mary Miles of St. Brelade, as amended, agreed –

- (a) to extend the Future-Fit Retail Roadmap to specifically include the regeneration of Les Quennevais as the Island's second retail hub and requested the Minister for Sustainable Economic Development to undertake the necessary steps to give effect to this decision by 31st December 2025;
- (b) to extend the scope of the West of Island Planning Framework and area masterplans, as approved within the Bridging Island Plan, to include Les Quennevais Parade and Precinct and requested the Minister for the Environment to undertake the necessary steps to give effect to this decision by the end of March 2026; and
- (c) that the regeneration of Les Quennevais Parade and Precinct would be considered at meetings of the Regeneration Steering Group, with consideration to be given to options which would enhance this area for the benefit of the public and its residents, including but not limited to the potential acquisition and redevelopment by the States of Jersey Development Company of all the commercial units and requested the Chief Minister to update the agenda for meetings accordingly with immediate effect.

Members present voted as follows –

POUR: 37

CONTRE: 0

ABSTAINED: 0

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 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 L.J. Farnham
 Deputy S.Y. Mézec
 Deputy P.F.C. Ozouf
 Deputy Sir P.M. Bailhache
 Deputy T.A. Coles
 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 M.E. Millar
 Deputy A. Howell
 Deputy M.R. Ferey
 Deputy A.F. Curtis
 Deputy B. Ward
 Deputy K.M. Wilson
 Deputy L.K.F. Stephenson

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) –

11th November 2025

Draft Harbours (Inshore Safety) (Jersey) Amendment Regulations 202-. P.3/2025.
 Lodged: 28th January 2025, *Minister for Sustainable Economic Development*.

Note: The 2nd reading of the Draft Regulations would resume following adoption of the principles on 8th July 2025 and the subsequent referral to the Economic and International Affairs Scrutiny Panel under Standing Order 72(1).

Draft Harbours (Inshore Safety) (Jersey) Amendment Regulations 202- (P.3/2025) – P.3/2025.
 Children's Rights Impact Assessment. Add.
 Presented: 28th January 2025, *Minister for Sustainable Economic Development*.

Draft Harbours (Inshore Safety) (Jersey) Amendment Regulations 202- (P.3/2025): P.3/2025.
 addendum. Add.(2).
 Presented: 20th October 2025, *Minister for Sustainable Economic Development*.

Draft Harbours (Inshore Safety) (Jersey) Amendment Regulations 202- (P.3/2025): comments. Presented: 4th July 2025, <i>Economic and International Affairs Scrutiny Panel</i> .	P.3/2025. Com.
Draft Harbours (Inshore Safety) (Jersey) Amendment Regulations 202- (P.3/2025): comments. Presented: 17th October 2025, <i>Economic and International Affairs Scrutiny Panel</i> .	P.3/2025. Com.(2).
Draft Regulation of Care (Jersey) Amendment Law 202-. Lodged: 14th July 2025, <i>Minister for the Environment</i> .	P.57/2025.
Draft Regulation of Care (Jersey) Amendment Law 202- (P.57/2025) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. Presented: 14th July 2025, <i>Minister for the Environment</i> .	P.57/2025. Add.
Draft Dogs Law (Jersey) Amendment Regulations 202-. Lodged: 19th August 2025, <i>Comité des Connétables</i> .	P.63/2025.
Draft Dogs Law (Jersey) Amendment Regulations 202- (P.63/2025) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. Presented: 19th August 2025, <i>Comité des Connétables</i> .	P.63/2025. Add.
Draft Dogs Law (Jersey) Amendment Regulations 202- (P.63/2025) – comments. Presented: 29th September 2025, <i>Environment, Housing and Infrastructure Scrutiny Panel</i> .	P.63/2025. Com.
Commercial properties and leases: improved administration. Lodged: 5th September 2025, <i>Deputy H.M. Miles of St. Brelade</i> .	P.68/2025.
Commercial properties and leases: improved administration (P.68/2025) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. Presented: 5th September 2025, <i>Deputy H.M. Miles of St. Brelade</i> .	P.68/2025. Add.
Draft Competition (Jersey) Amendment Law 202-. Lodged: 11th September 2025, <i>Minister for Sustainable Economic Development</i> .	P.69/2025.
Draft Competition (Jersey) Amendment Law 202- (P.69/2025) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. Presented: 11th September 2025, <i>Minister for Sustainable Economic Development</i> .	P.69/2025. Add.
Draft Jersey Mutual Insurance Society (Transfer) (Jersey) Law 202-. Lodged: 25th September 2025, <i>Chief Minister</i> .	P.71/2025.
Draft Jersey Mutual Insurance Society (Transfer) (Jersey) Law 202- (P.71/2025) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. Presented: 25th September 2025, <i>Chief Minister</i> .	P.71/2025. Add.
Draft Income Support (Jersey) Amendment No. 2 Regulations 202-. Lodged: 26th September 2025, <i>Minister for Social Security</i> .	P.72/2025.
Draft Income Support (Jersey) Amendment No. 2 Regulations 202- (P.72/2025) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. Presented: 26th September 2025, <i>Minister for Social Security</i> .	P.72/2025. Add.

Commonwealth Parliamentary Association Election Observers. Lodged: 9th October 2025, <i>Connétable of St. Helier</i> .	P.74/2025.
Commonwealth Parliamentary Association Election Observers (P.74/2025) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. Presented: 9th October 2025, <i>Connétable of St. Helier</i> .	P.74/2025. Add.
Health and Safety Appeal Tribunal: re-appointment of Chair and Deputy Chair. Lodged: 9th October 2025, <i>Minister for Social Security</i> .	P.75/2025.
Health and Safety Appeal Tribunal: re-appointment of Chair and Deputy Chair (P.75/2025) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. Presented: 9th October 2025, <i>Minister for Social Security</i> .	P.75/2025. Add.
Income Support Medical Appeal Tribunal: re-appointment of Chair. Lodged: 9th October 2025, <i>Minister for Social Security</i> .	P.76/2025.
Income Support Medical Appeal Tribunal: re-appointment of Chair (P.76/2025) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. Presented: 9th October 2025, <i>Minister for Social Security</i> .	P.76/2025. Add.
Social Security Medical Appeal Tribunal: re-appointment of Chair. Lodged: 9th October 2025, <i>Minister for Social Security</i> .	P.77/2025.
Social Security Medical Appeal Tribunal: re-appointment of Chair (P.77/2025) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. Presented: 9th October 2025, <i>Minister for Social Security</i> .	P.77/2025. Add.
Social Security Tribunal: re-appointment of Chair. Lodged: 9th October 2025, <i>Minister for Social Security</i> .	P.78/2025.
Social Security Tribunal: re-appointment of Chair (P.78/2025) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. Presented: 9th October 2025, <i>Minister for Social Security</i> .	P.78/2025. Add.
Draft Social Security Law (Overlapping Benefits) (Jersey) Amendment Regulations 202-. Lodged: 10th October 2025, <i>Minister for Social Security</i> .	P.79/2025.
Draft Social Security Law (Overlapping Benefits) (Jersey) Amendment Regulations 202- (P.79/2025) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. Presented: 10th October 2025, <i>Minister for Social Security</i> .	P.79/2025. Add.

25th November 2025

Draft Social Security Law (Long Term Disability Allowance) (Jersey) Amendment Regulations 202-. Lodged: 13th October 2025, <i>Minister for Social Security</i> .	P.80/2025.
Draft Social Security Law (Long Term Disability Allowance) (Jersey) Amendment Regulations 202- (P.80/2025) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. Presented: 13th October 2025, <i>Minister for Social Security</i> .	P.80/2025. Add.
Draft Police (Complaints and Conduct) (Jersey) Amendment Regulations 202-. Lodged: 13th October 2025, <i>Minister for Justice and Home Affairs</i> .	P.81/2025.

Draft Police (Complaints and Conduct) (Jersey) Amendment Regulations 202- (P.81/2025) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. Presented: 13th October 2025, <i>Minister for Justice and Home Affairs</i> .	P.81/2025. Add.
Draft Police (Complaints and Conduct – States of Jersey Police Force) Regulations 202-. Lodged: 13th October 2025, <i>Minister for Justice and Home Affairs</i> .	P.82/2025.
Draft Police (Complaints and Conduct – States of Jersey Police Force) Regulations 202- (P.82/2025) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. Presented: 13th October 2025, <i>Minister for Justice and Home Affairs</i> .	P.82/2025. Add.
Draft Police (Complaints and Conduct – Honorary Police) (Jersey) Regulations 202-. Lodged: 13th October 2025, <i>Minister for Justice and Home Affairs</i> .	P.83/2025.
Draft Police (Complaints and Conduct – Honorary Police) (Jersey) Regulations 202- (P.83/2025) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. Presented: 13th October 2025, <i>Minister for Justice and Home Affairs</i> .	P.83/2025. Add.
Draft Police (Complaints and Conduct) (Jersey) Commencement Act 202-. Lodged: 13th October 2025, <i>Minister for Justice and Home Affairs</i> .	P.84/2025.
Draft Police (Complaints and Conduct) (Jersey) Commencement Act 202- (P.84/2025) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. Presented: 13th October 2025, <i>Minister for Justice and Home Affairs</i> .	P.84/2025. Add.
Draft Marriage and Civil Partnership (Dissolution and Separation) (Jersey) Law 202-. Lodged: 14th October 2025, <i>Minister for Justice and Home Affairs</i> .	P.85/2025.
Draft Marriage and Civil Partnership (Dissolution and Separation) (Jersey) Law 202- (P.85/2025) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. Presented: 14th October 2025, <i>Minister for Justice and Home Affairs</i> .	P.85/2025. Add.
Draft Trade Marks (Jersey) Law 202-. Lodged: 14th October 2025, <i>Minister for External Relations</i> .	P.86/2025.
Draft Trade Marks (Jersey) Law 202- (P.86/2025) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. Presented: 14th October 2025, <i>Minister for External Relations</i> .	P.86/2025. Add.
Draft Sea Fisheries (Minimum Size Limits) (Jersey) Amendment No. 2 Regulations 202-. Lodged: 14th October 2025, <i>Minister for the Environment</i> .	P.87/2025.
Draft Sea Fisheries (Minimum Size Limits) (Jersey) Amendment No. 2 Regulations 202- (P.87/2025) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. Presented: 14th October 2025, <i>Minister for the Environment</i> .	P.87/2025. Add.
Draft Children (Convention Rights) (Jersey) Commencement No.2 Act 202-. Lodged: 15th October 2025, <i>Minister for Children and Families</i> .	P.88/2025.

8th December 2025

Proposed Budget (Government Plan) 2026-29. Lodged: 16th September 2025, <i>Council of Ministers</i> .	P.70/2025.
--	------------

Proposed Budget (Government Plan) 2026-29 (P.70/2025) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. P.70/2025.
Add.
Presented: 25th September 2025, *Council of Ministers*.

Proposed Annex – Budget 2026-2029. R.139/2025.
Presented: 16th September 2025, *Council of Ministers*.

Income Forecasting Group Report on the revised forecast of States Income for Summer 2025. R.140/2025.
Presented: 16th September 2025, *Minister for Treasury and Resources*.

Draft Trusts (Jersey) Amendment Law 202-. P.89/2025.
Lodged: 22nd October 2025, *Minister for External Relations*.

Draft Trusts (Jersey) Amendment Law 202- (P.89/2025) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. P.89/2025.
Add.
Presented: 22nd October 2025, *Minister for External Relations*.

20th January 2026

Draft Assisted Dying (Jersey) Law 202-. P.65/2025.
Lodged: 2nd September 2025, *Council of Ministers*.

Draft Assisted Dying (Jersey) Law 202- (P.65/2025) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. P.65/2025.
Add.
Presented: 2nd September 2025, *Council of Ministers*.

End-of-Life Care. P.73/2025.
Lodged: 1st October 2025, *Minister for Health and Social Services*..

End-of-Life Care (P.73/2025) – Children’s Rights Impact Assessment. P.73/2025.
Add.
Presented: 1st October 2025, *Minister for Health and Social Services*..

THE STATES rose at 3.54 p.m.

L.-M. HART

Greffier of the States