



MEETING OF THE STATES OF DELIBERATION

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Wednesday 17th July 2024

Serial

1. PRAYERS

2. EVOCATION

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4. COMMUNICATIONS BY THE PRESIDING OFFICER INCLUDING *IN MEMORIAM* TRIBUTES

- None
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5. STATEMENTS

- President, Committee *for* Home Affairs
General Update Statement
 - President, Committee *for* States' Trading Supervisory Board
General Update Statement
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6. QUESTIONS

From: Deputy St Pier

To: Deputy Trott

- 1 In a reply dated 21st February 2024 to a Rule 11 question in relation to the conviction in 1942 of a number of police officers, the Committee advised that, *"the Law Officers provided their advice, including research using archive records, at the end of last year. The Policy Letter is now being finalised following consideration of that advice. Consultation on the draft Policy Letter is ongoing, with the Committee aiming to publish the Policy Letter during Quarter Two 2024."*

Now that we are in Quarter 3, can the Committee please advise when will the Policy Letter be published?

From:	Deputy Taylor	To:	Deputy Brouard
1	I have heard anecdotal evidence that a death in Guernsey has been attributed to a Covid-19 vaccination. With that in mind, can the committee confirm how many deaths in Guernsey have Covid-19 vaccine mentioned on the death certificate?		
From:	Deputy De Lisle	To:	Deputy Brouard
1	<p>I would like to ask the following question with regard to the increase in numbers of individuals requiring inpatient treatment associated with cannabis use.</p> <p>Specialist Mental Health Services have raised concerns in the recently published Mental Health and Wellbeing Strategy Annual Report 2023 regarding the increase in the numbers of individuals requiring inpatient treatment associated with cannabis use, including cannabis induced psychosis. Given the negative impact the drug is having on individuals, carers and the mental health service here, why is the Committee for Health & Social Care not bringing in immediate new restrictions on the prescribing, distribution and use of medical cannabis?</p>		
From:	Deputy Falla	To:	Deputy De Sausmarez
1	Under what circumstances would the Committee for Environment and Infrastructure consider reviewing the Strategic Land Use Plan (SLUP) ahead of the next scheduled review in 2031?		
2	In the guidance notes for the public inquiry into the proposed changes to the IDP it states: "If the Planning Inspector concludes that your amendment is not consistent with the SLUP it is unlikely that they will be able to support your representation." Given the housing crisis, would it have been appropriate to review the Strategic Land Use Plan during the current political term and ahead of the review of the Island Development Plan?		
3	Will the Committee for Environment and Infrastructure consider reviewing the Strategic Land Use Plan as soon as possible to facilitate opening up brown field and other sites, such as redundant glasshouse sites, more suitable for development than green fields such as those proposed by the DPA in its IDP review?		
From:	Deputy Falla	To:	Deputy De Sausmarez
1	Is the Committee for the Environment & Infrastructure aware that a large area of the highly poisonous invasive weed Hemlock Water Dropwort has become well established on an area of land directly adjacent to the children's playground at Saumarez Park and are there any plans to tackle this health and safety issue?		
2	Is the Committee aware that the stream running close to the children's playground at Saumarez Park is totally obscured by overgrown plants, including Hemlock Water Dropwort, giving the illusion of a solid land mass in an area where small children run and play and therefore presenting a safety issue?		
3	Will the Committee instigate a thorough assessment of the stream site so that it can be cleared, landscaped and appropriately replanted to ensure public safety?		
From:	Deputy Queripel	To:	Deputy Prow
1	Five young Londoners were recently caught trying to smuggle £30,000 worth of illegal drugs into the island and are consequently, now serving sentences of between 4 and 6 years here in our jail, at great expense to the taxpayers of the		

Island. I'm sure there is a perfectly valid reason as to why they are serving their sentences here on the island, so can Deputy Prow please relay the reason to me as to why they can't serve their sentences in the UK, as opposed to here in Guernsey?

7. ELECTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS

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2. Policy & Resources Committee

[Election of an Ordinary Member and Chairman of the Guernsey Financial Services Commission](#)

Secondary Proposition	Proposer	Seconder
Motion to Withdraw	Deputy Trott	Deputy Soulsby

8. MOTIONS TO DEBATE AN APPENDIX REPORT (1ST STAGE)

- None

9. ARTICLES ADJOURNED OR DEFERRED FROM PREVIOUS MEETINGS OF THE STATES

- None

10. ALL OTHER TYPES OF BUSINESS NOT OTHERWISE NAMED

LEGISLATION LAID BEFORE THE STATES

Legislation laid before the States

No. 46 of 2024	The Social Insurance (Classification) (Amendment) (Guernsey) Regulations, 2024
No. 49 of 2024	The Control of Poisonous Substances (Fees) (Guernsey) Regulations, 2024
No. 50 of 2024	The Health and Safety (Fees) Order, 2024

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4. Committee *for* Home Affairs

[The Offences \(Fixed Penalties\) \(Guernsey\) Law, 2009 \(Amendment\) Ordinance, 2024](#)

Secondary Proposition	Proposer	Seconders
<u>Amendment 1</u>	Deputy De Lisle	Deputy Blin

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5. Policy & Resources Committee

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Secondary Proposition	Proposer	Seconders
<u>Amendment 1</u>	Deputy St Pier	Deputy Bury

OTHER BUSINESS

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9. Requete

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Secondary Proposition	Proposer	Seconders
<u>Amendment 1</u>	Deputy McKenna	Deputy De Lisle
<u>Amendment 2</u>	Deputy Meerveld	Deputy Soulsby

11. MOTIONS TO DEBATE AN APPENDIX REPORT (2ND STAGE)

- None

12. SCHEDULE FOR FUTURE STATES' BUSINESS

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10. Policy & Resources Committee

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N.B. this item cannot be deferred.

13. PRAYERS

* *This session the voting will begin with Deputy Soulsby.*

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