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The Office of the Lieutenant-Governor of Guernsey (Salary and Official Expenses) Law, 1972 *

[CONSOLIDATED TEXT]

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* Ordres en Conseil Vol. XXIII, p. 285; as amended by the Machinery of Government (Transfer of Functions) (Guernsey) Ordinance, 2003 (No. XXXIII of 2003, Recueil d'Ordonnances Tome XXIX, p. 406); the Organisation of States' Affairs (Transfer of Functions) Ordinance, 2016 (No. IX of 2016).

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THE STATES, in pursuance of their Resolution of the twenty-fourth day of November, nineteen hundred and seventy-one, have approved the following provisions which, subject to the Sanction of Her Most Excellent Majesty in Council, shall have force of law in the Bailiwick of Guernsey.

Salary.

1. There shall be paid to the Lieutenant-Governor out of the Revenue a salary at such annual rate as may, from time to time, be fixed by the Committee, which salary shall be free of insular income tax.

Official expenses.

2. (1) There shall be paid in respect of each calendar year to the Lieutenant-Governor out of the Revenue such sum as may, from time to time, be approved by the States [Policy & Resources Committee] on the recommendation of [the Committee for Home Affairs] in respect of the following heads of expenditure –

- (a) the expenses of the Lieutenant-Governor as regards his official residence and of the establishment maintained by him thereat, excluding the maintenance and decoration of the said official residence and the maintenance or replacement of or any addition to the furniture, furnishings and other equipment of that residence and the replacement of the official motor car but including articles which, in the opinion of [the Committee for Home Affairs], are such as require frequent replacement,

- (b) the payment of the office expenses of the Lieutenant-Governor including the payment of the salary, allowances and official travelling expenses of the Secretary and Aide-de-Camp to the Lieutenant-Governor and the Assistant Secretary to the Lieutenant-Governor and the salaries of the staff of the office of the Lieutenant-Governor,
- (c) the payment of other incidental expenses incurred by the Lieutenant-Governor in the exercise of his office including his official travelling expenses.

(2) The allocation of any sum paid to the Lieutenant-Governor under the provisions of the last preceding subsection as between the various heads of expenditure set out in that subsection shall be made by [the Committee for Home Affairs] in such manner as shall be agreed from time to time between the Lieutenant-Governor and [the Committee for Home Affairs].

NOTES

In section 2,

the words in the first pair of square brackets were substituted by the Organisation of States' Affairs (Transfer of Functions) Ordinance, 2016, section 2, Schedule 1, paragraph 10(a), with effect from 1st May, 2016;¹

the words "the Committee for Home Affairs" in square brackets, wherever occurring, were substituted by the Organisation of States' Affairs (Transfer of Functions) Ordinance, 2016, section 5(3), Schedule 3, paragraph 7, with effect from 1st May, 2016.

The functions, rights and liabilities of the Policy Council and of its Minister or Deputy Minister arising under or by virtue of this Law were transferred to and vested in, respectively, the Policy & Resources Committee and its President or Vice-President by the Organisation of States' Affairs (Transfer of Functions) Ordinance, 2016, section 1, Schedule 1, paragraph 10(a), with effect from 1st May, 2016, subject to the savings and transitional provisions in section 3 of the 2016 Ordinance.²

Unexpended portion to be returned to Revenue.

3. Any unexpended portion of any sum paid to the Lieutenant-Governor under the provisions of subsection (1) of the last preceding section in respect of any

calendar year shall be returned by the Lieutenant-Governor to the Revenue as soon as may be after the end of that calendar year.

Repeals.

4. The Laws set out in the Schedule to this Law are hereby repealed.

Interpretation.

5. In this Law, except where the context otherwise requires, the following expressions have the meanings hereby respectively assigned to them, that is to say –

"[the Committee for Home Affairs]" means the States [Committee for Home Affairs],

"the Committee" means the Committee of the States of Guernsey for the time being responsible for fixing the salaries of the Bailiff and the Law Officers of the Crown,

"Lieutenant-Governor" means the person for the time being holding the office of Lieutenant-Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Island of Guernsey and its Dependencies,

"Revenue" means the General Revenue of the States of Guernsey.

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In section 5, the words in the first and second pairs of square brackets in the definition of the expression "the Committee for Home Affairs" were substituted by the Organisation of States' Affairs (Transfer of Functions) Ordinance, 2016, respectively section 5(3), Schedule 3, paragraph 7 and section 2, Schedule 1, paragraph 6(a), with effect from 1st May, 2016.³

The functions, rights and liabilities of the Home Department and its Minister arising under or by virtue of this Law were transferred to and vested in, respectively, the Committee for Home Affairs and its President or Vice-President by the Organisation of States' Affairs (Transfer of Functions) Ordinance, 2016, section 1, Schedule 1, paragraph 6(a), with effect from 1st May, 2016, subject to the savings and transitional provisions in section 3 of the 2016 Ordinance.⁴

Citation.

6. This Law may be cited as the Office of the Lieutenant-Governor of Guernsey (Salary and Official Expenses) Law, 1972.

Commencement.

7. This Law shall be deemed to have come into force on the first day of January, nineteen hundred and seventy-one.

SCHEDULE
ENACTMENTS REPEALED

Section four

Office of Lieutenant-Governor of Guernsey (Salary and Official Expenses)
Law, 1955^a

The Office of Lieutenant-Governor of Guernsey (Salary and Official
Expenses) (Amendment) Law, 1962^b

The Office of Lieutenant-Governor of Guernsey (Salary and Official
Expenses) (Amendment) Law, 1970^c

¹ These words were previously substituted by the Machinery of Government (Transfer of Functions) (Guernsey) Ordinance, 2003, section 2, Schedule 1, paragraph 1(a), with effect from 6th May, 2004.

² The functions, rights and liabilities of the Policy Council and its Minister arising under or by virtue of this Law were previously transferred to and vested in them, respectively, from the Advisory and Finance Committee and its President by the Machinery of Government (Transfer of Functions) (Guernsey) Ordinance, 2003, section 1, Schedule 1, paragraph 1(a), with effect from 6th May, 2004, subject to the savings and transitional provisions in section 4 of the 2003 Ordinance.

³ The words "Committee for Home Affairs" were previously substituted by the Machinery of Government (Transfer of Functions) (Guernsey) Ordinance, 2003, section 2, Schedule 1, paragraph 3(a), with effect from 6th May, 2004

⁴ The functions, rights and liabilities of the Home Department and its Minister arising under or by virtue of this Law were previously transferred to and vested in them, respectively, from the Board of Administration and its President by the Machinery of Government (Transfer of Functions) (Guernsey) Ordinance, 2003, section 1, Schedule 1, paragraph 3(a), with effect from 6th May, 2004, subject to the savings and transitional provisions in section 4 of the 2003 Ordinance.

^a Ordres en Conseil Vol. XVII, p. 1.

^b Ordres en Conseil Vol. XIX, p. 73.

^c No. VI of 1970.