

# ORDER IN COUNCIL

ratifying a Projet de Loi

ENTITLED

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

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(Registered on the Records of the Island of Guernsey  
on the 25th day of April, 1972.)

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IN THE ROYAL COURT OF THE ISLAND OF GUERNSEY

*The 25th day of April, 1972, before John Henry Loveridge, Esquire, C.B.E., Deputy Bailiff; present:—Bertram Guy Blampied, Esquire, O.B.E., Claude Fortescue Nason, Stanley Walter Gavey, Esquires, Gilbert Carey de Jersey, Esquire, C.B., Laurence Francis de Vic Carey, Esquire, C.B., C.B.E., D'Arcy George Le Tissier, William Burton Fox, Esquires, Edward James Lainé, Esquire, C.B.E., D.F.C., Jean Le Pelley, Richard Alan Kinnersly, Esquires and Harry Wall Poat, Esquire, D.S.O., M.C., A.D.C., Jurats.*

The Deputy Bailiff having this day placed before the Court an Order dated the 1st day of March, 1972, of the Counsellors of State in Council on behalf of Her Majesty, being authorised thereto by Letters Patent dated the 4th day of February, 1972, ratifying a *Projet de Loi* entitled "The Office of the Lieutenant-Governor of Guernsey (Salary and Official Expenses) Law, 1972", the Court, after the reading of the said Order in Council and after having heard Her Majesty's Comptroller thereon, ordered that the said Order in Council be registered on the records of this Island and that an extract of this present Act, together with a copy of the said Order in Council, be sent by Her Majesty's Greffier to the Clerk of the Court of Alderney and to the Seneschal of Sark for registration on the records of those Islands respectively, of which Order in Council the tenor followeth:—

## At the Court of Saint James

The 1st day of March 1972

PRESENT,

Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth The Queen  
Mother

Her Royal Highness The Princess Margaret,  
Countess of Snowdon

LORD PRESIDENT

VISCOUNT ECCLES

MR. SECRETARY CAMPBELL

SIR PETER RAWLINSON

SIR FREDERICK LAWTON

WHEREAS Her Majesty, in pursuance of the Regency Acts 1937 to 1953, was pleased, by Letters Patent dated the fourth day of February 1972, to delegate to the following Counsellors of State (subject to the exceptions hereinafter mentioned) or any two or more of them, that is to say, His Royal Highness The Prince Philip, Duke of Edinburgh, Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth The Queen Mother, His Royal Highness The Prince Charles, Prince of Wales, Her Royal Highness The Princess Anne, Her Royal Highness The Princess Margaret, Countess of Snowdon, and His Royal Highness The Duke of Gloucester, full power and authority during the period of Her Majesty's absence from the United Kingdom to summon and hold on Her Majesty's behalf Her Privy Council and to signify thereat Her Majesty's approval for anything for which Her Majesty's approval in Council is required:

AND WHEREAS Her Majesty was further pleased to except from the number of the said Counsellors of State His Royal Highness The Prince Philip, Duke of Edinburgh, His Royal Highness The Prince Charles, Prince of Wales, Her Royal Highness The Princess Anne and Her Royal Highness The Princess Margaret, Countess of Snowdon, while absent from the United Kingdom:

AND WHEREAS there was this day read at the Board a Report from the Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Council for the Affairs of Guernsey and Jersey, dated the 23rd day of February 1972, in the words following, viz.:—

“YOUR MAJESTY having been pleased, by Your General Order of Reference of the 22nd day of February 1952, to refer unto this Committee the humble Petition of the States of the Island of Guernsey, setting forth:—

‘1. That in pursuance of their Resolution of the 24th day of November 1971 the States of Deliberation at a meeting held on the 15th December 1971 approved a Bill or “Projet de Loi” entitled “The Office of the Lieutenant-Governor of Guernsey (Salary and Official Expenses) Law, 1972” and requested the Bailiff to present a most humble Petition to Your Majesty in Council praying for Your Royal Sanction thereto. 2. That the said Bill or “Projet de Loi” is in the words and figures set forth in the Schedule hereunto annexed. And most humbly praying that Your Majesty might be graciously pleased to grant Your Royal Sanction to the Bill or “Projet de Loi” of the States of Guernsey entitled “The Office of the

Lieutenant-Governor of Guernsey (Salary and Official Expenses) Law, 1972 " and to order that the same shall have force of law in the Bailiwick of Guernsey.'

"THE LORDS OF THE COMMITTEE, in obedience to Your Majesty's said Order of Reference, have taken the said Petition and the said Projet de Loi into consideration, and do this day agree humbly to report, as their opinion, to Your Majesty, that it may be advisable for Your Majesty to comply with the prayer of the said Petition and to approve of and ratify the said Projet de Loi."

NOW, THEREFORE, Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth The Queen Mother and Her Royal Highness The Princess Margaret, Countess of Snowdon, being authorized thereto by the said Letters Patent, have taken the said Report into consideration, and do hereby, by and with the advice of Her Majesty's Privy Council, on Her Majesty's behalf approve of and ratify the said Projet de Loi, and order, as it is hereby ordered, that the same shall have the force of Law within the Bailiwick of Guernsey.

AND do hereby further direct that this Order, and the said Projet de Loi (a copy whereof is hereunto annexed), be entered upon the Register of the Island of Guernsey and observed accordingly.

AND the Lieutenant-Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Island of Guernsey, the Bailiff and Jurats, and all other Her Majesty's Officers for the time being in the said Island, and all other persons whom it may concern, are to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

*W. G. Agnew.*

Projet de Loi referred to in the foregoing  
Order in Council.

## PROJET DE LOI

ENTITLED

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

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.

1. There shall be paid to the Lieutenant-Governor Salary.  
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.

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 Advisory and Finance Committee on the recommendation of the Board in respect of the following heads of expenditure:— Official expenses.

- (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 Board, 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 Board in such manner as shall be agreed from time to time between the Lieutenant-Governor and the Board.

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.

Interpreta-  
tion.

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 Board” means the States Board of Administration;

“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.

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

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

## SCHEDULE

## Section four

### *Enactments repealed*

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)

R. H. VIDELO,  
Her Majesty's Greffier.

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(a) Ordres en Conseil Vol. XVII, p. 1.

(b) Ordres en Conseil Vol. XIX, p. 73.

(c) No. VI of 1970.