

# PROJET DE LOI

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## **Loi relative à la Santé Publique, 1934 \***

[CONSOLIDATED TEXT]

### NOTE

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Ordres en Conseil Vol. IX, p. 386; as amended by the States Civil Service Board (Implementation) Law, 1964 (Ordres en Conseil Vol. XIX, p. 213); the Public Health and Related Offences (Increase in Fines) (Guernsey) Law, 1986 (Ordres en Conseil Vol. XXIX, p. 239); the Uniform Scale of Fines (Bailiwick of Guernsey) Law, 1989 (Ordres en Conseil Vol. XXXI, p. 278); the Public Health (Amendment) (Guernsey) Law, 1999 (No. V of 1999); the Parochial Administration (Miscellaneous Amendments) Law, 2014 (No. VI of 2014); the Public Health and Related Offences (Increase in Fines) Ordinance, 1986 (Recueil d'Ordonnances Tome XXIII, p. 427); 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). This Law is applied to the Island of Alderney by the Alderney (Application of Legislation) Ordinance, 1948 (Recueil d'Ordonnances Tome IX, p. 280); and to the Islands of Herm and Jethou by the Public Health (Amendment) Ordinance, 1963 (Recueil d'Ordonnances Tome XIII, p. 264). See also the Reform (Guernsey) Law, 1948 (Ordres en Conseil Vol. XIII, p. 288); the Deputy Bailiff (Guernsey) Law, 1969 (Ordres en Conseil Vol. XXII, p. 122); the Appointments to the States Established Staff (Guernsey) Law, 1985 (Ordres en Conseil Vol. XXIX, p. 130); the Appointments Board (Repeal) (Guernsey) Law, 2000 (No. XIII of 2000); the Appointments to the States Established Staff (Guernsey) (Repeal) Law, 2004 (No. XI of 2004, Ordres en Conseil Vol. XLIV(1), p. 208).

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**ATTENDU QUE** toutes matières touchant la Santé Publique dans l'Île de Guernesey ont été et sont de temps en temps réglées par Ordonnance de la Cour Royale.

**ATTENDU QUE** les États, par leur délibération du 8 mars 1933 ont été d'avis que les droits et pouvoirs des autorités sanitaires d'entrer et de faire inspection des maisons et autres prémisses et d'y faire remédier aux conditions insalubres qui pourraient s'y trouver, seraient plus assurés en statuant par loi sur cette matière.

**LES ÉTATS** ont approuvé les dispositions suivantes rédigées en anglais, lesquelles moyennant la Sanction de Sa Très Excellente Majesté en Conseil, auront force de loi en cette Île.

### **Definitions. Exemption from penalty.**

**1.** In this law –

(1) The expression "**sanitary inspector**" shall include the Medical Officer of Health, every officer subordinate to him appointed by the [States [Policy & Resources Committee]] to perform duties of inspection, [and] [any person authorised in writing by the States [Committee for Health & Social Care] to act for the purposes of this Law either generally, in matters of specified kinds, or in any specified matter (in this Law referred to as an "**authorised officer**")[:]] [and for the avoidance of doubt the powers of a sanitary inspector under this Law may be exercised by those persons jointly or independently.]

(2) The expression "**Medical Officer of Health**" means the Medical Officer of Health appointed by [the States [Policy & Resources

Committee]] and shall include the Deputy or Acting Medical Officer of Health for the time being.

[(2A) References to something "**prejudicial**" to health (or to the health of persons of a particular description) are to be construed as including anything which is injurious, or which is likely to cause injury, to health (or, as the case requires, to the health of persons of that description).]

(3) The expression "**Sanitary Authority**" includes the States [Committee for Health & Social Care] [and the Medical Officer of Health; and for the avoidance of doubt the powers of the Sanitary Authority under this Law may be exercised by those persons jointly or independently.]

[(3A) The expression "**smoke**" includes soot, ash, grit, and gritty particles emitted in smoke.]

- (4) The expression "**nuisance**" shall apply to –
- (a) any premises or part of premises or any fixture or appliance therein in such a state as to be [either a nuisance, or prejudicial] to health,
  - (b) any pool, ditch, gutter, watercourse, privy, urinal, cesspool, drain or ashpit so foul or in such a state as to be [either a nuisance, or prejudicial] to health,
  - (c) any animal so kept as to be [either a nuisance, or prejudicial] to health,
  - (d) any accumulation or deposit which is [either a nuisance, or prejudicial] to health,
  - (e) any house or part of a house so overcrowded as to be [either dangerous, or prejudicial] to the health of the inmates, whether or not members of the same family,

- (f) any occupied dwelling house –
  - (i) for which a supply of water for domestic purposes is not readily available, or,
  - (ii) which is not adequately provided with domestic cooking facilities, or with sanitary installation or appliances,
- (g) any shop, factory, workshop, or workplace –
  - (i) not kept in a cleanly state, or not ventilated in such a manner as to render harmless as far as practicable any gases, vapours, dust or other impurities generated in the course of the work carried on therein that are [either a nuisance, or prejudicial] to health, or so overcrowded while work is carried on as to be [either dangerous, or prejudicial] to the health of those employed therein,
  - (ii) not adequately provided with sanitary installation or appliances for the use of the persons employed or intended to be employed at one time therein,
- [(h) Any dust, steam, smell or other effluvia arising in or on any industrial, trade or business premises, and being either a nuisance, or prejudicial to health,]
- [(i) Smoke emitted from any premises so as to be either a nuisance, or prejudicial to health,]
- [(j) Noise or vibration emitted from any premises so as to be either a nuisance, or prejudicial to health:

Provided that this paragraph does not apply to noise caused by aircraft (other than model aircraft),]

- (j) any chimney (not being the chimney of a private dwelling house) sending forth smoke, soot, ash, grit or gritty particles in such quantity as to be a nuisance,
- (k) any cistern used for the supply of water for domestic purposes so placed, constructed or kept as to render the water therein liable to contamination, [being prejudicial to health],
- (l) any gutter, drain, shoot, stack-pipe, or down-spout of a building which by reason of its insufficiency or its defective condition shall cause damp in such building or in an adjoining building, so as to be [either dangerous, or prejudicial] to health, and
- (m) any deposit of material in or on any building or land which shall cause damp in such building or in an adjoining building so as to be [either dangerous, or prejudicial] to health.
- [(n) Light emitted from any premises so as to be either a nuisance, or prejudicial to health:]

Provided –

Firstly, that where in any Ordinance a penalty is prescribed in respect of a nuisance caused by an accumulation or deposit it shall be enacted that a penalty shall not be imposed on any person in respect of any accumulation or deposit necessary for the effectual carrying on of any business or manufacture if it be proved to the satisfaction of the Court that the accumulation or deposit has not been kept longer than is necessary for the purposes of the business or manufacture, and that the best available means have been taken for preventing injury thereby to the public health,

Secondly, that where a person is summoned before any Court in respect of a nuisance arising from a fireplace or furnace which does not consume the smoke arising from the combustible used in such fireplace or furnace, the Court shall hold that no nuisance is created within the meaning of this Law and dismiss the complaint, if it is satisfied that such fireplace or furnace is constructed in such manner as to consume as far as practicable having regard to the nature of the manufacture or trade, all smoke arising therefrom, and that such fireplace or furnace has been carefully attended to by the person having the charge thereof.

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## NOTES

*In section 1,*

*the word in the first pair of square brackets in the definition of the expression "sanitary inspector" in subsection (1) was substituted by the States Civil Service Board (Implementation) Law, 1964, section 1, Schedule, Part II, paragraph (h)(i), with effect from 28th May, 1964;*

*the words in square brackets within the first pair of square brackets in the definition of the expression "sanitary inspector" in subsection (1) 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;<sup>1</sup>*

*first, the word in the second pair of square brackets in the definition of the expression "sanitary inspector" in subsection (1) was inserted, second, the punctuation in the second pair of square brackets within the third pair of square brackets and the words in the fourth pair of square brackets in that subsection were substituted and, third, the words in the second pair of square brackets in subsection (3) were substituted by the Parochial Administration (Miscellaneous Amendments) Law, 2014, respectively section 1(a)(i), section 1(a)(ii) and section 1(b), with effect from 1st September, 2015;*

*the words in the third pair of square brackets in the definition of the expression "sanitary inspector" in subsection (1) were inserted by the Public Health (Amendment) (Guernsey) Law, 1999, section 7, with effect from 1st October, 1999;*

*the words "Committee for Health & Social Care" in square brackets, wherever occurring, were substituted by the Organisation of States' Affairs (Transfer of Functions) Ordinance, 2016, section 2, Schedule 1, paragraph 5, with effect from 1st May, 2016;<sup>2</sup>*

*the words in square brackets in the definition of the expression "Medical Officer of Health" in subsection (2) were substituted by the States Civil Service Board (Implementation) Law, 1964, section 1, Schedule, Part II, paragraph (h)(ii), with effect from 28th May, 1964;*

*subsection (2A) and subsection (3A) were inserted by the Public Health (Amendment) (Guernsey) Law, 1999, respectively section 1(1) and section 2(1), with effect from 1st October, 1999;*

*the words and punctuation "either a nuisance, or prejudicial" in square brackets, wherever occurring, were substituted by the Public Health (Amendment) (Guernsey) Law, 1999, section 1(2)(a), with effect from 1st October, 1999;*

*the words and punctuation "either dangerous, or prejudicial" in square brackets, wherever occurring, were substituted by the Public Health (Amendment) (Guernsey) Law, 1999, section 1(2)(b), with effect from 1st October, 1999;*

*paragraph (h), paragraph (i) and paragraph (j) of subsection (4) were substituted by the Public Health (Amendment) (Guernsey) Law, 1999, respectively section 3, section 2(2) and section 4, with effect from 1st October, 1999;*

*the words in square brackets in paragraph (k) of subsection (4) were substituted by the Public Health (Amendment) (Guernsey) Law, 1999, section 1(2)(c), with effect from 1st October, 1999;*

*paragraph (n) of subsection (4) was inserted by the Public Health (Amendment) (Guernsey) Law, 1999, section 5, with effect from 1st October, 1999.*

*In accordance with the provisions of the Appointments to the States Established Staff (Guernsey) Law, 1985, as first amended and subsequently repealed by, respectively, the Appointments Board (Repeal) (Guernsey) Law, 2000 and the Appointments to the States Established Staff (Guernsey) (Repeal) Law, 2004, the functions of the States Appointment Board in respect of all appointments to the Established Staff of the States (other than to the post of Senior Deputy Greffier) were transferred to the States Civil Service Board, the reference to which was first substituted by a reference to the States Policy Council by the Machinery of Government (Transfer of Functions) (Guernsey) Ordinance, 2003, section 2, Schedule 1, paragraph 12(a), with effect from 6th May, 2004; and second substituted by a reference to the States Policy & Resources Committee by the Organisation of States' Affairs (Transfer of Functions) Ordinance, 2016, section 2, Schedule 1, paragraph 10(a), 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.<sup>3</sup>*

*The functions, rights and liabilities of the Health and Social Services Department and of its Minister or Deputy Minister arising under or by virtue of this Law were transferred to and vested in, respectively, the Committee for Health & Social Care and its President or Vice-President by the Organisation of States' Affairs (Transfer of Functions) Ordinance, 2016, section 1, Schedule 1, paragraph 5, with effect from 1st May, 2016, subject to the savings and transitional provisions in section 3 of the 2016*



Ordinance.<sup>4</sup>

*The Law is applied to the Island of Alderney by the Alderney (Application of Legislation) Ordinance, 1948, section 1, First Schedule, with effect from 1st January, 1949, subject to the exceptions, adaptations and modifications set out in the First Schedule to the 1948 Ordinance.*

*In its application to the Island of Alderney, the Law is modified in accordance with the provisions of the Alderney (Application of Legislation) Ordinance, 1948, section 1, First Schedule, Part VII, with effect from 1st January, 1949.*

*Certain references in this Law shall have effect in accordance with the provisions of the Alderney (Application of Legislation) Ordinance, 1948, section 3, with effect from 1st January, 1949.*

*In accordance with the provisions of the Public Health (Amendment) Ordinance, 1963, section 2, with effect from 27th March, 1963, the Law, and any Ordinance made hereunder, shall have effect in the Islands of Herm and Jethou in all respects as if those Islands formed part of the parish of Saint Peter Port.*

*In its application to the Island of Alderney, section 1 is modified in accordance with the provisions of the Alderney (Application of Legislation) Ordinance, 1948, section 1, First Schedule, Part VII, with effect from 1st January, 1949.*

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**Sanitary Inspectors' right of entry regarding nuisances. Sanitary Inspectors' right of entry regarding contagious diseases, etc. Written authority to enter.**

2. (1) A sanitary inspector shall have a right to enter from time to time with or without previous notice at the discretion of the Medical Officer of Health, any premises, whether a building, vessel, tent, van, shed, structure or place, open or enclosed [at any reasonable hour (except that entry as of right to premises used solely for domestic purposes shall not be demanded under this subsection between 18.00 and 10.00 unless written notice of intent to do so has been served on the occupier of those premises at least 24 hours prior to the demand)] –

- (a) for the purpose of examining as to the existence therein or thereon of any nuisance liable to be dealt with under this Law or under any Ordinance of the Royal Court, and
- (b) where under this Law a nuisance has been ascertained to exist, or the owner or occupier has been notified by the Medical Officer of Health or a Constable or

ordered by the Court to abate a nuisance or to execute any works in relation thereto then, until the nuisance is abated, or the works ordered to be done are completed, and

- (c) where an order of the Court concerning a nuisance has not been complied with, or has been infringed, for the purpose of executing the order. For the purpose of this paragraph workmen acting under the authority of the Medical Officer of Health shall also have right of entry.

(2) A sanitary inspector, with or without assistants authorised by the Medical Officer of Health, shall have a right of entry from time to time upon any such premises as aforesaid at any hour of the day or night for the purpose of executing or enforcing the execution of any enactment for the time being in force relating to contagious, infectious or notifiable diseases.

(3) When a sanitary inspector who demands entry upon premises under this section is an officer appointed by the [Committee for Health & Social Care] and subordinate to the Medical Officer of Health he shall, if required, produce some written document signed by the [President] or [Vice-President] of the [Committee for Health & Social Care] or by the Medical Officer of Health showing his authority to enter and perform the duties for which such entry is demanded.

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## NOTES

*In section 2,*

*the words in square brackets in subsection (1) were substituted by the Public Health (Amendment) (Guernsey) Law, 1999, section 6, with effect from 1st October, 1999;*

*the words in square brackets in subsection (3) were substituted by the Organisation of States' Affairs (Transfer of Functions) Ordinance, 2016, section 2, Schedule 1, paragraph 5, with effect from 1st May, 2016.<sup>5</sup>*

*In its application to the Island of Alderney, section 2 is modified in accordance with the provisions of the Alderney (Application of Legislation) Ordinance, 1948, section 1, First Schedule, Part VII, with effect from 1st January, 1949.*

*In accordance with the provisions of the Reform (Guernsey) Law, 1948, Article 63, with effect from 17th January, 1949, the powers and functions of a legislative nature previously exercised by the Royal Court (save for the making, variation, modification and revocation of Rules of Procedure) were transferred to and vested in the States of Deliberation, and thenceforth any enactment conferring power on the Royal Court to exercise any such powers and functions by way of Ordinance shall be construed as having conferred the like power on the States of Deliberation or on the States Legislation Select Committee, as the case may be.*

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**Penalty for refusing entry. Bailiff's warrant authorising entry.**

3. (1) Any person refusing or failing to admit any person who is authorised and claims to enter upon premises under the preceding section and has satisfied the requirements of subsection (3) of that section in the case to which it applies shall be liable to a fine not exceeding [level 1 on the uniform scale].

(2) If the Bailiff is satisfied by information on oath that there is reasonable ground for such entry, and that there has been a refusal or failure to admit to such premises, the Bailiff may by warrant under his hand authorise the sanitary authority or their officers or other person, as the case may require, to enter the premises, and if need be by force, with such assistants as they or he may require, and there execute their duties under this Law or under any other enactment applicable to the case.

(3) Any person obstructing the execution of any such warrant shall be liable on summary prosecution and conviction in the Magistrate's Court to a fine not exceeding [level 3 on the uniform scale].

(4) The warrant shall continue in force until the purpose for which the entry is necessary has been satisfied.

(5) Where a house or part of a house is alleged to be overcrowded so as to be a nuisance, a warrant under this section may authorise an entry into such house or part of a house at any hour of the day or night specified in the warrant.

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**NOTES**

*In section 3, the words and figures in square brackets were substituted by the Uniform Scale of Fines (Bailiwick of Guernsey) Law, 1989, section 2(2), with effect from 1st July, 1989.<sup>6</sup>*

*In its application to the Island of Alderney, section 3 is modified in accordance with the provisions of the Alderney (Application of Legislation) Ordinance, 1948, section 1, First Schedule, Part VII, with effect from 1st January, 1949.*

*In accordance with the provisions of the Deputy Bailiff (Guernsey) Law, 1969, section 5(4), with effect from 9th September, 1969, in the event of the Deputy Bailiff discharging any functions or exercising any powers appertaining to the office of Bailiff which he is authorised to discharge or exercise under or by virtue of the 1969 Law, the provisions contained herein relating to the discharge of such functions or the exercise of such powers shall have effect as if the references herein to the Bailiff included a reference to the Deputy Bailiff.*

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#### **[Public health Ordinances.]**

4. (1) The States may from time to time by Ordinance enact such measures as may be expedient in relation to public health, sanitation, and the abatement of nuisances.

(2) Without prejudice to the generality of subsection (1) of this section, but subject to subsection (3) of this section, the States may by Ordinance –

- (a) empower authorised officers to issue notices requiring the cessation of such activities and/or taking of such action and/or execution of such works as may be specified therein, within such time as may be so specified, to abate any nuisance so specified, and to prevent the recurrence of any nuisance specified therein as being in the opinion of the authorised officer otherwise likely to recur,
- (b) empower any authorised officer, where in his opinion a notice served as set out in paragraph (a) of this subsection has not been complied with and an imminent danger to public health exists, to cause to be taken any action and execute any works specified in the notice; and empower the States [Committee for Health & Social Care] to recover the cost of so doing

as a civil debt due to the States from any person responsible for creating the nuisance,

- (c) empower the Sanitary Authority to require the evacuation and prohibit the subsequent re-occupation of premises which are in the opinion of that Authority unfit for occupation, and to enforce any such requirement by bringing eviction proceedings before the Ordinary Court.

(3) An Ordinance making such provision as is mentioned in subsection (2)(a) of this section must further provide –

- (a) that unless a notice issued thereunder states that in the opinion of the authorised officer issuing the notice the nuisance specified in it constitutes an imminent danger to public health –
  - (i) any person aggrieved by its terms may apply to the Ordinary Court in such manner and within such time as the Ordinance may provide for an order setting aside or varying the notice, and
  - (ii) if such an appeal is so instituted, no further proceedings or work may be taken or done pursuant to any Ordinance under this Law in relation to the nuisance until the appeal has been determined or withdrawn,
- (b) that if a notice served thereunder states that in the opinion of the authorised officer issuing the notice the nuisance specified in it constitutes an imminent danger to public health the States [Committee for Health & Social Care] shall compensate any person who incurs expense or suffers financial loss as a direct result of complying with the notice, or of any action taken by

[the Committee] as mentioned in subsection (2)(b) of this section, unless –

- (i) [ the Committee] applies to the Magistrate's Court, in such manner and within such time as the Ordinance may provide, for confirmation of the notice, and
- (ii) that Court declares itself satisfied, on hearing that application, that when the notice was served a nuisance involving imminent danger to public health existed on the premises concerned:

PROVIDED that such compensation shall not exceed such sum as may be prescribed by such an Ordinance.

(4) Without prejudice to the generality of subsection (1) of this section, an Ordinance made under this section may –

- (a) create offences and provide for the imposition of penalties,
- (b) determine the several liabilities of persons responsible for causing nuisances, and of owners and occupiers of premises on or from which nuisances arise,
- (c) make further provision as to inspection, as to the service of notices, detailed requirements which may be imposed thereby, appeals and applications to the Court in relation thereto, and enforcement thereof,
- (d) impose requirements in relation to the notification, containment and eradication of infectious and contagious diseases,

- (e) make provision for ensuring the safety of food,
- (f) make different provision for different cases and circumstances, including emergency circumstances,
- (g) prohibit or regulate the doing of anything within its purview without the permission of the States [Committee for Health & Social Care] or of an authorised officer,
- (h) contain incidental and transitional provisions,
- (i) be repealed or varied by a subsequent Ordinance so made.]

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## NOTES

*Section 4 was substituted by the Public Health (Amendment) (Guernsey) Law, 1999, section 8, with effect from 1st October, 1999.*

*In section 4, the words, first "Committee for Health & Social Care" and, second, "the Committee" in square brackets, wherever occurring, were substituted by the Organisation of States' Affairs (Transfer of Functions) Ordinance, 2016, respectively section 2, Schedule 1, paragraph 5 and section 5(1), Schedule 3, paragraph 6, with effect from 1st May, 2016.<sup>7</sup>*

*In its application to the Island of Alderney, section 4 is omitted in accordance with the provisions of the Alderney (Application of Legislation) Ordinance, 1948, section 1, First Schedule, Part VII, as read with the Public Health Amendment Ordinance, 1998, section 3(1), with effect from 1st January, 1949.*

*The following Ordinances have been made under section 4:*

*Public Health Ordinance, 1936;  
Ordonnance supplémentaire ayant rapport aux Maladies Secrètes (1936) (refers to the Preamble of this Law);  
Public Health Ordinance, 1936, Amendment Ordinance, 1950;  
Public Health (Amendment) Ordinance, 1963;  
Public Health (Amendment) Ordinance, 1973;  
Public Health and Related Offences (Increase in Fines) Ordinance, 1986;  
Public Health (Amendment) Ordinance, 1998;  
Public Health (Amendment) Ordinance, 2010.*

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**Repeal of Law intituled "Loi relative à la Fumée produite par les Fourneaux dans la Ville et paroisse de St. Pierre-Port."**

5. The Law intituled "Loi relative à la Fumée produite par les Fourneaux dans la Ville et paroisse de St. Pierre-Port" sanctioned by an Order of His Majesty in Council of the fifth day of June, eighteen hundred and fifty-eight, registered on the twelfth day of June of the same year is hereby repealed. Provided that this repeal shall not affect any penalty, forfeiture or punishment incurred in respect of any offence committed against any enactment in the Law so repealed nor any investigation, legal proceedings or remedy in respect of any such penalty, forfeiture or punishment and any such investigation, legal proceedings or remedy may be instituted, continued or enforced, and any such penalty, forfeiture or punishment may be imposed, as if this Law had not been passed.

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**NOTES**

*The Law received Royal Sanction on 26th February, 1934 and was registered on the Records of the Island of Guernsey and came into force in the Island of Guernsey on 17th March, 1934.*

*In its application to the Island of Alderney, section 5 is omitted in accordance with the provisions of the Alderney (Application of Legislation) Ordinance, 1948, section 1, First Schedule, Part VII, with effect from 1st January, 1949.*

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<sup>1</sup> These words were previously substituted by the Machinery of Government (Transfer of Functions) (Guernsey) Ordinance, 2003, section 2, Schedule 1, paragraph 12(a), with effect from 6th May, 2004.

<sup>2</sup> These words were previously substituted by the Machinery of Government (Transfer of Functions) (Guernsey) Ordinance, 2003, section 2, Schedule 1, paragraph 4, with effect from 6th May, 2004.

<sup>3</sup> 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 Civil Service Board and its President by the Machinery of Government (Transfer of Functions) (Guernsey) Ordinance, 2003, section 1, Schedule 1, paragraph 12(a), with effect from 6th May, 2004, subject to the savings and transitional provisions in section 4 of the 2003 Ordinance.

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

<sup>5</sup> These words were previously substituted by the Machinery of Government (Transfer of Functions) (Guernsey) Ordinance, 2003, section 2, Schedule 1, paragraph 4, with effect from 6th May, 2004.

<sup>6</sup> These words and figures were previously substituted by the Public Health and Related Offences (Increase in Fines) (Guernsey) Law, 1986, section 1, Schedule, with effect from 16th December, 1986.

<sup>7</sup> The words "Committee for Health & Social Care" were previously substituted by the Machinery of Government (Transfer of Functions) (Guernsey) Ordinance, 2003, section 2, Schedule 1, paragraph 4, with effect from 6th May, 2004.