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The Vienna Document (Privileges and Immunities) (Guernsey and Alderney) Law, 1994

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THE STATES, in pursuance of their Resolution of the 24th day of June, 1992¹, have approved the following provisions which, subject to the Sanction of Her Most Excellent Majesty in Council, shall have force of law in the Islands of Guernsey, Alderney, Herm and Jethou.

Privileges and Immunities.

1. (1) Persons designated by a State other than the United Kingdom as observers, inspectors or evaluators under the Vienna Document shall enjoy, during their mission, the like privileges and immunities as in the United Kingdom are accorded to or in respect of diplomatic agents by the Diplomatic Privileges Act 1964².

(2) Persons designated by a State other than the United Kingdom as auxiliary personnel for an inspection or evaluation carried out under the Vienna Document and performing administrative and technical services, or domestic services, shall enjoy, during their mission, the like privileges and immunities as in the United Kingdom are accorded to or in respect of members of the administrative and technical staff or, as the case may be, of the service staff of a mission by the Diplomatic Privileges Act 1964.

Evidence.

2. If, in any proceedings, any question arises as to whether or not a person is entitled to any privilege or immunity by virtue of this Law, a certificate issued by Her Majesty's Procureur stating any fact relating to that question shall be conclusive evidence of that fact.

Interpretation.

3. (1) In this Law "the Vienna Document" means the Vienna Document 1990 of the Negotiations on Confidence and Security Building Measures

¹ Article IV of Billet d'État No. XII of 1992.

² An Act of Parliament (1964 c.81).

convened in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Concluding Document of the Vienna Meeting of the Conference on Security and Co-Operation in Europe.

(2) Any reference in this Law to an enactment (including an Act of Parliament) is a reference thereto as amended, re-enacted, extended or applied.

Citation.

4. This Law may be cited as the Vienna Document (Privileges and Immunities) (Guernsey and Alderney) Law, 1994.