

ORDER IN COUNCIL

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ratifying a Projet de Loi

ENTITLED

The Reform (Amendment) (No. 2) (Guernsey) Law, 1996

(Registered on the Records of the Island of Guernsey
on the 17th December, 1996.)



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IN THE ROYAL COURT OF THE ISLAND OF GUERNSEY

The 17th day of December, 1996 before de Vic Graham Carey, Esquire, Deputy Bailiff; present:—Stanley Walter John Jehan, John Edward Morris, Charles Anthony Spensley, Lawrence Oscar Ozanne, John Richard Rowe Henry, Esquires, Mrs. Eileen May Glass, Laurence Lenfestey Guille, Derek Martin Le Page, Stephen Edward Francis Le Poidevin and Alan Cecil Bisson, Esquires, Jurats.

The Deputy Bailiff having this day placed before the Court an Order of Her Majesty in Council dated the 15th day of October, 1996, approving and ratifying a *Projet de Loi* entitled “The Reform (Amendment) (No. 2) (Guernsey) Law, 1996” THE COURT, after the reading of the said Order in Council and after having heard Her Majesty’s Procureur thereon, ordered that the said Order in Council be registered on the records of this Island of which Order in Council the tenor followeth:—

At the Court at Buckingham Palace

The 15th day of October, 1996

PRESENT,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

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 7th day of October 1996 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 25th day of April 1996, the States of Deliberation at a meeting held on the 26th day of June 1996 approved a Bill or “Projet de Loi” entitled “The Reform (Amendment) (No. 2) (Guernsey) Law, 1996”, 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 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 Reform (Amendment) (No. 2) (Guernsey) Law 1996”, and to order that the same shall have force of law in the Island 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.”

HER MAJESTY, having taken the said Report into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to approve of and ratify the said Projet de Loi, and to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the same shall have the force of Law within the Island of Guernsey.

AND HER MAJESTY doth 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.

N. H. Nicholls

(No.XI - 1996)

PROJET DE LOI

ENTITLED

The Reform (Amendment) (No. 2) (Guernsey) Law, 1996

THE STATES, in pursuance of their Resolution of 25th April, 1996(a), 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, Herm and Jethou.

Casual vacancies in the office of Conseiller

1. (1) In section 2(3) of the Reform (Election of Conseillers and Minor Amendments) (Guernsey) Law, 1993(b) for "five" there is substituted "12".

(2) This section applies in the case of any casual vacancy in the office of Conseiller occurring on or after the date of registration of this Law on the Records of the Island of Guernsey.

Citation

2. This Law may be cited as the Reform (Amendment) (No. 2) (Guernsey) Law, 1996.

Construction and collective title

3. This Law and the Reform (Guernsey) Laws, 1948 to 1993(c) are to be construed as one and may be cited together as the Reform (Guernsey) Laws, 1948 to 1996.

(a) on Article 7 of Billet d'État No. VII of 1996.

(b) Order in Council No. V of 1993.

(c) Ordres en Conseil Vol. XIII, p.288; Vol. XIV, p.467; Vol. XV, p.279; Vol. XVI, p.178; Vol. XVIII, p.275; Vol. XIX, pp.84 and 140; Vol. XXII, p.122; Vol. XXIII, p.376; Vol. XXV, p.326; Vol. XXVI, p.255; Vol. XXVIII, p.581; Vol. XXIX, p.56; Vol. XXX, p.16; No. VII of 1988; No. II of 1990; No. V of 1993.