ORDER IN COUNCIL

ratifying a Projet de Loi

ENTITLED

The British and Foreign School (Dissolution) (Guernsey) Law, 1955.

(Registered on the Records of the Island of Guernsey on the 9th day of July, 1955.)



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In the Royal Court of the Island of Guernsey

The 9th day of July, 1955, before Henry James Casey, Esquire, M.B.E., M.C., Lieutenant-Bailiff; present:—Sir John Leale, Arthur Falla, Walter John Sarre, William Robert Freake Clark, Ernest Francis Lainé, Bertram Bartlett, Esquires, Donald Carey Brock, Esquire, C.B.E., Osmond Priaulx, Stephen James Falla, Esquire, Wilfred John Corbet, Esquire, O.B.E., and Théophile Le Messurier Allez, Esquire, Jurats.

The Lieutenant-Bailiff having this day placed before the Court an Order of Her Majesty in Council dated the 21st day of June, 1955, ratifying a Projet de Loi entitled "The British and Foreign School (Dissolution) (Guernsey) Law, 1955",—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, of which the Order in Council the tenor followeth:—

At the Court at Buckingham Palace,

The 21st day of June, 1955.

PRESENT.

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty-

LORD PRESIDENT

MR. SECRETARY LLOYD-GEORGE

Mr. Sandys

SIR WALTER MONCKTON

Mr. Low

MR. NUTTING

Mr. Brooke

Mr. Turton

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 3rd day of June, 1955, 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 22nd day of February, 1955, the States of Deliberation at a meeting held on the 20th day of April, 1955, approved a Bill or "Projet de Loi" entitled "The British and Foreign School (Dissolution) (Guernsey) Law, 1955" 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 British and Foreign School (Dissolution) (Guernsey) Law, 1955" and to order that the same shall have the 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, as 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 Commanderin-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.

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

PROJET DE LOI

ENTITLED

The British and Foreign School (Dissolution) (Guernsey) Law, 1955.

WHEREAS by a contract registered on the Records of this Island on the 24th day of December, 1842, Hellier de Garis Agnew, Francois de Putron and others were appointed Trustees to establish, carry on and maintain in accordance with the principles regulating the government of the schools of the British and Foreign School Society of London, a school known as the British and Foreign School in this Island and to that end certain premises situated at Vauvert in the parish of Saint Peter Port (hereinafter referred to as the "Trust premises") were by the said contract vested in the said Trustees and their successors in office:

WHEREAS the said School was established, carried on and maintained as aforesaid on the Trust premises until but not after the year nineteen hundred and three or thereabouts and since the year nineteen hundred and fifteen the said premises have been let to various organisations and in particular to the First Guernsey (Victoria) Boy Scouts Troop during the last twenty-five years:

WHEREAS new Trustees have been appointed from time to time and William Mauger of Les Rosiers, Doyle Road in the parish of Saint Peter Port is now the sole surviving Trustee:

WHEREAS the Trustees have from time to time received and retained various assets and the said Trustee is now possessed of the same as well as the Trust premises:

WHEREAS the funds at present possessed by the said Trustee are insufficient to re-open the said School and carry on and maintain it as aforesaid and, owing to the provision of schools by the States of Guernsey, there is no need for the Trust premises to be used as a school:

WHEREAS the said Trustee is desirous that the affairs of the said Trust be wound up and that the said assets be disposed of in such manner as is hereinafter set out:

WHEREAS in pursuance of the said desire of the said Trustee a Petition was presented to the States of Guernsey asking them to approve of the terms thereof and to direct the preparation of legislation to give effect thereto:

NOW THEREFORE the States, in pursuance of their Resolution of the 22nd day of February, 1955, have approved the following provisions which, subject to the Sanction of Her Most Excellent Majesty in Council, shall have force of law in this Island.

- 1. The Trustee of the Trust established for the purpose of establishing, carrying on and maintaining the school known as the British and Foreign School shall as soon as may be after the commencement of this Law convey the Trust premises by deed of gift to the Trustees and their successors in office of the Guernsey Boy Scouts Association for the use and benefit of the said Association.
- 2. The said Trustee shall apply any personalty of the said Trust, after the payment of the due debts of

the said Trust, in payment to the Trustees of the Guernsey Boy Scouts Association for the use and benefit of the said Association and the receipt of the Treasurer of the said Association shall be a sufficient discharge to the Trustee.

3. On the completion of the distribution of the said assets as aforesaid the said Trust shall be dissolved.

JAMES E. LE PAGE,

Her Majesty's Greffier.