ORDER IN COUNCIL

ratifying a Projet de Loi

ENTITLED

The Reform (Guernsey) (Amendment) Law, 2008

(Registered on the Records of the Island of Guernsey on the 30th July, 2008.)



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ORDER IN COUNCIL



IN THE ROYAL COURT OF THE ISLAND OF GUERNSEY

30th day of July, 2008 before John Russell Finch, Esquire, Lieutenant Bailiff; present:- David Charles Lowe, OBE, Derek Martin Le Page, Stephen Edward Francis Le Poidevin, Alan Cecil Bisson, The Reverend Peter Gerald Lane, Michael Henry De La Mare, Michael John Tanguy, Esquires, Susan Mowbray, Barbara Jean Bartie, David Osmond Le Conte, and John Ferguson, Esquires, Jurats.

The Lieutenant Bailiff having this day placed before the Court an Order of Her Majesty in Council dated 9th July 2008 approving and ratifying a Projet de Loi entitled "The Reform (Guernsey) (Amendment) Law, 2008", 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.

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At the Court at Buckingham Palace

THE 9th DAY OF JULY 2008

PRESENT,

THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY IN COUNCIL

The following report from the Committee of Council for the Affairs of Jersey and Guernsey was today read at the Board:

"In accordance with Your Majesty's General Order of Reference of 22nd February 1952 the Committee have considered a Petition of the States of Guernsey:

"That, in pursuance of their Resolution of 1st November 2007, the States of Deliberation at a meeting on 27th February 2008 approved a Projet de Loi entitled The Reform (Guernsey) (Amendment) Law, 2008 and requested the Bailiff to present a most humble Petition to Your Majesty in Council praying for Your Royal Sanction to it. That the Projet de Loi is as set forth in the attached Schedule. The Petition most humbly prays that Your Majesty might be graciously pleased to sanction The Reform (Guernsey) (Amendment) Law, 2008, and to order that it shall have force of law in the Islands of Guernsey, Herm and Jethou.

"The Committee have considered the Projet de Loi and have agreed to report that it may be advisable for Your Majesty to approve and ratify it".

Her Majesty, having taken the report into consideration, was pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to approve and ratify the Projet de Loi (a copy of which is annexed to this Order) and to order that it, together with this Order, shall have the force of law in the Islands of Guernsey, Herm and Jethou and shall be entered on the Register of the Island of Guernsey and observed accordingly.

Her Majesty's Officers in the Bailiwick of Guernsey, and all others whom it may concern, are therefore to take notice of Her Majesty's Order and to proceed accordingly.

Judith Simpson

PROJET DE LOI

ENTITLED

The Reform (Guernsey) (Amendment) Law, 2008

THE STATES, in pursuance of their Resolution of the 1st November, 2007^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:-

Amendment of Law of 1948.

- 1. (1) The Reform (Guernsey) Law, 1948, as amended b is further amended as follows.
 - (2) In Article 52A(1) (a) for "six years" substitute "four years".
- (3) In Article 52A(2) after "in the parish concerned," insert "resigns his office in accordance with paragraph (4) of this Article,".
 - (4) After Article 52A(3) insert -
 - "(4) A Constable or Douzenier may at any time resign his office, provided that -

Article IV of Billet d'État No. XXII of 2007.

Ordres en Conseil Vol. XIII, p.288; Vol. XIV, p.407; Vol. XV, p.279; Vol. XVI, p.178; Vol. XVIII, p.275; Vol. XIX, p.84; Vol. XIX, p.140; Vol. XXII, p.122; Vol. XXIII, p.476; Vol. XXV, p.326; Vol. XXVI, p.255; Vol. XXIX, p.56; Vol. XXX, p.16; Vol. XXXI, p.164; Vol. XXXII, p.41; No. V of 1993; No. II of 1996; No. III of 1998; No. X of 1998; No. XIII of 2003; No. III of 2004; No. II and XX of 2007; also amended by Ordinances XXXIII of 2003; III of 2004 and LI of 2006.

- (a) he gives -
 - (i) in the case of the office of Constable, to the Dean of the Douzaine, or
 - (ii) in the case of the office of Douzenier, to the Senior Constable,

written notice of his wish to resign; and

(b) his resignation shall not take effect until the expiration of a period of 7 days from the date upon which the Dean, or Constable, as the case may be, receives notice under subparagraph (a)(i) or (ii).".

Amendment of Law of 1899.

 (1) For Article III of the Loi relative à la Réforme des États de Délibération of 1899, as amended^c substitute -

"A l'avenir les Douzaines de l'île seront renouvelées tous les quatre ans, comme suit: -

- (a) Les membres de la Douzaine de St. Pierre Port devant sortir de charge les cinq les plus anciens à la fin de chaque année;
- (b) Les membres de la Douzaine du Valle devant sortir de charge les quatre les plus anciens à la fin de chaque année;

c Ordres en Conseil Vol. III, p.162; Vol. VI, p.262 and Vol. XIII, p.288

(c) Les membres des autres Douzaines de l'île devant sortir de charge les trois les plus anciens à la fin de chaque année.".

Transitional Provisions.

- 3. (1) The expiry of the term of office of the Douzeniers elected before the commencement of this Law as set out in column 2 of the Schedule shall, following the commencement of this Law, be as set out in column 3 of the Schedule.
- (2) When a person listed in the Schedule has ceased to hold office before the commencement of this Law the term of office of the Douzenier elected in his place shall expire on the same date as that which applied to his predecessor.

Citation.

4. This Law may be cited as the Reform (Guernsey) (Amendment) Law, 2008.

S.M.D. Ross

Her Majesty's Deputy Greffier

SCHEDULE

Section 3

Douzenier	Year in which term of office expires prior to the commencement of this Law	Year in which term of office expires following the commencement of this Law
St. Peter Port		
R. A. R. Evans	2013	2011
R. E. Cann	2013	2011
P. J. B. Wilson	2013	2011
L. R. Gallienne	2013	2011
Mrs. J. M. Tasker	2012	2011
Mrs. A. M. Outram	2012	2010
D. H. Le Moignan	2012	2010
Mrs. P. R. McCathie	2012	2010
F. J. Roper	2011	2010
B. J. Gabriel	2011	2010
J. Kuttelwascher	2011	2009
Mrs. P. A. Child	2011	2009
R. H. H. Barneby	2010	2009
Mrs. C. E. Goodlass	2010	2009
Mrs. C. E. M. Lane	2010	2009
B. L. Cash	2010	2008
R. R. Matthews	2009	2008
P. B. Falla	2009	2008
N. G. Weysom	2008	2008
Mrs. K. E. Jones	2008	2008
St. Sampson		
J. E. Foster	2013	2011
D. E. Corson	2013	2011
T. R. Oliver	2012	2011
P. O. Gallienne	2012	2010
S. G. Park	2011	2010
P. A. de Carteret	2011	2010
M. Hamel	2010	2009
A. F. Harris	2010	2009
K. A. Brouard	2009	2009
S. G. Whales	2009	2008
A .W. Nant	2008	2008
Mrs. Y. M. Tanner	2008	2008

Vale		
A. Goubert	2013	2011
J. C. S. F. Smithies	2013	2011
A. Spruce	2013	2011
B. R. de Jersey	2012	2011
Mrs. J. M. M. Guille	2012	2010
P. de Garis	2012	2010
G. A. Goddard	2011	2010
A. Quevâtre	2011	2010
Dr. P. J. H. Tooley	2011	2009
Miss R. A. Henry	2010	2009
D. T. Ingrouille	2010	2009
G. J. Wherry	2010	2009
G. Guille	2009	2008
P. F. Mees	2009	2008
N. N. Duquemin	2008	2008
W. H. Cohu	2008	2008
Castel		
D. E. Chester	2013	2011
Mrs. B. E. C. Holliday	2013	2011
K. J. Guille	2012	2011
R. P. Hervé	2012	2010
M. H. Dorey	2011	2010
R. J. Marquis	2011	2010
C. Le Page	2010	2009
M. A. Bisson	2010	2009
M. A. Fooks	2009	2009
B. J. E. Paint	2009	2008
N. M. Dorey	2008	2008
D. J. Ozanne	2008	2008
St. Saviour		
S. J. Bichard	2013	2011
M. N. de Garis	2013	2011
J. V. Brache	2012	2011
M. E. Best	2012	2010
M. I. Guille	2011	2010
P. M. Burnard	2011	2010
J. H. Humphreys	2010	2009
J. W. Fewkes	2010	2009
P. B. Bott	2009	2009
P. W. Elliott	2009	2008
M. D. Chester	2008	2008
I. MacRae	2008	2008

St. Pierre du Bois		
P. A. Martel	2013	2011
Mrs. G. P. Dudley-Owen	2013	2011
S. L. Langlois	2012	2011
R. W. Place M.B.E.	2012	2010
M. A. Ozanne	2011	2010
A. H. Brouard	2011	2010
P. E. F. Domaille	2010	2009
T. R. Langlois	2010	2009
Miss C. H. Le Pelley	2009	2009
J. H. Lenfestey	2009	2008
Dr. D. de G. De Lisle	2008	2008
A. Le S. Morris	2008	2008
Torteval		
E. H. Ozanne	2013	2011
G. H. Cook	2013	2011
C. J. Tostevin	2012	2011
Dr. M. E. Singer	2012	2010
V. J. Watson	2011	2010
P. M. Burnard	2011	2010
D. J. Cherry	2010	2009
A. Sauvarin	2010	2009
P. I. Le Tocq	2009	2009
L. P. Brehaut	2009	2008
C. P. Plant	2008	2008
P. J. Pannett	2008	2008
Forest		
D. J. Gorvel	2013	2011
R. Plumley	2013	2011
Mrs. S. G. Ephgrave	2012	2011
K. R. Bienvenu	2012	2010
F. X. Paul	2011	2010
Mrs. A. C. Shakerley	2011	2010
J. C. Le Prevost	2010	2009
R. H. Bartlett	2010	2009
R. L. Heaume	2009	2009
Mrs. J. W. Klimaschewski	2009	2008
F. G. Brouard	2008	2008
A. J. Penney	2008	2008

St. Martin		
J. R. Nicolle	2013	2011
R. A. Strappini	2013	2011
G. M. Tattersall	2012	2011
S. J. Morris	2012	2010
Mrs. B. J. Hervé	2011	2010
J. H. Sarre	2011	2010
B. E. Gregg	2010	2009
P. H. Steer	2010	2009
P. N. Danks	2009	2009
C. J. Pickard	2009	2008
M. W. Weysom	2008	2008
S. M. Jones	2008	2008
St. Andrew		
C. N. Claxton	2013	2011
S. de J. Harvey	2013	2011
D. M. Hubber-Richard	2012	2011
J. P. Cook	2012	2010
G. Guilbert	2011	2010
P. Lund	2011	2010
J. R. Domaille	2010	2009
J. D. Watkin	2010	2009
G. C. Le Mesurier	2009	2009
B. L. Rumens	2009	2008
Mrs. J. F. Watts M.B.E.	2008	2008
M. G. O'Hara	2008	2008