

Council of Ministers

(62nd Meeting)

27th November 2025

Part A (Non-Exempt)

All members were present, with the exception of Connétable R. Vibert of St. Peter, Minister for Children and Families, from whom apologies had been received.

Deputy L.J. Farnham of St. Mary, St. Ouen and St. Peter, Chief Minister (for a time)
 Connétable A.N. Jehan of St. John, Minister for Infrastructure
 Deputy C.F. Labey of Grouville and St. Martin, Minister for International Development (for a time)
 Deputy S.G. Luce of Grouville and St. Martin, Minister for the Environment
 Deputy K.F. Morel of St. John, St. Lawrence and Trinity, Minister for Sustainable Economic Development (for a time)
 Deputy M.R. Le Hegarat of St. Helier North, Minister for Justice and Home Affairs
 Deputy R.J. Ward of St. Helier Central, Minister for Education and Lifelong Learning
 Deputy I.J. Gorst of St. Mary, St. Ouen and St. Peter, Minister for External Relations
 Deputy S.Y. Mézec of St. Helier South, Minister for Housing
 Deputy L.V. Feltham of St. Helier Central, Minister for Social Security
 Deputy M.E. Millar of St. John, St. Lawrence and Trinity, Minister for Treasury and Resources (for a time)
 Deputy T.J.A. Binet of St. Saviour, Minister for Health and Social Services (for a time)

In attendance -

Connétable A.S. Crowcroft of St. Helier, Assistant Chief Minister (for a time)
 Connétable M.K. Jackson of St. Brelade, Representative of the Comité des Connétables (for a time)
 Deputy C.S. Alves of St. Helier Central, Assistant Chief Minister (for a time)
 Deputy M.R. Ferey of St. Saviour, Assistant Chief Minister
 Deputy B. Ward of St. Clement, Assistant Minister for Health and Social Services
 Deputy M.R. Scott of St. Brelade, Assistant Minister for Sustainable Economic Development (for a time)
 L.-M. Hart, Greffier of the States (for a time)
 Dr. A. McLaughlin, Chief Executive and Head of the Public Service, Government of Jersey
 R. Bell, Treasurer of the States
 A. Scate, Chief Officer, Infrastructure and Environment Department (for a time)
 K. Briden, Chief Officer, Justice and Home Affairs Department (for a time)
 P. Wylie, Chief Officer, Cabinet Office
 K. Posner, Interim Chief Officer, Children, Young People, Education and Skills Department (for a time)

R. Summersgill, Comptroller of Taxes, Treasury and Exchequer (for a time)
R. Smith, Chief Officer, States of Jersey Police (for a time)
T. Holvey, Chief Economic Adviser, Department for the Economy (for a time)
A. Hacquoil, Group Director - Strategic Finance, Treasury and Exchequer
R. Johnson, Associate Director, Policy, Cabinet Office (for a time)
T. Querée, Deputy Director (Tax Policy), Treasury and Exchequer
K. Pilley, Head of Place and Spatial Planning, Cabinet Office (for a time)
P. Bradbury, Head of Ministerial Office (for a time)
E. Stott, Financial Planning Manager, Treasury and Exchequer
N. Day, Head of Strategic Housing and Regeneration, Cabinet Office (for a time)
T. Mourant, Private Secretary to the Chief Minister (for a time)
K.L. Slack, Senior Secretariat Officer, States Greffe

Note: The Minutes of this meeting comprise Part A only.

Proposed
Budget
(Government
Plan) 2026-
2029
(P.70/2025) –
amendments.

A1. The Council received and noted a PowerPoint presentation in connexion with amendments to the proposed Budget (Government Plan) 2026-2029 (P.70/2025 referred) and deliberated on the financial context and impact of the same.

The Council considered the various amendments at length and discussed whether it wished to lodge amendments or present comments in relation thereto.

It was agreed to delegate final approval for such amendments or comments to Deputies L.J. Farnham of St. Mary, St. Ouen and St. Peter and M.E. Millar of St. John, St. Lawrence and Trinity, Chief Minister and Minister for Treasury and Resources, together with the relevant Minister or Ministers, as applicable.