

COUNCIL OF MINISTERS

(78th Meeting)

21st April 2008PART A

All members were present, with the exception of Senator P.F. Routier, Minister for Social Security, and Senator F.E. Cohen, Minister for Planning and Environment, from whom apologies had been received.

Senator F.H. Walker, Chief Minister
 Senator W. Kinnard, Minister for Home Affairs
 Senator T.A. Le Sueur, Minister for Treasury and Resources
 Senator M.E. Vibert, Minister for Education, Sport and Culture
 Senator P.F.C. Ozouf, Minister for Economic Development
 Senator T.J. Le Main, Minister for Housing
 Senator B.E. Shenton, Minister for Health and Social Services
 Deputy G.W.J. de Faye, Minister for Transport and Technical Services

In attendance -

W.D. Ogley, Chief Executive, States of Jersey
 J. Morris, Policy and Research Manager
 M.N. de la Haye, Greffier of the States
 I. Clarkson, Clerk to the Council of Ministers

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

Draft Non-Profit Organizations (Jersey) Law 200-732(1)

A1. The Council, with reference to its Minutes No. B1 of 20th March and B1 of 1st April 2008, recalled that further consultation regarding the draft Non-Profit Organizations (Jersey) Law 200- had been ongoing, pending a decision by the Council on the matter of whether to lodge the draft Law 'au Greffe' for debate on or before 3rd June 2008.

The Council considered a further revision of the draft Non-Profit Organizations (Jersey) Law 200-, together with a draft accompanying report. It was informed that the draft Law had been further refined by the Anti-Money Laundering and Countering of Terrorism Strategy Group following feedback received from various key stakeholders and other interested parties.

Deputy G.W.J. de Faye sought clarification regarding the de minimis level above which charities would be required to register with the Financial Services Commission. It was reported that the de minimis level had been increased to £1000.

The Council approved the draft Non-Profit Organizations (Jersey) Law 200-, together with the draft accompanying report, and determined that it should be lodged 'au Greffe' no later than 22nd April 2008, with a view to securing a date for debate of 3rd June 2008. The Council further delegated authority to the Chief Executive to authorize minor or inconsequential changes necessary to further refine the draft Law prior to lodging.

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