

COUNCIL OF MINISTERS

(23rd Meeting)

22nd October 2009**PART A**

All members were present.

Senator T.A. Le Sueur, Chief Minister
 Senator P.F.C. Ozouf, Minister for Treasury and Resources
 Senator T.J. Le Main, Minister for Housing
 Senator F.E. Cohen, Minister for Planning and Environment
 Senator A.J.H. Maclean, Minister for Economic Development
 Senator B.I. Le Marquand, Minister for Home Affairs
 Connétable M.K. Jackson of St. Brelade, Minister for Transport and
 Technical Services
 Deputy J.G. Reed, Minister for Education, Sport and Culture
 Deputy A.E. Pryke, Minister for Health and Social Services
 Deputy I.J. Gorst, Minister for Social Security

In attendance -

Connétable K.P. Vibert, Chairman, Comité des Connétables
 Connétable L. Norman, Assistant Minister for Economic Development (for
 item B1)
 Deputy J.A. Martin, Assistant Minister for Health and Social Services (for
 items B3 and B4)
 W.D. Ogley, Chief Executive, States of Jersey
 W.J. Bailhache, Q.C, H.M. Attorney General
 M. King, Chief Officer, Economic Development Department (for item B1)
 R. Jouault, Acting Chief Officer, Health and Social Services Department
 (for items B3 and B4)
 J. Lane, Director of Regulatory Services, Economic Development
 Department (for item B1)
 G. White, Chairman, Shadow Gambling Commission (for item B1)
 M. Heald, Assistant Chief Executive (for item B2)
 J. Morris, Policy and Research Manager
 I. Clarkson, Clerk to the Council of Ministers

Note: The Minutes of this meeting comprise Part A and Part B.

States
 business.
 1240/7/1(1)

A1. The Council reviewed the list of public business scheduled for consideration by the States Assembly during the remainder of the Second Session of 2009. Having noted that the Draft Banking Business (Depositors Compensation) (Jersey) Regulations 200- (P.86/2009) and associated propositions were due to be debated on 3rd November 2009, the Council agreed to consider in detail the related report of the Economic Affairs Scrutiny Panel (S.R.10/2009 refers) at its next meeting.

Media
 Working Party:
 Privileges and
 Procedures

A2. The Council, with reference to its Minute No. A4 of 29th September 2009, recalled that it had appointed Deputy J.G. Reed to represent the Council on the Media Working Party formed by the Privileges and Procedures Committee (PPC).

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Committee -
nomination of
a member of
the Council of
Ministers.
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Deputy Reed advised the Council that he had attended the first meeting of the Media Working Party on 21st October 2009, whereupon it had become apparent that he was affected by a conflict of interest; accordingly the Deputy had felt duty bound to withdraw from the Working Party.

The Council, having been advised that the PPC was content to accept the nomination of an Assistant Minister to the Working Party, nominated Deputy A.E. Jeune, Assistant Minister for Social Security, to replace Deputy Reed as its representative.

W.J. Bailhace,
Q.C., H.M.
Attorney
General: final
meeting.

A3. The Council, having noted that W.J. Bailhache, Q.C, H.M. Attorney General was attending his last meeting of the Council pending his appointment to the office of Deputy Bailiff, warmly thanked him for having consistently provided invaluable legal advice on an exhaustive range of matters since the advent of Ministerial government.