# Ministerial Office Ministerial Decision Report



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General Information	
Ministerial Decision Type	Miscellaneous
Report Title	Intellectual Property: Trade Marks Consultation
Minister	External Relations
Signatory	Minister
Lead Department	Economy
Lead Directorate	Economic Advisory (Economy)
Ministerial Decision Summary: Public or	Public
Absolutely/Qualified Exempt	Select if more than one Absolutely/Qualified Exemption.
Date decision made if different to date 'Ministerial Decision Summary' signed.	29/11/2023
Report and Supplemental Report Details	
Report Author	Head of Competition & Intellectual Property
Date of Report	29/11/2023
Supplementary Report Title (If applicable)	Insert Supplemental Report Title.
Supplementary Report Author (If applicable)	Insert Official Title Only.
Date of Supplementary Report (If applicable)	Select Date of Supplemental Report.
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Absolutely/Qualified Exempt	Select if more than one Absolutely/Qualified Exemption.
Relevant Case/Application/URN (Only complete if making a decision related to an appeal/case/application)	Insert Relevant Case/Application.
Relevant Proposition Number (Only complete if presenting Comments or if lodging an Amendment)	Insert P. number.
Relevant Scrutiny Report (Only complete if presenting a ministerial response)	Insert S.R. number.
Associated Law(s) and/or Subordinate Legislation	Trade Marks (Jersey) Law 2000
Action required if recommendation agreed	Department to take necessary action.

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Resource Implications	There are no new financial and/or
	manpower implications.

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### Introduction

The Minister approved and authorised the publication of a consultation paper to gather feedback on the proposed introduction of a system of primary registration of trade marks in Jersey.

#### Recommendation

Other

To approve publication of the consultation paper.

### **Detail**

This consultation paper invites stakeholder feedback on proposals to change the nature of the registration system for trade marks in Jersey. More specifically, feedback is invited on a number of questions in relation to the proposed introduction of a modern and new system of primary trade mark registration in Jersey, replacing the current system of secondary registration.