

General Information	
Ministerial Decision Type	Miscellaneous
Report Title	Intellectual Property: Trade Marks Consultation
Minister	External Relations
Signatory	Assistant Minister
Lead Department	Economy
Lead Directorate	Economic Advisory (Economy)
Ministerial Decision Summary: Public or <a href="#">Absolutely/Qualified</a> Exempt	Public Select if more than one Absolutely/Qualified Exemption.
Date decision made if different to date 'Ministerial Decision Summary' signed.	04/04/2025
Report and Supplemental Report Details	
Report Author	Head of Competition & Intellectual Property
Date of Report	03/06/2025
Supplementary Report Title <i>(If applicable)</i>	Insert Supplementary Report Title.
Supplementary Report Author <i>(If applicable)</i>	Insert Official Title Only.
Date of Supplementary Report <i>(If applicable)</i>	Select Date of Supplemental Report.
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Relevant Case/Application/URN <i>(Only complete if making a decision related to an appeal/case/application)</i>	Insert Relevant Case/Application.
Relevant Proposition Number <i>(Only complete if presenting Comments or if lodging an Amendment)</i>	Insert P. number.
Relevant Scrutiny Report <i>(Only complete if presenting a ministerial response)</i>	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.

Resource Implications	There are no new financial and/or resource implications.
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**Introduction**

The Assistant 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 views on draft legislation that aims to make provision for the registration of trade marks in Jersey in a new primary register, to be operated by a new Intellectual Property Registry, in place of the existing registry operated by the Judicial Greffier. This follows on from a 29/11/2023 consultation that sought views over the policy of creating a primary trademark registration system for Jersey, for which the feedback was positive.