Principles of incorporation - addendum

During the development of the incorporation project, several minor adjustments were made to the principles. They are retained in their original form as passed to the Economic Affairs Scrutiny Panel on 03 February 2014 to demonstrate the thinking at that time, but the following changes applied:

- A1.14 – after further discussion it has been agreed that Treasury and Resources Minister will appoint the first Chairman of the Board.

- A2.1, A2.2, A2.3 and A2.5 refer to the transfer of property assets, including those held by the Crown. In fact, lands transferred to Jersey from the Crown will be licenced or leased only to the Ports of Jersey Limited, and ownership of that land will not be transferred as part of the incorporation.

- A2.13 requires actions are conducted as necessary – no action was needed.

- Section B2 uses the term ‘Accountable Manager’ as this term is used in international agreements to which the Island is party. In practice, the title ‘Airport Director’ will be retained, although the functions are the same.

- B4.3 notes that Harbour Limits are not a satisfactory description of the boundaries of Ports of Jersey Limited’s responsibility for moorings. These are now the subject of public consultation by the Ports of Jersey and once this completed they will be suitable for this purpose. This is reflected in the Air and Incorporation Law.

- C1.3 (ii) indicates that hydrography will be the responsibility of the Ports of Jersey Limited. After more consideration this was removed as a binding requirement (although government may make arrangements with Ports of Jersey Limited in future to provide such services).

- C2.9 requires actions are conducted as necessary – no action was needed.