#### COUNCIL OF MINISTERS

(63rd Meeting)

# 6th May 2020 (11.30 until 15.34)

## PART A (Non-Exempt)

## All members were present.

Senator J.A.N Le Fondré, Chief Minister

Senator L.J. Farnham, Deputy Chief Minister and Minister for Economic

Development, Tourism, Sport and Culture

Senator S.Y. Mézec, Minister for Children and Housing

Senator T.A. Vallois, Minister for Education

Senator I.J. Gorst, Minister for External Relations

Deputy R.J. Renouf of St. Ouen, Minister for Health and Social Services

Connétable L. Norman of St. Clement, Minister for Home Affairs

Deputy J. H. Young of St. Brelade, Minister for the Environment

Deputy K.C. Lewis of St. Saviour, Minister for Infrastructure

Deputy C.F. Labey of Grouville, Minister for International Development

Deputy J.A. Martin of St. Helier, Minister for Social Security

Deputy S.J. Pinel of St. Clement, Minister for Treasury and Resources

#### In attendance -

Connétable R. A. Buchanan of St. Ouen, Assistant Chief Minister

Deputy S. Wickenden of St. Helier, Assistant Chief Minister

Deputy G.C.U. Guida of St Lawrence, Assistant Minister for the Environment (item B1 only)

Deputy M. Tadier of St. Brelade, Assistant Minister for the Environment (item B1 only)

C. Parker, Chief Executive, States of Jersey

Dr. M. Egan, Greffier of the States

M.H. Temple, Q.C., H.M. Attorney General

M. Jowitt, O.C., H.M. Solicitor General

R. Bell, Treasurer of the States

S. Skelton, Director of Strategy and Innovation, Strategic Policy,

Planning and Performance (item B1 only)

T. Walker, Director General for Strategic Policy, planning and Performance

N. Vaughan, Chief Economic Advisor (item B2 only)

R. Corrigan, Group Director, Financial Services and Digital Economy, Office of the Chief Executive (item B2 only)

A. Rogers, Director, Financial Planning and Performance, Treasury and Exchequer (item B2 only)

D. Danino-Forsyth, Director of Communications, Office of the Chief Executive

K. Pilley, Head of Space and Spatial Planning, Strategic Policy, Planning and Performance (item B1 only)

P. Bradbury, Head of Ministerial Support, Office of the Chief Executive

M. Clark, Clerk to the Council of Ministers

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

Minutes.

A1. The Minutes of the following meetings, having previously been circulated, were taken as read and were confirmed:

- 24th February 2020 (Part A and B)
- 4th March 2020 (Part A and B)
- 14th March (Part A and B)
- 18th March (Part A and B)
- 20th March (Part A only)
- 23rd March (Part A only)
- 25th March (Part A and B)
- 29th March (Part A and B)
- 31st March (Part A only)
- 1st April (Part A only)
- 7th April (Part A only)
- 8th April 2020 (Part A and B)
- 14th April (Part A and B)

The Council decided to defer approval of the Minutes of 13th March 2020, pending clarification of the number of ventilators available in the Island on that date (item B1: Covid-19 – verbal update referred). Ministers also requested an amendment to the wording of item B2 of 26th March 2020, in order to clarify the difference between those classed as vulnerable and severely vulnerable to Covid-19. It was agreed that amended versions should be circulated for the Council's approval in due course.