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FOR THE STATES MEETING

ON WEDNESDAY 22ND SEPTEMBER 2021 AT 1430HRS

Present: Mr William Tate, President Ms Annie Burgess Mr Ian Carter Mr Kevin Gentle Mr Christian Harris Mr Rhys Jenkins Mr Boyd Kelly Mr Graham McKinley, OBE Mr Steve Roberts Mr Alex Snowdon

Lieutenant G T Workman RN (Rtd) represented His Excellency The Lieutenant-Governor of the Bailiwick of Guernsey.

Apologies were received from Mr Bill Abel

The President paid tribute to former States Member Mr Ray Parkin who sadly died on 16 September 2021. He then asked the Members and those in the gallery to stand for a minute's silence in memory of Mr Parkin, and to include in their thoughts the families and friends of the other two members of Alderney's community who sadly passed away recently.

Item I Chief Pleas

Two Chief Pleas were received:-

- 1. From Mr Peter Baron, on the subject of the Arsenal Estate and the proposed marina
- 2. From Mr Nick Winder, on the subject of economic recovery and early years provision in Alderney

Item II The Medicines (Human and Veterinary) (Bailiwick of Guernsey) Law (Amendment) Ordinance, 2021

The States of Alderney resolved to approve "The Medicines (Human and Veterinary) (Bailiwick of Guernsey) Law (Amendment) Ordinance, 2021"

Proposed by Ian Carter Seconded by Alex Snowdon Approved unanimously

Item III Questions and Reports

The following Questions were received:-

From Mr Gentle for the Alderney Representatives on the States of Deliberation:-

"Would our Guernsey Representatives be supporting any initiatives for the Bailiwick to take in its fair share of Afghan refugees - a matter that has been raised in the media by Guernsey Deputy Jonathan Le Tocq and a former Chairman of our own Policy and Finance Committee, James Dent?

From Mr Snowdon for the Chairman of Policy and Finance Committee:-

- 1. Can the chairman update on the Nunnery situation and what progress is being made with the accommodation section?
- 2. Following updates given at the Peoples meeting 'open forum' would the Chairman be able to inform the public about P&F decisions around Harbour House and if we can request a public presentation from AHA?
- **3.** Regarding major projects such as Marina, Tourgis and FABlink, do working groups/sub-committees for the States of Alderney have any updates on these major projects?

From Mr Snowdon for the Chairman of General Services Committee:-

- 1. The freight service to the island is absolutely essential, please could the chairman reassure us that measures are being taken to strengthen the service during the winter months?
- 2. Does the Chairman have any GSC updates he wishes to share?

From Mr Snowdon for the Chairman of Building and Development Control Committee:-

- 1. Could the chairman please comment on whether there are plans to further protect Longis Common following the protection of Lager Sylt.
- 2. With the present housing crisis, please could the chairman of BDCC and member of the Housing Action Group outline future housing plans for local families, key workers and potential Afghan refugees?

Response to the questions above were given verbally and will be available in due course on the Hansard Report for this meeting.

Meeting closed: 1536hrs