THE STATES OF DELIBERATION Of the ISLAND OF GUERNSEY

THE PUBLIC HOLIDAYS ORDINANCE, 2019

The States are asked to decide:-

Whether they are of the opinion to approve the draft Ordinance entitled "The Public Holidays Ordinance, 2019", and to direct that the same shall have effect as an Ordinance of the States.

This proposition has been submitted to Her Majesty's Procureur for advice on any legal or constitutional implications in accordance with Rule 4(1) of the Rules of Procedure of the States of Deliberation and their Committees.

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

This Ordinance provides for Monday 4th May not to be a public holiday, and for Friday 8th May to be a public holiday.

The Public Holidays Ordinance, 2019

THE STATES, in pursuance of their Resolutions of the 19th June, 2019^a, and in exercise of the powers conferred on them by section 1 of the Bills of Exchange (Guernsey) Law, 1958, as amended^b, and all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby order:-

75th Anniversary of Liberation Day in 2020.

- **1.** (1) Notwithstanding the provisions of section 1(e) of the Public Holidays Ordinance, 1994^c, Monday the 4th May, 2020 shall not be a public holiday.
- (2) Notwithstanding the provisions of section 1 of the Public Holidays Ordinance, 1994, Friday the 8th May, 2020 shall be a public holiday.

Citation.

2. This Ordinance may be cited as the Public Holidays Ordinance, 2019.

a Article I of Billet d'État No. XV of 2019.

b Ordres en Conseil Vol XVII, p. 384; as amended by Vol. XXIV, p.84, Vol. XXXIV, p. 504; Vol. XXXV(1), p. 367; Ordinance No. XXXIII of 2003; No. XXIV of 2017; Alderney Ordinance No. VII of 2017; and Sark Ordinances No. XII of 2017 and No. VIII of 2018.

c Recueil d'Ordonnances Tome XXVI, p. 289 as amended by Ordinance No. VI of 2010.