THE STATES OF DELIBERATION Of the ISLAND OF GUERNSEY

27th November, 2019

Proposition No. P.2019/88

POLICY & RESOURCES COMMITTEE

COMMITTEE OPERATIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES AND THE ORGANISATION OF STATES' AFFAIRS (TRANSFER OF FUNCTIONS AND CONSEQUENTIAL MATTERS) ORDINANCE, 2019

AMENDMENT

Proposed by: Deputy G A St Pier Seconded by: Deputy L S Trott

To insert at the end of the words in proposition 3 "subject to the following amendment -

(a) After section 10 insert -

"Plant Health Legislation.

- **11.** (1) The functions, rights and liabilities of the States Committee *for* Economic Development and of its President or Vice-President arising under or by virtue of the enactments set out in subsection (3) are transferred to and vested in the States Committee *for the* Environment & Infrastructure or (as the case may be) its President or Vice-President.
- (2) For any reference in any enactment referred to in subsection (1) to the States Committee *for* Economic Development or its President or Vice-President, however expressed, there is substituted a reference to the States Committee *for the* Environment & Infrastructure or (as the case may be) its President or Vice-President.
 - (3) The enactments are
 - (a) the Loi relative au doryphore (anglicé Colorado Beetle), 1933,

- (b) the Colorado Beetle (Bailiwick of Guernsey) Law, 1956 (insofar as it relates to Guernsey),
- (c) the Plant Health (Enabling Provisions) (Guernsey) Law, 2014,
- (d) Ordonnance relative à la Vente, au Déplacement et a Transport de Plantes Contaminées,
- (e) the Ordonnance relative au Doryphore (anglicé Colorado Beetle), 1933,
- (f) the Narcissus Pests Ordinance, 1938,
- (g) the Potatoes (Wart Disease) Ordinance, 1950,
- (h) the Colorado Beetle (Export of Potatoes) Ordinance, 1952,
- (i) the Road Traffic (Conveyance of Plant Material) Ordinance, 1976,
- (j) the Control of Diseased Plant Material Ordinance, 1976,
- (k) the Plant Pests Ordinance, 1982,
- (I) the Tree Pests Ordinance, 1982,
- (m) the Import and Export (Plant Health) Ordinance, 1982,
- (n) the Import and Export of Trees, Wood and Bark (Health) Ordinance, 1982, and
- (o) the Plant Health (Guernsey) Ordinance, 2019.", and
- (b) renumber sections 11 and 12 as 12 and 13 respectively.".

Explanatory Note

This proposed amendment will transfer the current statutory functions in relation to the regulation of plant health from the Committee *for* Economic Development to the Committee *for the* Environment & Infrastructure. This is to be consistent with the

proposal that the Committee *for the* Environment & Infrastructure is to deliver operational functions for plant health.

The policy responsibility for the promotion and development of horticulture will remain with the Committee *for* Economic Development consistent with its mandate.