

## ***ORDINANCE LAID BEFORE THE STATES***

### **THE PUBLIC SERVICE VEHICLES (MINIMUM AGE) ORDINANCE, 2022**

In pursuance of the provisions of the proviso to Article 66A(1) of The Reform (Guernsey) Law, 1948, as amended, "The Public Service Vehicles (Minimum Age) Ordinance, 2022" made by the Policy & Resources Committee on the 31<sup>st</sup> May, 2022, is laid before the States.

#### **EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM**

This Ordinance amends the Road Traffic (Permits to Drive Public Service Vehicles) Ordinance, 1986 ("the 1986 Ordinance") and the Driving Licences (Guernsey) Ordinance, 1995 ("the 1995 Ordinance").

It amends the 1986 Ordinance so as to reduce the minimum age at which a person is eligible to be granted a permit to drive a public service vehicle from 20 to 18, provided that any applicant under the age of 20 must have held a full Category B licence for at least 12 months prior to his or her application (other conditions of eligibility under the 1986 Ordinance will also apply).

It amends the 1995 Ordinance so as to reduce the minimum age for obtaining a Category D driving licence (required for large passenger-carrying vehicles) from the present minimum of 21 years to 18 years, provided that any applicant under 21 years of age must have held a Category B licence for at least 12 months. The draft Ordinance also amends the National Code 130, which can presently be endorsed on Guernsey driving licences so as to prevent the holder from driving vehicles of category C+E (articulated goods vehicles) outside Guernsey, so that the endorsement can be applied in respect of any category of vehicle. This will enable the Committee to endorse Category D licences held by persons under 21 so that they will not be able to drive large passenger-carrying vehicles outside the island under the Guernsey licence.

The lowering of the age of eligibility for obtaining a permit to drive a public service vehicle will also apply to coach, taxi and private hire car drivers.

The Ordinance was approved by the Legislation Review Panel on the 30<sup>th</sup> May, 2022 and made by the Policy & Resources Committee in exercise of its powers under Article 66A(1) of the Reform (Guernsey) Law, 1948. Under the proviso to the said Article 66A(1), the States of Deliberation have the power to annul the Ordinance.

## **STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS LAID BEFORE THE STATES**

The States of Deliberation have the power to annul the Statutory Instruments detailed below.

No. 35 of 2022

### **THE WASTE MANAGEMENT SERVICES (CHARGING) REGULATIONS, 2022**

In pursuance of section 72(3) of the Environmental Pollution (Guernsey) Law, 2004, “The Waste Management Services (Charging) Regulations, 2022”, made by the Waste Disposal Authority on 19<sup>th</sup> May, 2022, are laid before the States.

#### **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

These Regulations amend the Schedule to the Waste Management Services (Charging) Ordinance, 2018 to increase the prescribed bag charges for residual waste bags of both sizes (up to and including 50 litres in capacity and those 51 to 90 litres in capacity). They also increase the annual fixed charge for waste management services provided by the Waste Disposal Authority.

These Regulations come into force on the 1<sup>st</sup> July, 2022.

No. 40 of 2022

### **THE CUSTOMS AND EXCISE (SAFETY AND SECURITY) (BAILIWICK OF GUERNSEY) (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS, 2022**

In pursuance of sections 14D and 79 of the Customs and Excise (General Provisions) (Bailiwick of Guernsey) Law, 1972, “The Customs and Excise (Safety and Security) (Bailiwick of Guernsey) (Amendment) Regulations, 2022”, made by the Committee *for* Home Affairs on 16th May 2022, are laid before the States.

#### **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

These Regulations amend the Customs and Excise (Safety and Security) (Bailiwick of Guernsey) Regulations, 2020 to further delay the commencement of Part I (Imports) from 1st July 2022 to 31st December 2023. This change has been made to align with the planned commencement of the equivalent United Kingdom provisions.

These Regulations came into force on being made

No. 41 of 2022

### **THE IMMIGRATION (BAILIWICK OF GUERNSEY) (AMENDMENT NO. 3) RULES, 2022**

In pursuance of sections 3(2) of the Immigration Act 1971 as extended to the Bailiwick by the Immigration (Guernsey) Order, 1993, “The Immigration (Bailiwick of Guernsey)

(Amendment No. 3) Rules, 2022", made by the Committee for Home Affairs on 23rd May, are laid before the States.

#### EXPLANATORY NOTE

These Rules amend the Immigration (Bailiwick of Guernsey) Rules, 2008 ("the principal Rules") to provide for a method of proving identity and nationality in certain cases, and to add another scheme to the schemes provided for in the Appendix Ukraine Scheme.

These Rules provide for nationals of certain countries under the age of 19 years to prove their identity and nationality using their national identity cards for the purposes of immigration control. In order for national identity cards to be accepted as satisfactory proof, these nationals must be travelling on a school trip organised by a general education school and accompanied by a school teacher.

These Rules also insert a new scheme, the Bailiwick of Guernsey Ukraine Sponsorship Scheme, in the Appendix Ukraine Scheme to the Rules.

These Rules will come into force on 24th May, 2022.

No. 42 of 2022

#### **WASTE DISPOSAL AND RECOVERY CHARGES REGULATIONS, 2021 (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS, 2022**

In pursuance of section 72(3) of the Environmental Pollution (Guernsey) Law, 2004, the "Waste Disposal and Recovery Charges Regulations, 2021 (Amendment) Regulations, 2022", made by the Waste Disposal Authority on 30<sup>th</sup> May, 2022, are laid before the States.

#### EXPLANATORY NOTE

These Regulations amend the charges, payable from 1<sup>st</sup> July, 2022 for bags of household waste delivered to the Longue Hougue Household Waste Recycling Centre by a private individual. The charges are amended to be consistent with the equivalent charge payable from 1<sup>st</sup> July, 2022 for 90 litre bags of residual household waste put out for collection by the kerbside collection service.

These Regulations come into force on 1<sup>st</sup> July, 2022.

No. 43 of 2022

#### **THE FINANCIAL SERVICES COMMISSION (FEES) (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS, 2022**

In pursuance of section 122 of the Financial Services Business (Enforcement Powers) (Bailiwick of Guernsey) Law, 2020, "The Financial Services Commission (Fees) (Amendment) Regulations, 2022", made by the Policy & Resources Committee on 24<sup>th</sup> May, 2022, are laid before the States.

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

These Regulations amend a typographical error in the Financial Services Commission (Fees) Regulations, 2021.

These Regulations came into force on 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2022.

The full text of the legislation can be found at: <http://www.guernseylegalresources.gg>