

**IN THE STATES OF THE ISLAND OF GUERNSEY**

**ON THE 26<sup>th</sup> DAY OF APRIL 2006**

The States resolved as follows concerning Billet d'État No IX  
dated 21<sup>st</sup> April, 2006

**COMMERCE AND EMPLOYMENT DEPARTMENT**

**AVIAN INFLUENZA – LEGISLATION ON PRECAUTIONARY POWERS**

After consideration of the Report dated 11 April, 2006, of the Commerce and Employment Department:-

1. To approve the proposals for the:
  - a) introduction of legislation on precautionary powers in relation to highly pathogenic avian influenza;
  - b) amendment of the Animal Health Ordinance, 1996; and
  - c) amendment of the Protection of Birds Ordinance, 1949and for any other necessary consequential amendments to existing legislation including that relevant to animals, animal health, imports of birds or protection of wild birds in accordance with the principles set out in section 3 of that Report.
2. To direct the preparation of such legislation as may be necessary to give effect to their above decision.

**K. H. TOUGH  
HER MAJESTY'S GREFFIER**