
GUERNSEY STATUTORY INSTRUMENT

2001 No. 13

The Electronic Transactions (Exemptions) Order, 2001

Made: 13 March, 2001

Laid before the States: 25 April, 2001

Coming into operation: 13 March, 2001

THE STATES ADVISORY AND FINANCE COMMITTEE, in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by section 11 of the Electronic Transactions (Guernsey) Law, 2000¹, hereby makes the following order:-

Exempted matters.

1. The provisions of sections 1 to 5 and 8 of the Electronic Transactions (Guernsey) Law, 2000 shall not apply to-

- (a) the conveyance of real property or the transfer of any interest in real property, including any contract prior thereto;
- (b) leases of real property;
- (c) the creation, execution, variation, rectification or revocation of a will, codicil or any other testamentary instrument;

¹ Order in Council No. VIII of 2000.

- (d) the creation, execution, variation, revocation or enforcement of an indenture, declaration of trust, power of attorney or any document required to be sealed;
- (e) negotiable instruments;
- (f) the making of an affidavit or a statutory or sworn declaration;
- (g) warrants;
- (h) any notice of-
 - (i) the cancellation or termination of utility services, including water, power and gas;
 - (ii) default, repossession, foreclosure or eviction in respect of real property;
 - (iii) the cancellation or termination of any insurance benefits; or
 - (iv) recall of a product, or material failure of a product, that risks endangering health or safety; and
- (i) the rules, practices and procedures of a court or tribunal, including pleadings, judgments and orders.

Interpretation.

2. The Interpretation (Guernsey) Law, 1948² applies to the interpretation of this Order as it applies to the interpretation of a Guernsey enactment.

² Ordres en Conseil Vol. XIII, p. 355.

Citation.

3. This Order may be cited as the Electronic Transactions (Exemptions) Order, 2001.

Commencement.

4. This Order shall come into force on 13 March 2001.

Dated this 13th day of March, 2001.



L.C. MORGAN

President of the States Advisory and Finance Committee,
for and on behalf of the Committee.

EXPLANATORY NOTE.

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order specifies the transactions and other matters that are generally excluded from the application of the relevant provisions of the Electronic Transactions (Guernsey) Law, 2000 that aim at facilitating electronic transactions and liberalising requirements of form. At least for the time being, the transactions and other matters specified in this Order must still be transacted and done without the benefit of making use of electronic means or electronic form.