

ORDER IN COUNCIL

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ratifying a *Projet de Loi*

ENTITLED

The Impôts (Temporary Increase of Rates) (Guernsey) Law, 1971

(Registered on the Records of the Island of Guernsey
on the 30th day of November, 1971.)



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IN THE ROYAL COURT OF THE ISLAND OF GUERNSEY

The 30th day of November, 1971, before John Henry Loveridge, Esquire, C.B.E., Deputy Bailiff; present:—Bertram Guy Blampied, Esquire, O.B.E., Claude Fortescue Nason, Stanley Walter Gavey, Esquires, Gilbert Carey de Jersey, Esquire, C.B., Laurence Francis de Vic Carey, Esquire, C.B., C.B.E., D'Arcy George Le Tissier, William Burton Fox, Esquires, Edward James Lainé, Esquire, C.B.E., D.F.C., Jean Le Pelley, Walter Francis Robin, Richard Alan Kinnersly, Esquires and Harry Wall Poat, Esquire, D.S.O., M.C., A.D.C., Jurats.

The Deputy Bailiff having this day placed before the Court an Order of Her Majesty in Council dated the 27th day of October, 1971, ratifying a *Projet de Loi* entitled "The Impôts (Temporary Increase of Rates) (Guernsey) Law, 1971", the Court, after the reading of the said Order in Council and after having heard Her Majesty's Comptroller thereon, ordered that the said Order in Council be registered on the records of this Island, of which Order in Council the tenor followeth:—

At the Court at Buckingham Palace

The 27th day of October 1971

PRESENT,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty

LORD PRESIDENT

LORD PRIVY SEAL

LORD TRYON

LORD MACLEAN

MR. AMERY

MR. CORFIELD

SIR EUSTACE ROSKILL

WHEREAS there was this day read at the Board a Report from the Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Council for the Affairs of Guernsey and Jersey, dated the 21st day of October 1971, in the words following, viz.:—

“YOUR MAJESTY having been pleased, by Your General Order of Reference of the 22nd day of February 1952, to refer unto this Committee the humble Petition of the States of the Island of Guernsey, setting forth:—

1. That, in pursuance of their Resolution of the 29th day of September 1970, the States of Deliberation at a meeting held on the 30th day of June 1971 approved a Bill or “Projet de Loi” entitled “The Impôts (Temporary Increase of Rates) (Guernsey) Law, 1971” and requested the Bailiff to present a most humble Petition to Your Majesty in Council praying for Your Royal Sanction thereto. 2. That the said Bill or “Projet de Loi” is in the words and figures set forth in the Schedule hereunto annexed. And

most humbly praying that Your Majesty might be graciously pleased to grant Your Royal Sanction to the Bill or "Projet de Loi" of the States of Guernsey entitled "The Impôts (Temporary Increase of Rates) (Guernsey) Law, 1971" and to order that the same shall have force of law in the Island of Guernsey.

"THE LORDS OF THE COMMITTEE, in obedience to Your Majesty's said Order of Reference, have taken the said Petition and the said Projet de Loi into consideration, and do this day agree humbly to report, as their opinion, to Your Majesty, that it may be advisable for Your Majesty to comply with the prayer of the said Petition and to approve of and ratify the said Projet de Loi."

HER MAJESTY having taken the said Report into consideration is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to approve of and ratify the said Projet de Loi, and to order, as it is hereby ordered, that the same shall have the force of Law within the Island of Guernsey.

AND HER MAJESTY doth hereby further direct that this Order, and the said Projet de Loi (a copy whereof is hereunto annexed), be entered upon the Register of the Island of Guernsey and observed accordingly.

AND the Lieutenant Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Island of Guernsey, the Bailiff and Jurats, and all other Her Majesty's Officers for the time being in the said Island, and all other persons whom it may concern, are to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

W. G. Agnew.



Projet de Loi referred to in the foregoing
Order in Council.

PROJET DE LOI

ENTITLED

The Impôts (Temporary Increase of Rates) (Guernsey) Law, 1971

THE STATES, in pursuance of their Resolution of the twenty-ninth day of September, nineteen hundred and seventy, have approved the following provisions which, subject to the Sanction of Her Most Excellent Majesty in Council, shall have force of law in the Island of Guernsey.

1. (1) Notwithstanding any of the provisions of the Laws relating to the Impôts on Goods, any of the rates of impôt levied in pursuance of the provisions of those Laws may, notwithstanding the provisions of the Indirect Taxes, Duties and Impôts (Increase of Rates) (Guernsey) Law, 1970(a), from time to time, be varied by the States Advisory and Finance Committee (hereinafter referred to as "the Committee") by order, so however that any such order:—

Variation of
impôt by
order.

- (a) shall not increase any such rate by more than one hundred per centum of that rate as levied on the first day of January, nineteen hundred and seventy; and
- (b) shall remain in force only until the expiration of the period commencing on the day on which the order comes into force and ending on the day of the next meeting of

(a) No. VIII of 1970.

the States for the consideration of the Annual Budget of the States and shall thereupon cease to have effect but without prejudice to anything done thereunder.

(2) An order made under the provisions of this section may make different provisions as respects the several rates of impôt as levied as aforesaid.

Continuance
of impôt by
Ordinance.

2. The States may by Ordinance provide that, upon an order made in pursuance of the provisions of subsection (1) of the last preceding section ceasing to have effect, the rates of impôt levied in pursuance of the provisions of the Laws relating to the Impôt on Goods shall be at the rates specified in the said Ordinance being rates equivalent to those specified in the said order.

Prohibition
or control of
withdrawals
from bond.

3. The Committee may, from time to time, prohibit or regulate the withdrawal from bond of any description of goods in respect of which impôt is leviable in pursuance of the provisions of the Laws relating to the Impôts on Goods during such period as the Committee may determine.

Citation.

4. This Law may be cited as the Impôts (Temporary Increase of Rates) (Guernsey) Law, 1971.

R. H. VIDELO,

Her Majesty's Greffier.