

ORDER IN COUNCIL

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ratifying a Projet de Loi

ENTITLED

"The Firearms (Amendment) Law, 1951."

(Registered on the Records of the Island of Guernsey
on the 14th day of July, 1951.)



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IN THE ROYAL COURT OF THE ISLAND OF GUERNSEY.

*The 14th day of July, 1951, before Sir Ambrose James Sherwill, C.B.E., M.C., Bailiff; present:—
Osmond Priaulx Gallienne, Esquire, Ernest de Garis, Esquire, O.B.E., Arthur Falla, Walter John Sarre, Esquires, Richard Henry Johns, Esquire, O.B.E., William Robert Freake Clark, Ernest Francis Lainé, Bertram Bartlett, Esquires, Donald Carey Brock, Esquire, C.B.E., and Osmond Priaulx, Esquire, Jurats.*

The Bailiff having this day placed before the Court an Order of His Majesty in Council dated the 29th day of June, 1951, ratifying a *Projet de Loi* entitled "The Firearms (Amendment) Law, 1951",—the Court, after the reading of the said Order in Council and after having heard His Majesty's Procureur thereon, ordered that the said Order in Council be registered on the records of this Island and that an extract of this present Act, together with a copy of the said Order in Council, be sent by His Majesty's Greffier to the Seneschal of Sark for registration on the records of that Island of which Order in Council the tenor followeth:—

At the Court at Windsor,

The 29th day of June, 1951.

Present,

The King's Most Excellent Majesty.

MR. SECRETARY MORRISON.

MR. SECRETARY GRIFFITHS.

SIR ALAN LASCELLES.

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 22nd day of June, 1951, in the words following, viz. :—

“ YOUR MAJESTY having been pleased, by Your General Order of Reference of the 18th day of December, 1936, 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 7th day of March, 1951, the States of Deliberation at a meeting held on the 23rd day of May, 1951, approved a Bill or “ Projet de Loi ” entitled “ The Firearms (Amendment) Law, 1951 ” and requested the Bailiff to present a most humble Petition to Your Majesty in Council praying for Your Royal Sanction thereto: 2. That, at a meeting held on the 28th day of March, 1951, the Chief Pleas of the Island of Sark resolved that the said Bill or “ Projet de Loi ” should apply to that Island: 3. 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 Firearms (Amendment) Law, 1951" and to order that the same shall have the force of Law in the Islands of Guernsey, Sark, Herm and Jethou.'

"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."

HIS MAJESTY having taken the said Report into consideration is pleased, by and with the advice of His 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 Islands of Guernsey, Sark, Herm and Jethou.

AND HIS 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 His 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.

E. C. E. LEADBITTER.

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

PROJET DE LOI

ENTITLED

The Firearms (Amendment) Law, 1951.

THE STATES, in pursuance of their Resolution of the 7th day of March, 1951, have approved the following provisions which, subject to the sanction of His Most Excellent Majesty in Council, shall have force of Law in the Islands of Guernsey, Sark, Herm and Jethou.

1. In Article XVI of the Law entitled "Loi ayant rapport aux Armes à Feu" registered on the Records of the Island of Guernsey on the 10th day of December, 1921 (hereinafter referred to as "the principal Law"), the words "et tout fusil ou carabine à canon rayé dont le calibre n'excède pas .23 d'un pouce ou 6 millimètres" are hereby repealed.

2. This Law and the principal Law may be cited together as "Les Lois ayant rapport aux Armes à Feu, 1921 et 1951".

JAMES E. LE PAGE,

H.M. Greffier.