

Island of



Guernsey

# Ordinance of the States

**XXXV**  
**2001**

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Made ..... 31st October, 2001.  
Coming into operation ..... 1st November, 2001.

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**The Adoption (Amendment) (Guernsey) Law, 2000**  
**(Commencement and Consequential Amendment)**  
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THE STATES, in pursuance of their Resolution of the 26<sup>th</sup> day of November, 1997<sup>a</sup>, and in exercise of the powers conferred on them by section 3 of the Adoption (Amendment) (Guernsey) Law, 2000<sup>b</sup>, hereby order:-

**Commencement of Law.**

1. The Adoption (Amendment) (Guernsey) Law, 2000 shall come into force on the 1<sup>st</sup> November, 2001.

**Disclosure of information for purposes of mandatory counselling.**

2. In section 5 of the Children Board (Regulation of Adoption Arrangements) Ordinance, 1961<sup>c</sup>, immediately before “or for the proper execution of his duties” insert “for the purpose of providing the counselling required by section 20B of the Adoption (Guernsey) Law, 1960, as amended,”.

**Citation.**

3. This Ordinance may be cited as the Adoption (Amendment) (Guernsey) Law, 2000 (Commencement and Consequential Provisions) Ordinance, 2001.

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<sup>a</sup> Article VII of Billet d’État No. XXII of 1997.

<sup>b</sup> Order in Council No. XII of 2000.

<sup>c</sup> Recueil d’Ordonnances Tome XIII, p. 20.