

The Criminal Conviction Declarations of Candidates (Public Inspection) Rules, 2020

<i>Made</i>	<i>19th August, 2020</i>
<i>Coming into operation</i>	<i>On being made</i>
<i>Laid before the States</i>	<i>, 2020</i>

THE STATES'ASSEMBLY & CONSTITUTION COMMITTEE, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Article 35(3) and 78 of the Reform Law (Guernsey) Law, 1948^a and all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Rules:-

Public Inspection of Criminal Conviction Declarations.

1. (1) In respect of candidates in the General Election to be held on 7th October, 2020, criminal conviction declarations shall be available for inspection on each weekday during the period from 5th September to 7th October at –

- (a) the Greffe, Royal Court House, and
- (b) the office of the Registrar-General of Electors, Sir Charles Frossard House,

^a Ordres en Conseil Vol. XIII, p. 288 as amended by Order in Council No. XIII of 2003 and the Reform (Guernsey) (Amendment) (No.2) Law; there are other amendments not relevant to these Rules.

during the hours that they are normally open to members of the public.

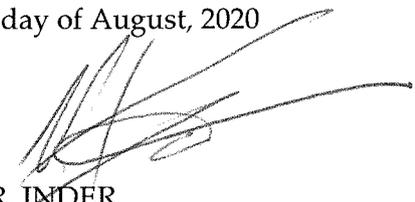
(2) For the avoidance of doubt, no copy may be taken of a criminal conviction declaration by or on behalf of a person inspecting it under paragraph (1).

(3) In paragraph (1), "**criminal conviction declarations**" has the meaning given in Article 35(1) of the Reform Law (Guernsey) Law, 1948.

Citation.

2. These Rules may be cited as the Criminal Conviction Declarations of Candidates (Public Inspection) Rules, 2020.

Dated this 19th day of August, 2020



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President of the States' Assembly & Constitution Committee

For and on behalf of the Committee



EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Rules)

These Rules specify the places at which and the period during which the declarations by candidates in the 2020 General Election of unspent criminal convictions which resulted in sentences of imprisonment will be available for public inspection. These Rules were made on 19th August 2020 and came into force on the day they were made.