

Island of



Guernsey

# Ordinance of the States

**I**

**2021**

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Laid Before the States ..... 2nd February, 2021  
Coming into Operation ..... 5th February, 2021

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**THE STATES POLICY & RESOURCES COMMITTEE**, in exercise of the powers conferred on the States by sections 3(2) and (4), 15 and 15B of the Income Support (Guernsey) Law, 1971<sup>a</sup>, and all other powers enabling the States in that behalf, and on that Committee by Article 66A of the Reform (Guernsey) Law, 1948<sup>b</sup>, hereby order:-

## **Amendment of Ordinance.**

1. The Income Support (Implementation) Ordinance, 1971<sup>c</sup> ("the **Ordinance**") is amended as follows.

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<sup>a</sup> Ordres en Conseil Vol. XXIII, p. 26; amended by Ordres en Conseil Vol. XXVI, p. 292; Vol. XXXI p. 278; Vol. XXXIX, p. 107; Order in Council No. XIII of 2014; No. VII of 2015; No. VI of 2016; No. IV of 2018; Recueil d'Ordonnances Tome XXVI, p. 177; Ordinance No. XXXIII of 2003; No. XXXIX of 2009; No. VII of 2010; No. IX of 2016; No. XIII of 2017; No. XIII of 2018; and Alderney Ordinance No. VIII of 2018; applied to Alderney by Recueil d'Ordonnances Tome XVII, p. 168 as amended by Tome XXVI, p. 462 and Ordinance Nos. XXVI and XLIX of 2014. Order in Council No. IV of 2018 is applied to Alderney by Ordinance No. XIV of 2018.

<sup>b</sup> Ordres en Conseil Vol. XIII, p. 288; Article 66A was inserted by Order in Council No. XVII of 2015; there are other amendments not relevant to this Ordinance.

<sup>c</sup> Recueil d'Ordonnances Tome XVII, p. 139; amended by Order in Council No. IV of 2014; No. IV of 2018; Recueil d'Ordonnances Tome XVIII, p. 119; Tome XXIV, pp. 471 and 495; Tome XXV, p. 49; Tome XXVI, p. 177, Ordinance No. XXXV of 2004; Nos. VIII and XXV of 2005; No. XLVII of 2006; No. XLV of 2007; Nos. XXVI and XLI of 2012; No. XXXIX of 2013; Nos. XXV and XLVIII of 2014; No. XLVIII of 2015; Nos. IX, XXX and XLII of 2016; Nos. XIII and XXXVIII of 2017; Nos. XIII and XLI of 2018; No. XXXIII of 2019 and Alderney Ordinance No. VIII of 2018. The Ordinance is applied to the Island of Alderney by Recueil d'Ordonnances Tome XVII, p. 168.

2. In paragraph 6 (rent) of the First Schedule to the Ordinance –
  - (a) in subparagraph (1)(b), for "£76.50" substitute "£78.50",  
and
  - (b) in subparagraph (2A)(a), for "£76.50" substitute "£78.50",

3. For Tables 1 to 4 set out in the Appendix to the First Schedule to the Ordinance, substitute the numbered Tables 1 to 4 set out in the Schedule to this Ordinance.

**Extent.**

4. This Ordinance has effect in the islands of Guernsey, Alderney, Herm and Jethou.

**Repeal.**

5. The Income Support (Implementation) (Amendment) Ordinance, 2019<sup>d</sup> is repealed.

**Citation.**

6. This Ordinance may be cited as the Income Support (Implementation) (Amendment) Ordinance, 2021.

**Commencement.**

7. This Ordinance shall come into force on the 5<sup>th</sup> February, 2021.

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<sup>d</sup> Ordinance No. XXXIII of 2019.

## SCHEDULE

Section 3

"Table 1

(Paragraph 3)

Limitation of weekly benefit payable as from the week commencing  
5<sup>th</sup> February 2021

<i>Community</i>	<i>Residential home</i>	<i>Nursing Home, etc</i>	<i>Personal Allowance</i>	<i>UK Personal Allowance</i>
£890.00	£587.00	£841.00	£40.00	£56.54

Table 2

(Paragraph 5(1) and (2))

Short-term Weekly Requirements as from week commencing  
5<sup>th</sup> February 2021

<i>Description</i>	<i>Amount</i>
Married couple or other persons falling within paragraph 2(1) (" <b>Couple</b> ")	£194.49
Person not falling within paragraph 2(1) who is directly responsible for household necessities and rent (if any) (" <b>Single householder</b> ")	£111.32
Person who is not a householder (" <b>Non-householder</b> ") -	£84.90
Member of a household -	
Aged 11 years or over;	£79.29
Aged 5 years or over but less than 11;	£59.63
Aged less than 5 years	£39.98

Table 3

(Paragraph 5(2) and 2(A))

Long-term Weekly Requirements as from week commencing  
5<sup>th</sup> February 2021

<i>Description</i>	<i>Amount</i>
Married couple or other persons falling within paragraph 2(1) (" <b>Couple</b> ")	£319.13
Person not falling within paragraph 2(1) who is directly responsible for household necessities and rent (if any) (" <b>Single householder</b> ")	£192.75
Person who is not a householder (" <b>Non-householder</b> ") -	£144.93
Member of a household -	
Aged 11 years or over;	£113.00
Aged 5 years or over but less than 11;	£84.91
Aged less than 5 years	£56.82

Table 4

(Paragraph 6(4))

Maximum Rent Allowances as from week commencing  
5<sup>th</sup> February 2021

<i>Description</i>	<i>Amount</i>
Married couple or other persons falling within paragraph 2(1) (" <b>Couple</b> ") with no child dependants	£234.00

Person not falling within paragraph 2(1) who is directly responsible for household necessities and rent (if any) (" <b>Single householder</b> ") with no child dependants	£234.00
Couple or Single householder with one child dependant	£271.82
Couple or Single householder with two child dependants	£346.05
Couple or Single householder with 3 or more child dependants	£423.02
Person living in shared accommodation	£181.16".