



At the Court at Buckingham Palace

THE 9th DAY OF NOVEMBER 2022

PRESENT,

THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY
IN COUNCIL

**Royal Assent to Legislation and Petitions
(Bailiwick of Guernsey) Order 2022**

His Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of all the powers in His Majesty vested, is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered for Himself, and His Heirs and Successors in Council, as follows –

1. This Order may be cited as the Royal Assent to Legislation and Petitions (Bailiwick of Guernsey) Order 2022 and shall commence the day after the day on which it is made.
2. The whole Privy Council, or any two or more of them, are hereby appointed a single Committee for the Affairs of Jersey and Guernsey under this Order and the Royal Assent to Legislation and Petitions (Bailiwick of Jersey) Order 2022, as, from time to time, amended, supplemented, or re-enacted (with or without modification).
3. All Projets de Loi approved by the States of Deliberation, the States of Alderney, or the Chief Pleas of Sark (including any two or all of those Island legislatures), and submitted to His Majesty in Council, for His Majesty's approval, and all Petitions received in relation to any such Projet de Loi shall be referred to, and they are hereby referred to, the said Committee for its consideration and report.
4. Their Lordships shall report thereupon to His Majesty at this Committee in like manner as if such Projets de Loi and Petitions had been referred to the said Committee by a special Order of His Majesty in Council.
5. The said Committee shall not ordinarily postpone its consideration of any such Projets de Loi if a Petition is made against them and is received later than 28 days after their final approval by the relevant Island legislature(s).
6. This Order will continue in effect for His Majesty's Heirs and Successors in Council, until He or They further Order.

Richard Tilbrook

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order replaces the General Order of Reference dated 22 February 1952 and the Supplementary Order dated 13 July 2011 (“the previous Orders”), both made by Her Late Majesty Queen Elizabeth II, relating to the grant of Royal Assent to Projets de Loi approved by legislatures in the Bailiwick of Guernsey.

This Order reconstitutes a single Committee for the Affairs of Jersey and Guernsey in order to perform the duties set out in this Order. Its duties in respect of the Bailiwick of Jersey are set out in the Royal Assent to Legislation and Petitions (Bailiwick of Jersey) Order 2022.

This Order consolidates the previous Orders for the purposes of the Bailiwick of Guernsey and promotes continuity and stability by continuing in effect for His Majesty’s Heirs and Successors in Council.