

5. CONSIDERATION OF CLAUSES

**5.1. Highways (Amendment) Bill 2019 –
Clauses considered**

Mr Harmer to move.

The Speaker: We move to Item 5, consideration of clauses, and we take first the Highways (Amendment) Bill 2019 in the name of Mr Harmer. I call on him to move.

Mr Harmer: Thank you, Mr Speaker.

I would first like to thank Members for supporting this Bill at the Second Reading earlier this month.

I would like to, firstly, go through clause 1. Clause 1 gives the Act resulting from the Bill its short title. Mr Speaker, I beg to move that clause 1 stands part of the Bill.

The Speaker: Mr Baker.

Mr Baker: I beg to second.

The Speaker: I put the question that clause 1 stand part of the Bill. Those in favour, please say aye; against, no. The ayes have it. The ayes have it.

Clause 2, Mr Harmer.

Mr Harmer: Clause 2.

The Highways Act 1986 amended: clause 2 introduces the amendments that are made to the Highways Act of 1986 by clauses 3 and 4.

Mr Speaker, I beg to move that this clause stands part of the Bill.

The Speaker: Mr Baker.

Mr Baker: I beg to second.

The Speaker: I put the question that clause 2 stand part of the Bill. Those in favour, please say aye; against, no. The ayes have it. The ayes have it.

Clause 3, Mr Harmer.

Mr Harmer: Clause 3 amends section 92A of the 1986 Act to provide that an order which amends a definitive map only in consequence of the making of: (a) an order under section 33, 34 or 91; (b) an agreement under section 4 or 87; or (c) both such an order and such an agreement need only be laid before Tynwald because in these circumstances the process is essentially administrative in nature.

Mr Speaker, I beg to move that clause 3 stands part of the Bill.

The Speaker: Mr Baker.

Mr Baker: I beg to second.

The Speaker: I put the question that clause 3 stand part of the Bill. Those in favour, please say aye; against, no. The ayes have it. The ayes have it.

Clause 4, Mr Harmer.

Mr Harmer: Clause 4 adjusts the definition of 'planning approval' for the purposes of the Highways Act 1986. The change is required because, as a result of the transfer of certain planning functions to the Cabinet Office, planning approval is no longer always granted by means of a development order under Part 2 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1999.

Mr Speaker, I beg to move that clause 4 stands part of the Bill.

The Speaker: Mr Baker.

Mr Baker: I beg to second.

The Speaker: I put the question that clause 4 stand part of the Bill. Those in favour, please say aye; against, no. The ayes have it. The ayes have it.