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ORDER PAPER

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TUESDAY 20th JUNE 2000

at 10.30 am

1. To lay before the Court -

Social Security Act 1982 -

Social Security Legislation (Application) (No. 9) Order 2000
[SD No 205/00]

Fees and Duties Act 1989 -

Deeds and Probate Registries (Fees) Order 2000 [SD No 187/00]
General Registry (Miscellaneous Fees) Order 2000 [SD No 186/00]
Fees and Duties (Government Fees) Order 2000 [SD No 185/00]
High Court Fees Order 2000 [SD No 184/00]

Licensing and Registration of Vehicles Act 1985 -

Trade Licences (Rates of Duty) Order 2000 [SD No 301/00]

Road Traffic Act 1985 -

Goods Vehicles (Plating) (Fees) Regulations 2000 [SD No 302/00]

Road Traffic (Public Service Vehicles) Act 1964 -

Public Service Vehicles (Licences and Certificates) (Amendment)
(Fees) Regulations 2000 [SD No 303/00]
Public Service Vehicles (Drivers' and Conductors' Licences)
(Amendment) (Fees) Regulations 2000 [SD No 304/00]

Prevention of Terrorism Act 1990 -

Prevention of Terrorism (Enforcement of External Orders) Order 2000
[SD No 300/00]

- Social Security Act 2000 -
 Social Security Administration Act 1992 (Application) (Amendment) (No. 2) Order 2000 *[SD No 264/00]*
 Jobseekers Act 1995 (Application) (Amendment) (No. 2) Order 2000 *[SD No 265/00]*
 Social Security Legislation (Application) (No. 10) Order 2000 *[SD No 266/00]*
- Pension Schemes Act 1995 -
 Pension Schemes Legislation (Application) (No. 3) Order 2000 *[SD No 267/00]*
 Pension Schemes Legislation (Application) (No. 4) Order 2000 *[SD No 268/00]*
- Social Security Contributions and Benefits Act 1992 -
 Income Support (General) (Isle of Man) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2000 *[SD No 269/00]*
- Cremation Act 1957 -
 Cremation (Fees) Regulations 2000 *[SD No 277/00]*
- Local Government Act 1985 -
 Local Authority (Mortgages) (Amendment) Regulations 2000 *[SD No 237/00]*
- Oil Pollution Act 1986 -
 Merchant Shipping (Oil Pollution Preparedness, Response and Co-operation Convention) Regulations 2000 *[SD No 319/00]*
 Merchant Shipping (Prevention of Oil Pollution) (Amendment) Regulations 2000 *[SD No 316/00]*
- Agricultural Wages Act 1952 -
 Agricultural Wages Regulations 2000 *[SD No 318/00]*
- Fishing Vessels (Financial Assistance) Scheme -
 Fishing Vessels (Financial Assistance) Scheme 2000 *[GC No 23/00]*
- Sow Slaughter Premium (Amendment) Scheme -
 Sow Slaughter Premium (Amendment) Scheme 2000 *[GC No 25/00]*
- Beef Quality (Headage Payment) (Amendment) Scheme -
 Beef Quality (Headage Payment) (Amendment) Scheme 2000 *[GC No 26/00]*

Note - the following items are not the subject of motions on the Order Paper

- Road Traffic Act 1985 -
 Road Vehicles (Authorisation of Special Types) (Dual-purpose touring coaches) Order 2000 *[SD No 226/00]*

Post Office Act 1993 -
Post Office (Overseas Letter Post) (Amendment) Scheme 2000
[SD No 257/00]
Post Office (Inland Post) (Amendment) Scheme 2000 [SD No 298/00]

Currency Act 1992 -
Currency (100th Birthday of Her Majesty the Queen Mother Crowns)
Order 2000 [SD No 236/00]

Agricultural Wages Act 1952 -
Agricultural Wages Board Order 2000 [SD No 317/00]

Companies Act 1931 -
Companies (Fees and Duties) Order 2000 [SD No 1/00]

Companies Act 1931: Companies (Transfer of Domicile) Act 1998 -
Companies (Transfer of Domicile) (Fees and Duties) Order 2000
[SD No 2/00]

Companies Act 1931: Limited Liability Companies Act 1996 -
Limited Liability Companies (Fees and Duties) Order 2000
[SD No 5/00]

Partnership Act 1909 -
Partnership (Fees) Rules 2000 [SD No 3/00]

Child Custody Act 1987 -
Child Abduction and Custody (Parties to Conventions) (Amendment)
Order 2000 [SD No 335/00]

Air Navigation (No. 2) Order 1995 -
Air Navigation (Restriction of Flying) (Emergency Evacuation)
Regulations 2000 [SD No 263/00]
Air Navigation (Restriction of Flying) (Emergency Evacuation)
(Amendment) Regulations 2000 [SD No 321/00]
Air Navigation (Restriction of Flying) (Exhibition of Flying) Regulations
2000 [SD No 261/00]
Air Navigation (Restriction of Flying) (Tynwald Day) Regulations 2000
[SD No 262/00]

Deep Sea Mining (Temporary Provisions) Act 1981 -
Deep Sea Mining (Temporary Provisions) Act 1981 (Isle of Man) Order
2000 [SI 2000 No 1112]

Appointed Day Order -
Land Registration Acts (Appointed Day) Order 2000 [SD No 276/00]

Report -
Report of the Police Complaints Commissioner for the year ended
31st March 2000

2. Questions -

See Question Paper

3. Election of the Deputy President of Tynwald

4. Future Taxation Strategy -

Statement by the Minister for the Treasury

5. Social Security Act 1982 -

Under Standing Order 3.19, the Minister for Health and Social Security to move -

That the Social Security Legislation (Application) (No. 9) Order 2000 [SD No 205/00] be approved.

6. Fees and Duties Act 1989 -

The Minister for the Treasury to move -

That the Deeds and Probate Registries (Fees) Order 2000 [SD No 187/00] be approved.

7. Fees and Duties Act 1989 -

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That the General Registry (Miscellaneous Fees) Order 2000 [SD No 186/00] be approved.

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That the Fees and Duties (Government Fees) Order 2000 [SD No 185/00] be approved.

9. Fees and Duties Act 1989 -

The Minister for the Treasury to move -

That the High Court Fees Order 2000 [SD No 184/00] be approved.

10. Licensing and Registration of Vehicles Act 1985 -

The Minister for Transport to move -

That the Trade Licences (Rates of Duty) Order 2000 [SD No 301/00] be approved.

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The Minister for Transport to move -

That the Goods Vehicles (Plating) (Fees) Regulations 2000 [SD No 302/00] be approved.

12. The Road Traffic (Public Service Vehicles) Act 1964 -

The Minister for Transport to move -

That the Public Service Vehicles (Licences and Certificates) (Amendment) (Fees) Regulations 2000 [SD No 303/00] be approved.

13. The Road Traffic (Public Service Vehicles) Act 1964 -

The Minister for Transport to move -

That the Public Service Vehicles (Drivers' and Conductors' Licences) (Amendment) (Fees) Regulations 2000 [SD No 304/00] be approved.

14. Integrated (Energy from Waste) Incinerator Facility Project -

The Minister for Local Government and the Environment to move -

That Tynwald -

- (i) approves the expenditure of a sum not exceeding £42,690,000 on the progression of the Integrated (Energy from Waste) Incinerator Facility Project and associated works;
- (ii) authorises the Treasury to expend during the year ending 31st March 2001, from the Capital Transactions Account, a sum not exceeding £3,000,000 in respect of the additional expenditure;
- (iii) endorses the proposed financing arrangements based upon the sale and leaseback model.

15. Ex Gratia Payments to World War Two Prisoners and Internees held by Japan -

The Chief Minister to move -

That Tynwald authorises the Treasury to apply from the General Revenue during the year ending 31st March 2001, a sum not exceeding £260,000, being the amount required for the purpose of making an ex gratia payment of £10,000 to each of those individuals who were resident in the Isle of Man at the date of the February 2000 sitting of Tynwald and, in respect of whom, sufficient evidence has been produced that they were either prisoners of war or internees held by Japan during the Second World War.

16. Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry -

The Minister for Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry to move -

That Tynwald authorises the Treasury in respect of the year ended 31st March 2000, to apply from General Revenue the sum of £625,795 in payment of excess expenditure and shortfall of receipts in respect of the Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry.

17. Highways - Douglas Transport Plan -

The Minister for Transport to move -

That Tynwald authorises the Department of Transport to undertake works for the reconstruction of a part of the length of South Quay which lies between the new harbour lifting bridge and Douglas Bridge for a sum not exceeding £2,663,600.

[Reference: Item No. 16 under the heading "Transport" on page 10 of the Isle of Man Budget 2000-01, and as detailed in the Capital Estimates 2000-01 to 2004-05 on page 113 of the Isle of Man Budget 2000-01]

18. Ronaldsway Airport - Instrument Landing System -

The Minister for Transport to move -

That Tynwald authorises the Department of Transport to undertake works for the installation of an instrument landing system for Runway 08 at Ronaldsway Airport for a sum not exceeding £399,000.

[Reference: Item No. 4 under the heading "Transport" on page 10 of the Isle of Man Budget 2000-01, and as detailed in the Capital Estimates 2000-01 to 2004-05 on page 113 of the Isle of Man Budget 2000-01]

19. Prevention of Terrorism Act 1990 -

The Chief Minister to move -

That the Prevention of Terrorism (Enforcement of External Orders) Order 2000 [SD No 300/00] be approved.

20. Social Security Act 2000 -

The Minister for Health and Social Security to move -

That the Social Security Administration Act 1992 (Application) (Amendment) (No. 2) Order 2000 [SD No 264/00] be approved.

21. Social Security Act 2000 -

The Minister for Health and Social Security to move -

That the Jobseekers Act 1995 (Application) (Amendment) (No. 2) Order 2000 [SD No 265/00] be approved.

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23. Pension Schemes Act 1995 -

The Minister for Health and Social Security to move -

That the Pension Schemes Legislation (Application) (No. 3) Order 2000 [SD No 267/00] be approved.

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25. Social Security Contributions and Benefits Act 1992 -

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That the Income Support (General) (Isle of Man) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2000 [SD No 269/00] be approved.

26. Cremation Act 1957 -

The Minister for Local Government and the Environment to move -

That the Cremation (Fees) Regulations 2000 [SD No 277/00] be approved.

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That the Merchant Shipping (Prevention of Oil Pollution) (Amendment) Regulations 2000 [SD No 316/00] be approved.

30. Agricultural Wages Act 1952 -

The Minister for Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry to move -

That the Agricultural Wages Regulations 2000 [SD No 318/00] be approved.

31. Fishing Vessels (Financial Assistance) Scheme -

The Minister for Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry to move -

That the Fishing Vessels (Financial Assistance) Scheme 2000 [GC No 23/00] be approved.

32. Sow Slaughter Premium (Amendment) Scheme -

The Minister for Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry to move -

That the Sow Slaughter Premium (Amendment) Scheme 2000 [GC No 25/00] be approved.

33. Beef Quality (Headage Payment) (Amendment) Scheme -

The Minister for Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry to move -

That the Beef Quality (Headage Payment) (Amendment) Scheme 2000 [GC No 26/00] be approved.

34. Chronically Sick and Disabled Persons Committee -

The Chief Minister to move -

That Mr R P Braidwood MHK, be appointed as a member of the Chronically Sick and Disabled Persons Committee.

35. Reprocessing of spent nuclear waste fuel -

Mrs Cannell to move -

That this Court -

(1) notes that -

- (a) reprocessing of spent nuclear waste fuel is a major source of radioactive pollution;
- (b) the UK has ratified the OSPAR Convention for the Protection of the Marine Environment of the North-East Atlantic;
- (c) as a consequence of the ratification, the UK Government is required to work towards achieving within the marine environment the elimination, or at least substantial reduction, of discharges of pollutants by the year 2000, and of concentrations of pollutants by the year 2020; and
- (d) Ireland and Denmark have submitted draft decisions to the Annual Meeting of the OSPAR Convention to be held in Copenhagen from 26th to 29th June, calling for a suspension or cessation of the reprocessing of spent nuclear fuel;

(2) is of the opinion that it is unacceptable for the Manx coastline to be polluted by such reprocessing at Sellafield; and

- (3) therefore joins with Denmark, Ireland and others in calling for an end to such reprocessing and requests the Isle of Man Government to transmit this view to the UK Government before 26th June 2000.

36. Draft Report of the United States Environmental Protection Agency -

Mrs Cannell to move -

That this Court -

- (i) notes that it is claimed that a draft report of the United States Environmental Protection Agency suggests that dioxin is a “human carcinogen” and links low-grade exposure to the toxic chemical component to a wide range of other health problems; and
- (ii) therefore, is of the opinion that no further action should be taken on the construction and commissioning of the incinerator for the Island until the report of the Environmental Protection Agency has been published, the Government has had its conclusions professionally evaluated, and the results of the evaluation have been made available in a report to Tynwald Court.

37. Residential Units -

Mr Henderson to move -

That -

- (1) the Department of Local Government and the Environment -
 - (a) determine the number of residential units in (i) private and (ii) public ownership, and
 - (b) determine the number of privately owned residential units available for rental, and
 - (c) analyse the nature of the accommodation available in the units; and
- (2) on the basis of the information in paragraph (1), the Department develop an “avoidance of empty homes” strategy, in conjunction with the local authorities and the private sector, to maximise the use of existing residential units, together with any proposals for additional statutory provisions required to enable the Department to encourage and supervise such use; and report.

38. Petition for the Redress of Grievance of Andrew Charles Richard Jessopp -

Mr Karran to move -

That the Petition for Redress of Grievance of Andrew Charles Richard Jessopp presented at St John’s on 5th July 1999 be

referred to a Select Committee of three Members for consideration and report.