

CORKISH, Charles Geoffrey, MBE MHK (*Douglas West*)

Personal

Born: 25th May 1953

Parents: William Douglas Corkish and Elizabeth Margaret Corkish (née Cringle)

Education: Pulrose Infants School, Demesne Road School and Douglas High School for Boys

Family: Married to Muriel Esther (née Curphey) 1976, 1 son and 1 daughter, 1 grand daughter



Career: Isle of Man Steam Packet Company Limited 1969-2006

Public Service: *Treasurer:* Isle of Man Church Music Association, Skal Association (*twice President*); *Former Chairman:* Isle of Man Arts Council; *Trustee:* Douglas Buxton Music Trust, The Mersey Mission for Seafarers; *Chairman:* Isle of Man Anti Cancer Association; *Director:* IOM Festival of Choirs

Honours and Decorations: MBE 2007

Interests: Music/singing (Cleveland Gold Medallist at Manx Music Festival 1983), Lon Dhoo Male Voice Choir, Chorister All Saints Parish Church

Parliamentary Profile

Current Posts

Member of the House of Keys 2006-date

Member of the Department of Economic Development with responsibility for tourism and motorsport 2010-date

Chairman of the Isle of Man Post Office 2011-date

Chairman of the Environmental and Infrastructure Policy Review Committee 2011-date

Member of the Ecclesiastical Committee 2011-date

Member of the Public Accounts Committee (*eo*) 2011-date

Member of the Tynwald Management Committee 2007-date

Member of the Tynwald Honours Committee 2010-date

Vice Chairman of the Tynwald Advisory Council for Disabilities 2007-date

Parliamentary Career

Member Trade and Industry 2006-07, Tourism and Leisure 2006-10, Manx Electricity Authority 2007-09, Transport 2009-10

Vice-Chairman: Isle of Man Post Office 2007-11

Tynwald Committees: Economic Initiatives 2007-11

Council of Ministers' Committees: Queen's Pier Ramsey 2007-09, Retail Policy Working Group 2010, Queen's Diamond Jubilee Working Group 2009-11, Social Policy 2007-11

Electoral History

Elected as a Member of the House of Keys in 2006

Commonwealth Parliamentary Association

Visit to India 2007, Westminster 2007