

GILBEY, Walter Anthony

Personal details

B 26 February 1935; *s* of Sir Walter Gilbey, 2nd Bt; *m* (1964) Jenifer Mary Price; 1 *s* 2 *dau*.

Education and qualifications

Eton College, Windsor.

Career

Merchant banker in City of London with Kleinwort Benson Limited 1954-62, Finance Director Gilbeys Limited and International Distillers and Vintners Ltd 1962-72; *Chairman* Mannin Trust Bank Limited 1972-82; *Chairman* Mannin International Limited 1982-88; *Director & Chairman* Vannin International Securities Limited 1972-date; *Chairman* Mannin Industries Limited 1972-date; *Director* Gilbey Farms Limited 1974-date; *Partner* Gilbey Grianagh Horses 1978-date; *Director* Isle of Man Steam Packet Company Limited 1976-date; *Chairman* Manx Telecom Limited 1986-date.



Local Authorities, Public Bodies, charities etc

Master, Isle of Man Bloodhounds Drag Hunt; *Secretary*, Manx Horse Council, *Chairman*, London Harness Horse Parade; *Treasurer* Shire Horse Society, Council Member, British Horse Foundation; *President* Foxdale Football Club and Member of various other local committees.

Parliamentary Career

Elected Berkshire County Council Conservative parliamentary candidate for Ealing Southall in 1974 election. Contested Glenfaba unsuccessfully 1976, 1981 (*Ind*); MHK (*Glenfaba*) 1982-2001 (*Ind*).

Government posts: *Chairman* Isle of Man Financial Supervision Commission 1991-99. *Minister* for Local Government and the Environment 1999-01; *Member* of the Isle of Man Police Advisory Group 1996-01; *Chairman* Whitley Council Official Side 1983-84, Forestry Mines and Lands Board 1983-86, *Member* Income Tax Commission 1983-86, Department of Local Government and Environment 1986-89, Department of Highways, Ports and Properties 1990-91, Department of Industry 1992-93, Treasury 1993-99.

Committees of Tynwald: *Advocates' Fees* 1987-91, *Ballacarmel Cottages* 1987-89, *Petition for Redress of Rhodes* 1990-91, *Freedom of Information* 1994-95, *Petition for Redress of McWilliams* 1994-95, *Petition for Redress of Mallon* 1994-95, *Tynwald Management* 1992-2001, *Treasury (Amendment) Bill* 1993, *Bill of Rights* 1993-99, *Equalisation of Pension Age* 1998-99, *Supply of Services (Exclusion of Implied Terms) Order* 1998, 1998-99, *Rushen Abbey* 1998, *Tynwald Ceremony Arrangements Committee* 1999-2001.

Executive Council Committees: *Administration* 1989-90.

Council of Ministers' Committees: Constitutional and External Relations 1992-99, Responsibilities of Government Departments: *Chairman* European Union Advisory Unit 1993-2001, Enquiry into Policing Committee appointed by Department of Home Affairs 1995.

Keys' Committees: Road Traffic Bill, Keys Standing Orders 1990-2001, Civil Jurisdiction and Judgements Bill 1992-93, Treasury (Amendment) Bill 1993-94.

Commonwealth Parliamentary Association

Attended CPA Study visits Westminster 1992, Brussels 1994.

Interests

Riding and showing horses