

KARRAN, Peter, MHK *Onchan (Lib Van)*

Personal details

B 20 May 1960; s of Thomas Frank and Dorothy Joyce Karran.

Education and qualifications

Douglas High School, College of Further Education.

Career

Joiner.



Local Authorities, Public Bodies, charities etc

Youth leader (before elected); Board of Education (non-Tynwald Member) (*IndLab*) 1982-85.

Parliamentary Career

Contested Middle unsuccessfully 1981 (*Ind Lab*); MHK (*Middle*) by-election, MHK (*Onchan*) (*Lab*) 1985-06, (*Onchan*) (*Lib Van*) 2006-date.

Government posts: *Chairman* Water Authority 1990-2003; *Member* Highway and Transport Board 1985-86, Board Consumer Affairs 1986, Department of Health and Social Security 1986-91, (special responsibility for social services) and 1996-2004, War Pensions Committee 1987-91, Department of Home Affairs 1991-93, Department of Education 1991-95, Department of Highways, Ports and Properties 1993-95, Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry 2004-06.

Committees of Tynwald: Trade Unions Legislation 1985-86, Petition for Redress 1985-86, Ecclesiastical 1987-91, Drug Abuse 1987-89, Tynwald Ceremony 1995-96, Petition for Redress of Grievance of Joan Mann 1998-99 (*Chairman*), Ministerial Government 1998-99, Tynwald Honours 1999-2002 and 2007-date, Standing Committee on Expenditure and Public Accounts 2002-06, Standing Committee on Expenditure and Public Accounts Sub-Committee on DoT In-House Capital Schemes 2003, Select Committee on the Petition for Redress of Grievance of Wendy and David Megson 2004-06, Petition for Redress of Grievance of John Michael Leather 2004-05, Select Committee on Queen's Pier 2005-06, PAC Sub-Committee on the MEA 2005-06, Select Committee on the Affairs of Braddan Commissioners 2007-09.

Keys' Committees: Treasury (Amendment) Bill 1993-94, Bill of Rights 1993-95, Death Penalty Abolition Bill 1992, Rehabilitation of Offenders Bill 1992-93, Treasury (Amendment) Bill 1993-94, Wildlife (Amendment) Bill 1994, Standing Orders 2006-date.

Commonwealth Parliamentary Association

Member Executive Committee 2002-06. Attended CPA Plenary Conference Barbados 1989 (visit to Prince Edward Island and Ottawa (on the way)); Caribbean Regional Conference Belize 1990; Regional Conference Gibraltar 1993, Westminster visit 1993, Isle of Man 1994, United Kingdom 1995, Malta 1996; Commonwealth Parliamentary Visit United Kingdom 1998, Dublin Visit 1999, Scotland 2001, Wales 2002.

Interests

Gaelic