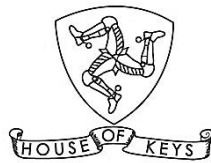


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ORDER PAPER Claare Obbyr

DOUGLAS
Tuesday 27th October 2020
at 10.00am

1. Questions for Oral Answer

1. The Hon. Member for Onchan (Ms Edge) to ask the Chief Minister –

What current visas have been issued broken down by a) category of designation
b) salary of roles and c) type of visa?

2. The Hon. Member for Onchan (Ms Edge) to ask the Chief Minister –

Pursuant to his Answer on 13th October 2020 if he will make a statement about
the Beamans Report?

3. The Hon. Member for Ramsey (Mr Hooper) to ask the Minister for Home Affairs –

What plans he has to introduce a minimum unit price for alcohol?

4. The Hon. Member for South Douglas (Mr Quine) to ask the Minister for Home
Affairs –

How many foot patrols have been carried out by the police around Saddlestone,
Pulrose, Spring Valley and Anagh Coar districts from October 2018 until the
present month?

5. The Hon. Member for Arbory, Castletown and Malew (Mr Moorhouse) to ask the Minister for Infrastructure –

What the Department's policy is for the maintenance and improvement of the houses they have constructed in the last 10 years?

6. The Hon. Member for Ramsey (Mr Hooper) to ask the Minister for Infrastructure –

What plans he has considered for a Friday night owl service (a) from Ramsey to Peel and (b) from Ramsey to Douglas via Peel?

7. The Hon. Member for Douglas Central (Mr Thomas) to ask the Minister for Policy and Reform –

What gas consumer regulation will be in place after the termination of the 2015 Gas Regulatory Agreement; and if he will make a statement about the protection a) afforded in each Manx Gas customer contract and b) arising from the 2015 Gas Regulatory Agreement after termination?

8. The Hon. Member for Douglas South (Mrs Christian) to ask the Minister for Enterprise –

If he will make a statement on progress with the legislative framework for production of medical cannabis?

9. The Hon. Member for Arbory, Castletown and Malew (Mr Moorhouse) to ask the Minister for Education, Sport and Culture –

How many students applied for post graduate loans in each of the last 3 years?

10. The Hon. Member for Ramsey (Mr Hooper) to ask the Minister for Education, Sport and Culture –

If he will publish the minimum standards, or the equivalent, which are expected of schools in respect of delivering remote or off-site learning; and if he will make a statement?

11. The Hon. Member for Douglas South (Mrs Christian) to ask the Minister for Health and Social Care –

How long a person had to wait from a first appointment with their GP to receiving treatment from a mental health professional in each of the last 4 years; and how this compares with waiting times in the United Kingdom?

12. The Hon. Member for Douglas Central (Mr Thomas) to ask the Chairman of the Office of Fair Trading –

Pursuant to his Answer in August, whether Manx Gas has given written notice under clause 3.2 of the 2015 Gas Regulation Agreement of its intention to reduce either the gas tariff or standing charge?

13. The Hon. Member for Douglas Central (Mr Thomas) to ask the Chairman of the Office of Fair Trading –

Pursuant to his Answer in August, if he will make a statement about any 2015 Gas Regulation Agreement clause 9.3 objection that costs were either incorrectly calculated or improperly incurred by Manx Gas, specifying the grounds and the consequences of any such objection?

14. The Hon. Member for Douglas Central (Mr Thomas) to ask the Chairman of the Office of Fair Trading –

What the average household gas bill is in the Island; and how the Office of Fair Trading carries out its functions to protect gas consumers?

15. The Hon. Member for Ramsey (Mr Hooper) to ask the Chairman of the Office of Fair Trading –

What plans he has to introduce changes to the legal measures for alcohol sales?

2. Questions for Written Answer

1. The Hon. Member for Arbory, Castletown and Malew (Mr Moorhouse) to ask the Minister for the Treasury –

If he will make a statement on the household composition of those households with a collective income below 60% of median income?

2. The Hon. Member for Arbory, Castletown and Malew (Mr Moorhouse) to ask the Minister for the Treasury –

Following his commitment to support up to 1,000 jobs and to take the Island forward to a greener, cleaner future, in the July 2020 budget debate, how he will achieve this and what progress he has made in the last three months?

3. The Hon. Member for Douglas Central (Mr Thomas) to ask the Minister for Policy and Reform –

What drafting instructions have been issued (a) to amend the Gas Regulation Act 1995 and (b) to provide for statutory gas regulation in any other way; and when these drafting instructions were issued?

4. The Hon. Member for Douglas Central (Mr Thomas) to ask the Minister for Policy and Reform –

What primary and secondary legislation under the Equality and Road Traffic legislation covers accessibility and construction and use of vehicles, with special reference to buses; and how the Confederation of Passenger Transport Code of Practice aimed at regularising the carriage of mobility scooters and other mobility devices on buses (a) has been and (b) will be applied on the Island?

5. The Hon. Member for Ramsey (Mr Hooper) to ask the Minister for Education, Sport and Culture –

What quality assurance work (a) is being undertaken and (b) is proposed in respect of remote learning provision in schools?

6. The Hon. Member for Douglas Central (Mr Thomas) to ask the Minister for Education, Sport and Culture –

How many staff left University College Isle of Man in each of the last two years, broken down by occupation; what their reasons were for ceasing their employment; and if he will make a statement?

7. The Hon. Member for Ramsey (Mr Hooper) to ask the Minister for Home Affairs –

When the last external, independent inspection of the Isle of Man Constabulary took place; who undertook it; and what the policy is on regular external inspection of Isle of Man Constabulary?

8. The Hon. Member for South Douglas (Mr Quine) to ask the Minister for Infrastructure –

How many U.K. consultants have been engaged by Ronaldsway Airport in the past two years; on what basis they were engaged; and what the scope was of their work?

9. The Hon. Member for Ramsey (Mr Hooper) to ask the Minister for Infrastructure –

If he will publish the report for the recent mobility scooter trial; what it was that enabled the Department a) to consider the outcomes of the trial and b) to determine the success or otherwise of the trial; and what steps would be necessary in order for a scheme similar to the CPT Mobility Scooter code to be implemented on the Island?

10. The Hon. Member for Onchan (Ms Edge) to ask the Minister for Infrastructure –

How much (a) general rates revenue and b) housing rental income was received; how much was held in (c) general reserve and (d) housing reserve; and how much was spent on (e) non-housing-related expenditure and (f) housing-related expenditure; and to what extent housing related expenditure was based on general rate revenue; each category broken down by Local Authority for each year between 2015 and 2020?

11. The Hon. Member for Douglas Central (Mr Thomas) to ask the Minister for Infrastructure –

What is his policy for purchase and adaptation of buses to enable users of mobility devices including mobility scooters to travel by public transport; and if he will make a statement about the accessibility of buses which have been purchased since the Equality Act came into force?

12. The Hon. Member for Douglas Central (Mr Thomas) to ask the Minister for Infrastructure –

To which bus operators Bus Vannin has sold buses in the last five years; whether any of those vehicles are being used to carry any type of mobility scooters; and whether and how the buses have been modified to enable such carriage?

3. Statement by the Chairman of the Education Bill Committee (Mr Moorhouse)

4. Bills for Second Reading

4.1 Human Tissue & Organ Donation Bill 2020

Mr Perkins

4.2 Medicines (Amendment Bill) 2020

Mr Ashford

5 Leave to Introduce

The Hon. Member for Garff (Mrs Caine) to move –

That Leave be given to introduce a Private Member's Bill to amend section 2(3)(b) of the Council of Ministers Act 1990; and for connected purposes.

6. Consideration of Clauses

6.1 Courts Tribunals and Local Authority Procedures and Miscellaneous Provisions Bill 2020

Mr Harmer

Tabled Amendments

Clause 5	Mr Shimmins
Clause 13	Mr Shimmins
Clause 17	Mr Cregeen
Clause 24	Mr Ashford
Clause 28	Mr Thomas
New division	Mr Thomas

After Consideration of Clauses:

The Hon. Member for Glenfaba and Peel (Mr Harmer MHK) to move –

That Standing Orders, in particular Standing Order 4.11(1), be suspended to permit the Third Reading of the Courts, Tribunals and Local Authority Procedures, and Miscellaneous Provisions Bill 2020 be taken at this sitting.

6.2 International Maritime Standards Bill 2020

Mr Baker

Tabled Amendments

Clause 3	Mr Skelly
Schedule 3	Mr Skelly

6.3 Manx Care Bill 2020

Mr Ashford

Tabled Amendments

Clause 11 *Mrs Barber*

Clause 13 *Mrs Barber*

Clause 22 *Mrs Barber*

Schedule 1 *Mrs Barber*

Schedule 5 *Mrs Barber*

7. Further Consideration of Council Amendments

7.1 Communications Bill 2018

Mr Cregeen

Roger Phillips

Secretary of the House

**COURTS, TRIBUNALS AND LOCAL AUTHORITY
PROCEDURES, AND MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS
BILL 2020**

**CONSIDERATION OF CLAUSES
CONCATENATED LIST OF AMENDMENTS**

AMENDMENTS TO CLAUSE 5

1. Page 11, after line 2 insert —
 - “(21) The court may, in giving a live video link direction under this section direct—
 - (a) that the proceedings are to be broadcast in the manner specified in the direction for the purpose of enabling members of the public to see and hear the proceedings;
 - (b) that a recording of the proceedings is to be made in the manner specified in the direction for the purpose of enabling the court to keep an audio-visual record of the proceedings.
 - (22) The court may, in giving a live audio link direction under this section direct—
 - (a) the proceedings are to be broadcast in the manner specified in the direction for the purpose of enabling members of the public to hear the proceedings;
 - (b) that a recording of the proceedings is to be made in the manner specified in the direction for the purpose of enabling the court to keep an audio record of the proceedings.
 - (23) A direction under subsection (21) and (22) may relate to the whole, or to part, of the proceedings concerned.” (Mr Shimmins MHK)

AMENDMENT OF CLAUSE 13

2. Page 15, after line 2, insert —

- “(7) A relevant tribunal may, in deciding to use a live video link in a hearing also decide—
- (a) that the proceedings are to be broadcast in a manner specified by it for the purpose of enabling members of the public to see and hear the proceedings;
 - (b) that a recording of the proceedings is to be made in the manner specified by it for the purpose of enabling it to keep an audio-visual record of the proceedings.
- (8) A relevant tribunal may, in deciding to use a live audio link in a hearing also decide—
- (a) the proceedings are to be broadcast in the manner specified by it for the purpose of enabling members of the public to hear the proceedings;
 - (b) that a recording of the proceedings is to be made in the manner specified by it for the purpose of enabling it to keep an audio record of the proceedings.
- (9) A decision referred to in subsection (7) and (8) may relate to the whole, or to part, of the proceedings concerned.” (Mr B Shimmins MHK)
- (Note: If this amendment succeeds the following amendment shall be re-numbered (10) accordingly)*

3. Page 15, after line 2 insert —

- “(7) The following matters are to be disregarded for the purposes of subsections (5) and (6)—
- (a) the extent (if any) to which a person is unable to—
 - (i) see by reason of any impairment of eyesight, or
 - (ii) hear by reason of any impairment of hearing;
 - (b) the effect of any direction or order which provides for one person taking part in proceedings to be prevented by means of a screen or other arrangement from seeing another person taking part in the proceedings.” (Mr G Cregeen MHK)

AMENDMENT TO CLAUSE 17

4. Page 16, for lines 16 to 19 substitute —

- “(5) A defendant may —

- (a) request a senior officer to review the conditions attached to bail and such an officer may confirm, revoke, add to or vary those conditions, and
- (b) if dissatisfied with the decision of a senior officer referred to in paragraph (a), apply in writing to a justice of the peace for a review of such conditions, and the justice of the peace is to decide the matter after seeking the written views of the prosecution on the application.”
(Mr G Cregeen MHK)

AMENDMENT TO CLAUSE 24

5. Page 19, for lines 5 and 6 substitute —

“(d) **“O’s representative”** means any of the following—

- (a) a donee of a power of attorney;
- (b) a person appointed by the court to represent the interests of O;
- (c) any person involved in the care and treatment of O (whether professionally or otherwise and whether or not for remuneration);
- (d) any person whom the Department is satisfied holds themselves out (with or without the express or implied consent of O) as O’s representative.” (Mr D Ashford MHK)

AMENDMENT OF CLAUSE 28

6. Page 20, after line 23 insert —

“(2) In the following provisions, for “Cabinet Office” substitute “Council of Ministers” —

- (a) section 51B(1);
- (b) section 51C(1);
- (c) section 51D(1);
- (d) section 51G(7);
- (e) section 51H(6);
- (f) section 51L(3) and (4);
- (g) section 51M(2) and (10);
- (h) section 51N(1);
- (i) section 51(O)(1)(b), (c) and (d);

- (j) section 51PA;
- (k) section 51Q(1).
- (3) In section 51I(6) for “Department” substitute “Council of Ministers”.
- (4) After section 51A (infection or contamination), insert —
“51AA The Public Health Protection Body
 - (1) The Council of Ministers may, by order (“the constitution order”), constitute a body (the “the Public Health Protection Body”) to carry out any of the functions under this Act to which subsection (5) applies.
 - (2) The constitution order may in particular provide for —
 - (a) the constitution of the body and its sub-bodies;
 - (b) the terms of office of members;
 - (c) termination of membership;
 - (d) proceedings and procedure;
 - (e) without limiting paragraph (d) —
 - (i) the appointment of a chairpersons;
 - (ii) voting procedures; and
 - (iii) the quorum of the body and sub-bodies; and
 - (f) such transitional arrangements as the Council of Ministers considers necessary or expedient.
 - (3) The Council of Ministers shall appoint the members of the body.
 - (4) Schedule 2 to the Government Departments Act 1987 applies to the body as it applies to a Department and accordingly references in that Schedule to a Department shall be read as including a reference to the PHPB.
 - (5) This subsection applies to any function —
 - (a) performed by the PHPB and specified in the constitution order;
 - (b) which the Council of Ministers authorises the PHPB to exercise under section 3 of the Government Departments Act 1987; or
 - (c) which is transferred to the body by an order under Schedule 2 to the Government Departments Act 1987.

- (6) The Council of Ministers shall arrange for the publication of an authorisation referred to in subsection (5)(b) in a manner the Council considers will bring it to the attention of those likely to be affected by it.”
- (5) In section 51B (health protection regulations: international travel etc) –
- (a) in the heading, for “international travel etc” substitute “travel across borders”;
- (b) in subsection (2) (g) after “health” insert “ or the health of others”.”

Re-number following subsections accordingly (Mr C Thomas MHK)

7. Page 20, after line 35 insert –
- “(6) In section 51Q (Tynwald control: regulations and orders), for subsection (5) substitute –
- “(5) A public document to which subsection (3) applies ceases to have effect at the end of the period of 14 days beginning with the day on which it is made unless, before that time, Tynwald has approved it.
- (5A) If Tynwald is not due to sit during the period referred to in subsection (5) the President of Tynwald must summon Tynwald to meet on a day specified by the President within that period.
- (5B) Where it is not reasonably practicable for Tynwald to sit within the period referred to in subsection (5A), the President of Tynwald must summon Tynwald to sit on the earliest day it is capable of sitting thereafter.
- (5C) Where subsection (5B) applies, a public document shall continue in operation pending its approval (or otherwise) by Tynwald.”
- (7) After subsection (7), insert –
- “(8) If a public document to which this section applies ceases to have effect as a result of Tynwald’s failing to approve it, any Manx legislation amended or repealed by the document is revived on the passing of the resolution.” (Mr C Thomas MHK)

NEW DIVISION

8. Page 20, after Division 2 – PUBLIC HEALTH, insert the following new Division –

“DIVISION 3 – INTERPRETATION

29 Amendment of the Interpretation Act 2015

- (1) The Interpretation Act 2015 is amended as follows.
- (2) In the Schedule (defined terms), at the appropriate place insert –

““meeting” includes, unless the context otherwise requires, a virtual as well as a physical meeting.””

Re-number following Divisions and clauses accordingly (Mr C Thomas MHK)

INTERNATIONAL MARITIME STANDARDS BILL 2020

CONSIDERATION OF CLAUSES

Mr Skelly to move —

AMENDMENT TO CLAUSE 3

1. Page 6, line 6, in the definition of “**relevant international conventions**” in subsection (1), in paragraph (c)(i), for “4 August 2013” substitute «4 December 2013».

AMENDMENTS TO SCHEDULE 3

2. Page 16, in the item numbered ‘4.’ in the table, in the second column, for “(in 4)” substitute «(in 3)».
3. Page 16, in the item numbered ‘4.’ in the table, in the third column, for “**Attach.**” substitute —
| «**Provide brief description here, and attach to this form any necessary supporting document(s).**».
4. Page 16, in the item numbered ‘5.’ in the table, in the second column, for “(in 4)” substitute «(in 3)».
5. Page 16, in the item numbered ‘5.’ in the table, in the fourth column, for “(reason to be provided)” substitute «(provide reason here and, if needed, on attached document(s))».
6. Page 16, the item numbered ‘6.’ in the table, in the second column, for “(5)” substitute «(4)».
7. Page 16, in the item numbered ‘7.’ in the table, in the second column, for “(in 4)” substitute «(in 2)».
8. Page 16, in the item numbered ‘8.’ in the table, in the second column, for “(in 1)” substitute «(in 3)».

9. Page 16, in the item numbered '9.' in the table, in the second column, for "(4)" substitute «(3)».

MANX CARE BILL

**CONSIDERATION OF CLAUSES –
CONCATENATED LIST OF AMENDMENTS**

AMENDMENT TO CLAUSE 11

1. Page 17, after line 5 insert –

“(4) Any apology, offer of treatment or redress offered by the Department pursuant to this section or otherwise, shall not of itself amount to an admission of negligence or breach of statutory duty.” (Mrs Barber)

AMENDMENT TO CLAUSE 13

2. Page 17, after line 24 insert—

“(5) Any contracts or agreements entered into by the Department which are connected to, or dependent on, or have as their subject matter a function of the Department which is the subject of the mandate are deemed to be novated to Manx Care and references to the Department in such contracts and agreements are (unless the context otherwise requires) to be read as references to Manx Care.” (Mrs Barber)

AMENDMENT TO CLAUSE 22

Page 20, in line 5, after “social” insert “care”. (Mrs Barber)

AMENDMENT TO SCHEDULE 1

3. Page 35, after line 13 insert –

“10 Inspections: additional

(1) Where, in carrying out an inspection referred to in paragraph 7 or 8, the inspector identifies a matter which is not within the remit of the inspection being undertaken but which the inspector considers should or could be the subject of an inspection, the inspector must –

- (a) immediately notify the Department and Manx Care in writing of that fact including the reasons why the inspector considers that matter should or could be the subject of inspection; and
 - (b) make express reference to that matter in the inspector's report together with the reasons why the inspector considers that matter should or could be the subject of inspection and any recommendations or suggestions in respect of it.
- (2) Where Manx Care receives such a notification, it must address the matter identified as part of its observations and responses under paragraph 9(5) to the inspector's report.
- (3) Where the Department receives such a notification it must –
- (a) consider what steps are necessary to deal with the matter identified and, in particular, determine whether it should be dealt with as part of the next scheduled inspection or should be the subject of a non-scheduled inspection; and
 - (b) publish a response addressing that matter and associated recommendations or suggestions which may be in the form of a separate document or may form part of the publication referred to in paragraph 9(6)."

Re-number existing paragraphs 10 and 11 of Schedule 1 as paragraphs 11 and 12 respectively. (Mrs Barber)

AMENDMENTS TO SCHEDULE 5

4. Page 42, for lines 7 to 9 substitute –

"1 The *Local Government Act 1946* is amended as follows.

- 2 In section 23 (provision for early notification of births) –

- (a) in subsection (1) after "the Department)" insert "or, as the case may be, Manx Care (a Statutory Board established under the Manx Care Act 20XX)";
- (b) for subsection (2) substitute –
 - "(2) Notice under this section shall–
 - (a) be given within thirty-six hours of the birth;
 - (b) contain the required information;
 - (c) be given to the Department, or as applicable, Manx Care ("the applicable addressee") either –

- (i) by a prepaid letter or postcard addressed to the applicable addressee at its office, or
- (ii) by delivering a written notice to the applicable addressee at its office.

The applicable addressee shall, upon application being made to it, supply without charge to any medical practitioner or midwife residing or practising within this Isle addressed and stamped postcards containing the form of notice”.

3 In section 24 (inspection) after “the Department” insert “or, as the case may be, Manx Care (a Statutory Board established under the Manx Care Act 20XX)”.

Re-number subsequent provisions accordingly. (Mrs Barber)

5. Page 42, after line 18 insert —

“Family Law Reform (Isle of Man) Act 1971

5 In section 14(1) of the *Family Law Reform (Isle of Man) Act 1971* (power to provide for manner of giving effect to direction for the use of scientific tests) in paragraph (a) and (e) after “Department of Health and Social Care” insert “or, as the case may be, Manx Care (a Statutory Board established under the Manx Care Act 20XX).”

Re-number subsequent provisions accordingly. (Mrs Barber)

6. Page 43, after line 20 insert —

“15 In section 28(12) (anti-social behaviour orders) after “the Department of Health and Social Care,” insert “Manx Care,”.

Re-number subsequent provisions accordingly. (Mrs Barber)

7. Page 43, in line 21 for “35(10)(b)” substitute “35(10)(b)”. (Mrs Barber)

8. Page 43, line 28, before “Manx Care (a Statutory” insert “or, as the case may be,”. (Mrs Barber)

9. Page 44, for lines 11 to 16 substitute —

“(b) for paragraph (b) substitute —

- “(b) arrangements to be made by the Department for dealing with complaints made by or on behalf of persons who are or have been provided with services under a mandate referred to in the Manx Care Act 20XX;
- (c) the procedure for the making of a complaint including to whom it may be made and the matters in respect of which it may be made;
- (d) the steps to be taken by the Department for publicising arrangements under this section.”” (Mrs Barber)

10. Page 44, for lines 18 to 25 substitute —

“22 The *Education Act 2001* is amended as follows.

23 In section 30 (education supervision orders) —

- (a) in subsection (1) after “DHSC” insert “or, as appropriate, Manx Care”;
- (b) in subsection (3) after “DHSC” insert “or, as the case may be, Manx Care”;
- (c) in subsection (4) after “DHSC” insert “or, as the case may be, Manx Care”;
- (d) after subsection (5) insert —
 - “(6) “Manx Care” means the Statutory Board established under the Manx Care Act 20XX.”

24 In Schedule 5 (education supervision orders) —

- (a) in paragraph 1(1) (effect of orders) after “DHSC” and “that Department” insert “or, as the case may be, Manx Care”;
- (b) in paragraph 3(a) (cancellation of school attendance order) after “DHSC” insert “or, as appropriate, Manx Care”;
- (c) in paragraph 5(2) (duration of orders) after “DHSC” insert “or, as appropriate, Manx Care”;
- (d) in paragraph 7(c) (revocation of orders) after “DHSC” insert “or, as appropriate, Manx Care”.”

Re-number subsequent provisions accordingly. (Mrs Barber)

11. Page 45, after line 5 insert —

“(1B) Notwithstanding subsections (1) and (1A), a person aggrieved by a decision of Manx Care in respect of social care services or carer support provided by it under the Manx Care Act 20XX may complain directly to the Independent Review body constituted under this section without first complaining to the Department.

(1C) Notwithstanding subsections (1) and (1A), a person aggrieved by a decision of a person with whom Manx Care has entered into an agreement under section 17 of the Manx Care Act 20XX (a section 17 provider) in respect of social care services or carer support provided by that section 17 provider under that agreement, may complain directly to the Independent Review body constituted under this section without first complaining to Manx Care.” (Mrs Barber)

12. Page 46, insert as new line 1—

“36 In section 140(1) (what is “social care work” and who is a “social care worker”) after “Department” insert “or Manx Care”.”

Re-number subsequent provisions accordingly. (Mrs Barber)

COMMUNICATIONS BILL 2018

**FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF COUNCIL
AMENDMENTS**

At an earlier stage the Keys passed the Bill and the Council passed it too, but with amendments in respect of the Chairmanship of the Commission. The Keys rejected the amendments in that respect and Council reconsidered them, but did not agree with the Keys. The Keys rejected the Council's position a second time. However, following a communication from the Keys, HM Attorney General moved that the Council should further amend its amendment on the composition of the Commission. The result is set out in New Clause 1 below.

Mr Cregeen will move that the Keys concur with the Council in the amendments as set out below.

Page and line references are to the Bill as reprinted for Legislative Council.

AMENDMENT TO CLAUSE 2

1. Page 17, after line 21 insert—
“(c) section [NC1] (Chair of the Commission);”.
Renumber the subsequent paragraphs of subsection (3) of the Clause accordingly.

INSERTION OF NEW CLAUSE 1

2. Page 29, after line 33 insert—

“NC1 Chair of the Commission

- (1) Not later than 30 April 2021, the Council of Ministers must by order under this section amend the *Communications Commission Order 1989*¹ to provide that —
 - (a) the chair of the Commission is to be a person who is not a member of Tynwald;

¹ GC 74/89

- (b) in recommending members of the Commission for appointment the Appointments Commission and the Council of Ministers must have regard to the importance of demonstrating compliance with the 7 principles of public life (commonly known as “the Nolan principles”²) and that members of the Commission, other than the member nominated under paragraph (c) are—
 - (i) politically independent; and
 - (ii) commercially independent; and
 - (c) one member of the Commission shall be a member of Tynwald elected by Tynwald on the nomination of the Council of Ministers, who shall be entitled to speak, but not to vote, at meetings of the Commission.
- (2) After the coming into operation of the order required by subsection (1), the powers in section 5 of the *Statutory Boards Act 1987* as read with paragraph 2 of Schedule 1 to the *Government Departments Act 1987* may not be exercised so as to reverse the effect of that subsection.”.

Renumber the succeeding clauses of the Bill and adjust cross-references accordingly.

² See the guidance published by the UK Committee on Standards in Public Life on 31 May 1995.