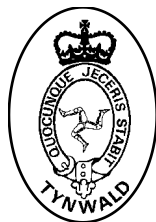


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VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

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DOUGLAS - VIRTUAL SITTING
Tuesday 5th May 2020
at 2.30 pm

IN THE COUNCIL

PRESENT President of Tynwald, The Lord Bishop, HM Attorney General, Miss August-Hanson, Mr Greenhill, Mr Henderson, Mrs Lord-Brennan, Mrs Maska, Mr Mercer, Mrs Poole-Wilson, Mrs Sharpe

IN THE KEYS

PRESENT Speaker of the House of Keys, Dr Allinson, Mr Ashford, Mr Baker, Mrs Barber, Mr Boot, Mrs Caine, Mr Callister, Mr Cannan, Mrs Corlett, Miss Costain, Mr Cregeen, Ms Edge, Mr Harmer, Mr Hooper, Mr Moorhouse, Mr Peake, Mr Perkins, Mr Quayle, Mr Robertshaw, Mr Shimmins, Mr Skelly, Mr Thomas

1. Suspension of Standing Orders (virtual sitting)

Motion made –

That Standing Orders be suspended to the extent necessary to take this sitting virtually.

Mr Speaker

Motion carried.

2. Suspension of Standing Orders (Government business)

The Chief Minister to move –

That Standing Orders be suspended to the extent necessary to allow items 3 to 8 on the Order Paper to be taken at this sitting.

Mr Quayle

Motion carried.

3. Laid before the Court –

Emergency Powers Act 1936

Emergency Powers (Coronavirus) (Closure of Businesses and Other Premises (Amendment No.3) Regulations 2020 [[SD No 2020/0273](#)]

Emergency Powers (Coronavirus) (Closure of Businesses and Other Premises) (Amendment) (No. 4) Regulations 2020 [[SD No 2020/0278](#)]

Financial Provisions and Currency Act 2011

Enterprise Development (Amendment) Scheme 2020 [[SD No 2020/0264](#)]
[MEMO]

Report

Stay Safe – Isle of Man Government medium-term response to COVID-19
[[GD No 2020/0013](#)]

The remaining item was not the subject of a motion on the Order Paper

Report

Standing Committee of Tynwald on Public Accounts Emergency Scrutiny First Report for the Session 2019-20: Returning Residents [[PP No 2020/0094](#)]

4. Coronavirus (COVID-19)

Statement made by the Chief Minister.

5. Isle of Man Government's Medium-Term Response to COVID-19

The Chief Minister to move –

That Tynwald receives and endorses the report Stay Safe – Isle of Man Government medium-term Response to COVID-19 [[GD No 2020/0013](#)].

Mr Quayle

Motion carried.

6. Emergency Powers Act 1936

The Minister for Enterprise to move –

That Tynwald approves the continuance of the Emergency Powers (Coronavirus) (Closure of Businesses and Other Premises) (Amendment) (No.3) Regulations 2020 [[SD No 2020/0273](#)].

Mr Skelly

Motion carried.

7. Emergency Powers Act 1936

The Minister for Environment, Food and Agriculture to move –

That Tynwald approves the continuance of the Emergency Powers (Coronavirus) (Closure of Businesses and Other Premises) (Amendment) (No. 4) Regulations 2020 [[SD No 2020/0278](#)].

Mr Boot

Motion carried.

8. Financial Provisions and Currency Act 2011

The Minister for Enterprise to move –

That the Enterprise Development (Amendment) Scheme 2020 [[SD No 2020/0264](#)] [[MEMO](#)] be approved.

Mr Skelly

Motion carried.

9. Suspension of Standing Orders (Parliamentary Business)

Mr Speaker to move –

That Standing Orders be suspended to the extent necessary to allow items 10 to 13 on the Order Paper to be taken at this sitting.

Mr Speaker

Motion carried.

10. Public Accounts Committee

Mr Hooper and Mrs Lord-Brennan were proposed and seconded as Vice Chair.

After a ballot, Mr Hooper was elected.

Ballot results

Mr Hooper	28
Mrs Lord-Brennan	4

Mr Hooper:

Dr Allinson	Mr Greenhill
Mr Ashford	Mr Harmer
Miss August-Hanson	Mr Henderson
Mr Baker	Mr Hooper
Mrs Barber	Mrs Maska
Lord Bishop	Mr Moorhouse
Mr Boot	Mr Perkins
Mrs Caine	Mrs Poole-Wilson
Mr Callister	Mr Quayle
Mr Cannan	Mrs Sharpe
Mrs Corlett	Mr Shimmins
Miss Costain	Mr Skelly
Mr Cregeen	Mr Speaker
Ms Edge	Mr Thomas

Mrs Lord-Brennan:

Mrs Lord-Brennan
Mr Mercer
Mr Peake
Mr Robertshaw

11. Social Affairs Policy Review Committee

Miss August-Hanson, Ms Edge and Mrs Lord-Brennan were proposed and seconded as Chair.

After a ballot, Ms Edge was elected as Chair.

Ballot results

Miss August-Hanson	5
Ms Edge	17
Mrs Lord-Brennan	10

Miss August-Hanson:

Miss August-Hanson	Mr Hooper
Mrs Barber	Mr Mercer
Miss Costain	

Ms Edge:

Dr Allinson
Mr Ashford
Mr Baker
Mr Boot
Mr Cannan
Mrs Corlett
Mr Cregeen
Ms Edge
Mr Greenhill

Mr Harmer
Mrs Maska
Mr Moorhouse
Mr Peake
Mr Perkins
Mr Quayle
Mr Skelly
Mr Thomas

Mrs Lord-Brennan:

Lord Bishop
Mrs Caine
Mr Callister
Mr Henderson
Mrs Lord-Brennan

Mrs Poole-Wilson
Mr Robertshaw
Mrs Sharpe
Mr Shimmins
Mr Speaker

Miss August-Hanson, Mr Greenhill and Mrs Lord-Brennan were proposed and seconded as a Member to replace Ms Edge.

After a ballot, Mrs Lord-Brennan was not elected as a Member.

Ballot result

Miss August-Hanson	13
Mr Greenhill	15
Mrs Lord-Brennan	4

Miss August-Hanson:

Miss August-Hanson
Mrs Barber
Mrs Caine
Mr Callister
Miss Costain
Mr Hooper
Mrs Lord-Brennan

Mr Mercer
Mrs Poole-Wilson
Mr Robertshaw
Mrs Sharpe
Mr Shimmins
Mr Speaker

Mr Greenhill:

Dr Allinson
Mr Ashford
Mr Baker
Lord Bishop
Mr Boot

Ms Edge
Mr Greenhill
Mr Harmer
Mr Perkins
Mr Quayle

Mr Cannan
Mrs Corlett
Mr Cregeen

Mr Skelly
Mr Thomas

Mrs Lord-Brennan:

Mr Henderson
Mrs Maska

Mr Moorhouse
Mr Peake

After a second ballot, Mr Greenhill was elected as a Member.

Ballot result

Miss August-Hanson	15
Mr Greenhill	17

Miss August-Hanson:

Miss August-Hanson
Mrs Barber
Mrs Caine
Mr Callister
Miss Costain
Mr Hooper
Mrs Lord-Brennan
Mrs Maska

Mr Mercer
Mr Moorhouse
Mrs Poole-Wilson
Mr Robertshaw
Mrs Sharpe
Mr Shimmins
Mr Speaker

Mr Greenhill:

Dr Allinson
Mr Ashford
Mr Baker
Lord Bishop
Mr Boot
Mr Cannan
Mrs Corlett
Mr Cregeen
Ms Edge

Mr Greenhill
Mr Harmer
Mr Henderson
Mr Peake
Mr Perkins
Mr Quayle
Mr Skelly
Mr Thomas

12. Emergency Scrutiny Arrangements

Mr Speaker to move –

That the following temporary amendments be made to the Standing Orders of Tynwald Court –

Amendment 1

In Standing Order 11.4(1), before the definition of “Member”, add ““coronavirus emergency period” means the period for which the following proclamations are in operation –

- (a) the Proclamation of Emergency dated 16 March 2020; and
 - (b) all subsequent consecutive Proclamations of Emergency that relate to the pandemic of Coronavirus (also known as COVID-19);
- and any subsequent period during which continuation regulations are in operation under section 4A of the Emergency Powers Act 1936.’

Amendment 2

In paragraph 3.2 of the Schedule, for “paragraph 3.6” substitute “paragraphs 3.6 and 3.7”

Amendment 3

After paragraph 3.6 of the Schedule, add –

- “3.7 (a) During the coronavirus emergency period the Committee may co-opt Members from those who would be eligible for election to the Committee.
- (b) A co-opted Member may sit only when a matter relating to the pandemic is being considered.
 - (c) No more than three co-opted Members may sit at any one time.
 - (d) A co-opted Member shall not count towards the quorum of the Committee.
 - (e) Standing Order 5.1(1) (Members bound to serve) shall not apply to co-opted Members.

and that these amendments will lapse six months after the end of the coronavirus emergency period as defined within Amendment 1.

Mr Speaker

Court divided.

In the Keys – Ayes 11, Noes 12

For: Mr Baker, Mrs Barber, Mrs Caine, Mr Callister, Miss Costain, Mr Hooper, Mr Perkins, Mr Robertshaw, Mr Shimmins, Mr Thomas, Mr Speaker

Against: Dr Allinson, Mr Ashford, Mr Boot, Mr Cannan, Mrs Corlett, Mr Cregeen, Ms Edge, Mr Harmer, Mr Moorhouse, Mr Peake, Mr Quayle, Mr Skelly

In the Council – Ayes 8, Noes 1

For: The Lord Bishop, Miss August-Hanson, Mr Henderson, Mrs Lord-Brennan, Mrs Maska, Mr Mercer, Mrs Poole-Wilson, Mrs Sharpe

Against: Mr Greenhill

Motion lost.

13. Committee on Emergency Legislation

The Hon. Member of the Council, Mrs Lord-Brennan, to move –

That the following temporary amendments be made to the Standing Orders of Tynwald Court –

Amendment 1

To add at the end of Standing Order 5.6(1) the words “the Committee on Emergency Legislation”.

Amendment 2

In Standing Order 11.4(1), before the definition of “Member”, add ““coronavirus emergency period” means the period for which the following proclamations are in operation –

(a) the Proclamation of Emergency dated 16 March 2020; and

(b) all subsequent consecutive Proclamations of Emergency that relate to the pandemic of Coronavirus (also known as COVID-19);

and any subsequent period during which continuation regulations are in operation under section 4A of the Emergency Powers Act 1936.’

Amendment 3

To add at the end of the Schedule –

“11. Standing Committee on Emergency Legislation

11.1 There shall be a Standing Committee of the Court on Emergency Legislation.

11.2 The Committee shall have three Members.

11.3 The Committee shall examine such items of emergency legislation as it may see fit, and may report.

11.4 In paragraph 11.3 –

“the emergency” means the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic in relation to which a Proclamation of Emergency was made on 16 March 2020; and

“emergency legislation” includes all primary and secondary legislation made as a direct or indirect response to the emergency.

11.5 The Committee shall go out of existence six months after the end of the coronavirus emergency period.

and that these amendments will lapse six months after the end of the coronavirus emergency period as defined within Amendment 2.

Mrs Lord-Brennan

Court divided.

In the Keys – Ayes 7, Noes 16

For: Mrs Barber, Mrs Caine, Miss Costain, Mr Perkins, Mr Robertshaw, Mr Shimmins, Mr Speaker

Against: Dr Allinson, Mr Ashford, Mr Baker, Mr Boot, Mr Callister, Mr Cannan, Mrs Corlett, Mr Cregeen, Ms Edge, Mr Harmer, Mr Hooper, Mr Moorhouse, Mr Peake, Mr Quayle, Mr Skelly, Mr Thomas

In the Council – Ayes 6, Noes 3

For: Miss August-Hanson, Mrs Lord-Brennan, Mrs Maska, Mr Mercer, Mrs Poole-Wilson, Mrs Sharpe

Against: The Lord Bishop, Mr Greenhill, Mr Henderson

Motion lost.

The Court adjourned at 6.40 pm.

**The Hon Stephen Charles Rodan
President of Tynwald**