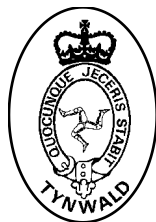


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VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

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DOUGLAS - VIRTUAL SITTING
Tuesday 12th 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

Royal Assent announced

Registration of Business Names (Amendment) Act 2020

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. Urgent Questions

1. Mr Moorhouse asked an Urgent Question under Standing Order 3.5(4) that was answered orally by the Chief Minister:

When the Council of Ministers discussed the cancellation of the Senior Race Day Bank Holiday?

2. Mr Moorhouse asked an Urgent Question under Standing Order 3.5(4) that was answered orally by the Chief Minister:

If he will make a statement on how the proposed quarantine regulations introduced by the UK government will affect Island residents who want to travel to the UK or need to travel through the UK on their way home?

3. Mr Moorhouse asked an Urgent Question under Standing Order 3.5(4) that was answered orally by the Minister for Enterprise:

If he will make a statement on applications that were originally deemed ineligible for the Coronavirus Business Support Scheme; and whether similar issues have been experienced with regard to other support schemes which the Department is administering?

4. Miss Costain asked an Urgent Question under Standing Order 3.5(4) that was answered orally by the Minister for Infrastructure:

If he will make a statement regarding the horse tram lines stopping at the War Memorial rather than at the Sea Terminal?

3. Urgent Motion

Mrs Barber, having given written notice to the President and supported by four other Members rising, sought leave under Standing Order 2.8 that a matter of urgent public importance be discussed.

Court divided.

In the Keys – Ayes 9, Noes 14

For: Mrs Barber, Mrs Caine, Mr Callister, Miss Costain, Ms Edge, Mr Hooper, Mr Moorhouse, Mr Perkins, Mr Speaker

Against: Dr Allinson, Mr Ashford, Mr Baker, Mr Boot, Mr Cannan, Mrs Corlett, Mr Cregeen, Mr Harmer, Mr Peake, Mr Quayle, Mr Robertshaw, Mr Shimmins, Mr Skelly, Mr Thomas

In the Council – Ayes 5, Noes 4

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

Against: The Lord Bishop, Mr Greenhill, Mr Henderson, Mrs Lord-Brennan

Leave not given.

4. Suspension of Standing Orders (Government business)

Motion made –

That Standing Orders be suspended to the extent necessary to allow items 5 to 14 on the Order Paper to be taken at this sitting.

Mr Quayle

Motion carried.

5. Laid before the Court –

Emergency Powers Act 1936

Emergency Powers (Coronavirus) (Entry Restrictions) (No. 2) Regulations 2020 [[SD No 2020/0279](#)]

Emergency Powers (Coronavirus) (Provision of Temporary Accommodation) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 [[SD No 2020/0280](#)]

Emergency Powers (Coronavirus) (Events and Gatherings) (Amendment) (No. 3) Regulations 2020 [[SD No 2020/0272](#)]

Emergency Powers (Potentially Infectious Persons) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2020 [[SD No 2020/0251](#)]

Emergency Powers (Prohibitions on Movement) (Amendment) (No. 4) Regulations 2020 [[SD No 2020/0276](#)]

Emergency Powers (Coronavirus) (Closure of Businesses and Other Premises) (Amendment) (No. 5) Regulations 2020 [[SD No 2020/0293](#)]

Financial Provisions and Currency Act 2011

Coronavirus Business Support (Amendment) (No. 2) Scheme 2020 [[SD No 2020/0289](#)] [[MEMO](#)]

Social Security Act 2000

Social Security Contributions and Benefits Act 1992 (Application) (Amendment) (No. 6) Order 2020 [[SD No 2020/0287](#)] [[MEMO](#)]

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

Report

Standing Committee of Tynwald on Public Accounts Emergency Scrutiny Second Report for the Session 2019-20: Business Support Schemes [[PP No 2020/0100](#)]

6. Coronavirus (COVID-19)

Statement made by the Chief Minister.

7. Emergency Powers Act 1936

Motion carried –

That Tynwald approves the continuance of the Emergency Powers (Coronavirus) (Entry Restrictions) (No. 2) Regulations 2020 [[SD No 2020/0279](#)].

Mr Thomas

Amendments moved –

In regulation 7 (exemption: residents of the Island) –

Amendment 1

In paragraph (3)(b), for “once” substitute “one”;

Amendment 2

After paragraph (3), insert–

“(3A) The measures referred to in paragraph (3)(b), must not prevent an individual referred to in that paragraph from returning to and residing in a dwelling –

- (a) which that individual owns or leases (whether solely or with others), and occupies with other members of the individual’s household as a family residence, and*
- (b) which, in the individual’s absence, remains occupied by other members of the household: and for these purposes “household” means a group of people who live together as a family or other unit (regardless of whether or not they are related) and share the dwelling’s living accommodation and facilities.*

(3B) For the purposes of paragraph (3A) –

- (a) the measures referred to in paragraph (3)(b) may be put in place in respect of –*
- (b) (i) an individual who is a returning resident of the Island,*

- (ii) one or more members of that individual's household,*
- (iii) both that individual and one or more members of that individual's household;*
- (c) different measures under paragraph (3)(b) may be put in place in respect of such an individual and members of the individual's household."*

Mr Speaker

Amendment moved –

In regulation 7(13), for "The conditions", substitute "Other than in a case to which paragraph (1)(a) applies, the conditions".

Mrs Lord-Brennan

Amendments moved –

1. *For regulation 6(9), substitute –*

"(9) For the purpose of enabling the Chief Secretary and a Department by which a certificate may be issued to consider whether they are satisfied as to the matters in paragraph (8) –

- (a) the applicant must supply such information as the Chief Secretary or the Department may reasonably require; and*
- (b) the Chief Secretary or the Department may make enquiries of such persons as they consider necessary for the purpose of verifying the information supplied under this regulation."*

2. *In regulation 10(4), for "(6) to (16)", substitute "(8) to (16)".*

Mrs Poole-Wilson

Mr Speaker's Amendment 1 –
Amendment carried.

Mr Speaker's Amendment 2 –
Court divided.

In the Keys – Ayes 10, Noes 13

For: Mrs Barber, Mrs Caine, Mr Callister, Miss Costain, Mr Hooper, Mr Peake, Mr Perkins, Mr Robertshaw, Mr Shimmins, Mr Speaker
Against: Dr Allinson, Mr Ashford, Mr Baker, Mr Boot, Mr Cannan, Mrs Corlett, Mr Cregeen, Ms Edge, Mr Harmer, Mr Moorhouse, Mr Quayle, Mr Skelly, Mr Thomas

In the Council – Ayes 6, Noes 3

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

Against: Mr Greenhill, Mrs Maska, Mrs Sharpe

Amendment lost.

Mrs Lord-Brennan's amendment carried.

Mrs Poole-Wilson's amendment carried.

Amended motion –

That Tynwald approves the continuance of the Emergency Powers (Coronavirus) (Entry Restrictions) (No. 2) Regulations 2020 [[SD No 2020/0279](#)] subject to the following amendments –

For regulation 6(9), substitute –

- “(9) For the purpose of enabling the Chief Secretary and a Department by which a certificate may be issued to consider whether they are satisfied as to the matters in paragraph (8) –
- (a) the applicant must supply such information as the Chief Secretary or the Department may reasonably require; and
 - (b) the Chief Secretary or the Department may make enquiries of such persons as they consider necessary for the purpose of verifying the information supplied under this regulation.”

In regulation 7(3)(b), for “once” substitute “one”.

In regulation 7(13), for “The conditions”, substitute “Other than in a case to which paragraph (1)(a) applies, the conditions”.

In regulation 10(4), for “(6) to (16)”, substitute “(8) to (16)”.

Amended motion carried.

8. Emergency Powers Act 1936

Motion carried –

That Tynwald approves the continuance of the Emergency Powers (Coronavirus) (Provision of Temporary Accommodation) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 [[SD No 2020/0280](#)].

Mr Ashford

Motion carried.

9. Emergency Powers Act 1936

Motion carried –

That Tynwald approves the continuance of the Emergency Powers (Coronavirus) (Events and Gatherings) (Amendment) (No. 3) Regulations 2020 [[SD No 2020/0272](#)].

Mr Cregeen

Motion carried.

10. Emergency Powers Act 1936

Motion carried –

That Tynwald approves the continuance of the Emergency Powers (Potentially Infectious Persons) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2020 [[SD No 2020/0251](#)].

Mr Ashford

Motion carried.

11. Emergency Powers Act 1936

Motion carried –

That Tynwald approves the continuance of the Emergency Powers (Prohibitions on Movement) (Amendment) (No. 4) Regulations 2020 [[SD No 2020/0276](#)].

Mr Ashford

Motion carried.

12. Emergency Powers Act 1936

Motion carried –

That Tynwald approves the continuance of the Emergency Powers (Coronavirus) (Closure of Businesses and Other Premises) (Amendment) (No. 5) Regulations 2020 [[SD No 2020/0293](#)].

Mr Skelly

Motion carried.

13. Financial Provisions and Currency Act 2011

Motion carried –

That the Coronavirus Business Support (Amendment) (No. 2) Scheme 2020 [[SD No 2020/0289](#)] [[MEMO](#)] be approved.

Mr Skelly

Motion carried.

14. Social Security Act 2000

Motion carried –

That the Social Security Contributions and Benefits Act 1992 (Application) (Amendment) (No. 6) Order 2020 [[SD No 2020/0287](#)] [[MEMO](#)] be approved.

Mr Cannan

Motion carried.

The Court adjourned at 5.59 pm.

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