

**RESOLUTIONS of the EXTRAORDINARY (EMERGENCY) MEETING of
CHIEF PLEAS held on 27th March 2019**

1. **MATTERS ARISING from the Extraordinary (Special) Meeting of Chief Pleas held on Friday, 11th January 2019.**

There were none.

2. **MATTERS ARISING from the Christmas Meeting of Chief Pleas held on Wednesday, 16th January 2019.**

There were none.

3. **MATTERS ARISING from the Extraordinary Meeting of Chief Pleas held on Wednesday, 6th February 2019.**

There were none.

4. **To CONSIDER a Report with six Propositions from the POLICY & FINANCE COMMITTEE entitled “Extending the United Kingdom’s Membership of the World Trade Organization”.**

Proposition 1 – **CARRIED.**

To agree that the United Kingdom’s membership of the World Trade Organization should extend to Sark.

Proposition 2 – **CARRIED.**

To agree that Chief Pleas commit to meet the UK’s World Trade Organization obligations, on an ongoing basis, and to resolve any issues or disputes promptly in a manner which is consistent with applicable international standards and protects the Bailiwick of Guernsey’s international reputation.

Proposition 3 – **CARRIED.**

To delegate authority to the Policy & Finance Committee to negotiate and agree on behalf of Chief Pleas, with the States of Guernsey and the States of Alderney, all such matters as may be necessary to enable a request to be forwarded by Guernsey’s Policy & Resources Committee, on behalf of all three Bailiwick authorities, to the UK government for the extension of the United Kingdom’s membership of the World Trade Organisation to the Bailiwick.

Proposition 4 – **CARRIED.**

To direct the Policy & Finance Committee to request Guernsey’s Policy & Resources Committee (acting on behalf of all three Bailiwick authorities) to send a formal request to the UK Government for the extension.

Proposition 5 – **CARRIED.**

To agree that suitable legislative and administrative measures are implemented and adopted, including statutory privileges and immunities relating to the World Trade Organization and its officials, in order to ensure that the extension may have effect.

Proposition 6 – **CARRIED.**

To direct the preparation of such legislation as may be necessary to give effect to the above decisions.

5. **COMMITTEE ELECTIONS: To ELECT Conseillers to Committees, as required.**
Policy and Finance Committee.

Conseiller A. de Carteret elected to the Policy and Finance Committee.

Special Committees.

Child Protection.

There were no nominations.

Top Level Domain.

There were no nominations.

6. **COMMITTEE and PANEL ELECTIONS: To ELECT Non-Chief Pleas Members to Committees and Panels, as required.**

Future Energy Committee.

Anthony Beaumont and Andrew Cook were elected as Non-Chief Pleas members to the Future Energy Committee.

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