

# ***GOVERNMENT OF SARK MEDIA RELEASE***

## **Appointment of Sark's first Senior Administrator**

In July, Chief Pleas recognised the need to strengthen the Island's Administration by appointing a Senior Administrator who would give support to Chief Pleas and to the Government's Committees. It set in motion a selection process and the post was advertised. 47 applicants from the UK, Guernsey, Jersey and Sark applied for the job. A shortlist was drawn up and the candidates were interviewed by a selection panel.

Ms. Kath Jones, the successful candidate, has now been offered the job which she has accepted.

Ms. Jones is an experienced public sector officer who has held senior positions in local government, and in her last role she worked with the UK central government, regional authorities and their partners.

She is expected to take up the post in October.

### ***Note to media***

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