

**Appointment OVERSEAS AID & DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION**

## APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSIONERS

The States are asked to decide:

Whether, after consideration of the Policy Letter entitled "*Overseas Aid & Development Commission - Appointment of Commissioners*" dated 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2026, they are of the opinion:

- (i) To reappoint Mr Chris Gregg as a Commissioner on the Overseas Aid & Development Commission for a further 4 year term from 1<sup>st</sup> August 2026 until 31<sup>st</sup> July 2030;
- (ii) To reappoint Dr Lindsay Jefferies as a Commissioner on the Overseas Aid & Development Commission for a further 4 year term from 1<sup>st</sup> August 2026 until 31<sup>st</sup> July 2030;
- (iii) To reappoint Dr Michelle Le Cheminant as a Commissioner on the Overseas Aid & Development Commission for a further 4 year term from 1<sup>st</sup> August 2026 until 31<sup>st</sup> July 2030;
- (iv) To appoint Dr Kevin Bales as a Commissioner on the Overseas Aid and Development Commission for a 4 year term from 1<sup>st</sup> August 2026 until 31<sup>st</sup> July 2030;
- (v) To appoint Advocate Martha Eker-Male as a Commissioner on the Overseas Aid and Development Commission for a 4 year term from 1<sup>st</sup> August 2026 until 31<sup>st</sup> July 2030; and
- (vi) To appoint Ms Diana Penn as a Commissioner on the Overseas Aid and Development Commission for a 4 year term from 1<sup>st</sup> August 2026 until 31<sup>st</sup> July 2030.

# OVERSEAS AID & DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

## APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSIONERS

The Presiding Officer  
Royal Court  
St Peter Port  
Guernsey

2<sup>nd</sup> June 2026

Dear Sir

### **1. Executive Summary**

- 1.1 The purpose of this Policy Letter is to seek the approval of the States of Deliberation to re-appoint three of the Overseas Aid & Development Commission's Commissioners and to appoint three new Commissioners to replace three Commissioners whose terms of office expire on 31<sup>st</sup> July, 2026.
- 1.2 The Commissioners are appointed to serve four year terms and under the Commission's current internal governance policies a Commissioner can serve for two four year terms (although by exception this can be extended to a maximum period of 10 years).
- 1.3 This Policy Letter asks the States of Deliberation to appoint:
  - (a) Mr Chris Gregg, Dr Lindsay Jefferies and Dr Michelle Le Cheminant as Commissioners on the Overseas Aid & Development Commission for a further 4 year term from 1<sup>st</sup> August 2026 until 31<sup>st</sup> July 2030; and
  - (b) Dr Kevin Bales, Advocate Martha Eker-Male and Ms Diana Penn as Commissioners on the Overseas Aid & Development Commission for a 4 year term from 1<sup>st</sup> August 2026 until 31<sup>st</sup> July 2030.

### **2. Background**

- 2.1 The Commission is a committee of the States of Guernsey which distributes funds voted by the States for aid and development overseas by making grants to charities undertaking development and humanitarian work in the world's least developed countries, and by contributing to emergency and disaster relief.

2.2 The Commission's mandate is:

*"To distribute funds voted by the States for aid and development overseas by making contributions to ongoing programmes and to emergency and disaster relief.*

*To develop programmes relating to the collection and distribution of funds involving the private sector.*

*To carry out its duties and powers in accordance with operational policies approved by the Policy & Resources Committee, and the strategic direction set by the States.*

*To fulfil the responsibilities set out in Annex One to the mandates of committees of the States."*

2.3 The role of the Commission is to administer the budget approved by the States of Guernsey for overseas aid. The Commission's President is a member of the States of Deliberation and the six Commissioners are appointed by the States of Deliberation.

2.4 The Commission's 2026 budget is £5,605,000<sup>1</sup>.

2.5 The purpose of overseas aid has been expressed in successive Policy Letters over the past 46 years<sup>2</sup>. Guernsey gives in order to help provide for the basic needs of people in the poorest parts of the world – including health, education, clean water, sanitation and food. The aim is to reduce human vulnerability and to promote sustainable change that will last beyond the lifespan of the project being funded. For the communities receiving aid from Guernsey, the benefits are both life-changing and often life-saving.

### **3. The Retiring Commissioners**

3.1 Miss Judith Moore was first appointed in June 2012 and is the current Vice President of the Commission. Mr Bryan Pill was first appointed as a

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<sup>1</sup> That is £4,857,000 for Grant Aid, £469,000 for Disaster and Emergency Relief, £135,000 for Community Partnerships, £43,000 for Skills Partnerships, £101,000 for staff & promotion and administration.

<sup>2</sup> Between 1980 and April 2004, the Overseas Aid Committee was mandated to distribute funds voted by the States for aid and development overseas. In May 2004, the Guernsey Overseas Aid Commission replaced the former Committee and whilst its mandate remained largely unchanged, its membership changed. Between May 2004 and April 2016, the Commission's membership comprised a Chairman selected from the members of Policy Council and six Islanders appointed by the States on the recommendation of the Policy Council to serve as Commissioners.

Commissioner in June 2018. Mr Mike Allen was appointed as a Commissioner in February 2024.

- 3.2 Miss Judith Moore is a Chartered Physiotherapist and worked as Academic Lead for Teaching and Learning with the Institute of Health and Social Care Studies. Miss Moore has also taught disaster preparedness activities in Sri Lanka and Dominica and been directly involved in supporting small projects undertaken in Sri Lanka. She has been a volunteer with St. John Ambulance for over 38 years and has used that experience to support her voluntary work overseas. Miss Moore's understanding of disaster preparedness and her educational background have been invaluable to the Commissioners when evaluating educational projects and those focused on post-disaster or conflict rehabilitation. Her long service with the Commission of fourteen years, including as Vice-President since July 2018, has been essential to the continuity and resilience of the Commission. Miss Moore's experience and knowledge from assessing grant aid applications over a long period will be greatly missed. Her commitment to the role was demonstrated when she undertook a personally-funded visit to Kenya in 2024 to see projects that had previously been supported by the Commission.
- 3.3 Mr Pill spent 12 years in education, including 4 years teaching in South India and several years working in Guernsey with the visually impaired following post graduate studies. Mr Pill worked for the overseas development charity, Mission Aviation Fellowship (MAF) for over 25 years, including 12 years as a bush pilot working in Tanzania, Uganda and Bangladesh and a further 10 years flying, supporting programmes in Chad, South Sudan, Ethiopia, the Democratic Republic of the Congo, South Africa and Uganda. This work involved flying in support of MAF's responses to many emergencies and disasters, including civil conflict in Rwanda, Chad and South Sudan and the Ebola crisis in East Africa. Mr Pill's extensive experience of development aid in Africa and Asia has proved invaluable to the Commission as his extensive first-hand experience means that he understands the challenges those delivering development aid face on a daily basis and has a sound understanding of the key requirements to achieve a successful and sustainable project. His carefully balanced consideration of grant aid applications and his first-hand knowledge of some of the most remote locations in the world will be a loss to the Commission.
- 3.4 Mr Mike Allen is an experienced Business Leader who has successfully led multi-disciplined teams internationally in multiple sectors. Within Life Sciences and healthcare, Mr Allen has supported charitable projects globally with the supply of services and products at the behest of International Government Development Agencies and the World Bank. He has worked alongside the United Nations and the World Health Organization. Mr Allen also founded his own business providing outsourced procurement services for governments and non-governmental organisations (NGOs) with partners in Africa. Mr Allen gained a

Global Master of Business Administration (MBA), which included a dissertation on the effectiveness of United Kingdom charities. Mr Allen's extensive experience of conducting business in the developing world, including working alongside charities and governments, has been of great benefit to the Commission and allowed it to gain a more international perspective in regard to how businesses, government and charities interact on projects. His insight and critical thinking when reviewing grant aid award applications have been essential and will be much missed.

- 3.5 The Commission wishes to record its grateful thanks to Miss Moore, Mr Pill and Mr Allen for their commitment and hard work, especially the many hours they spent reading and assessing each of the hundreds of applications for Grant Aid Funding received each year, over the years they have served on the Commission. The role of Commissioner is an unpaid one but one which requires a great deal of work. Miss Moore, Mr Pill and Mr Allen have willingly made this high level of commitment in the knowledge that, as a result of their endeavours, some of the world's poorest communities receive development aid which will bring a life changing and sustainable improvement in their lives.
- 3.6 The Commission wishes Miss Moore, Mr Pill and Mr Allen well for their future endeavours.

#### **4. Re-Appointment of Commissioners**

- 4.1 Mr Chris Gregg, Dr. Lindsay Jefferies and Dr. Michelle Le Cheminant were first appointed as Commissioners in August 2022 for a four year term. Their current terms of appointment end on 31<sup>st</sup> July 2026.
- 4.2 Under the Commission's internal governance policies, Commissioners can generally serve two four year terms, although a maximum period of ten years is sometimes agreed in exceptional circumstances. Mr. Gregg, Dr. Jefferies and Dr. Le Cheminant have each indicated their willingness to serve a further four year term.
- 4.3 Mr Christopher Gregg is a Chartered Engineer and Chartered IT Professional. He grew up in Guernsey and worked for Guernsey Electricity whilst obtaining a Master of Electrical and Electronic Engineering from University of Surrey. He later obtained a Master of Business Administration from the University of Sunderland. He worked for the international charity Mercy Ships for over 24 years as an IT Manager, Project Engineer, Chief Information Officer, Managing Director of m/v Global Mercy (the world's largest non-governmental hospital ship), and Senior Consultant. Mr Gregg and his wife, Vicki, initially spent four years as volunteers on a hospital ship working in West Africa, before transitioning to shore-based support work for Mercy Ships in the UK and USA.

They returned to Guernsey in 2020 and Mr Gregg currently works for the States of Guernsey as Portfolio Director for Digital and Technology.

- 4.4 Mr. Gregg's extensive experience in senior management and operations in the international development sector, including a background in business strategy, project management and practical engineering, is invaluable to the Commission.
- 4.5 Dr Lindsay Jefferies is the Managing Director of Island Global Research Ltd. She has a PhD in Health Economics, a Masters in Business Administration (MBA), a MA in European Political Economy and a BA (Hons) in Economics and Econometrics. Before moving to Guernsey in 2015 she spent 15 years working in international development both in policy and research roles. During her career, Dr Jefferies worked as an Economist at the United Kingdom Department for International Development (DIFD). Her roles included advising the UK Director of the European Bank for Reconstruction and Developments on grant and loan applications. She also spent three years in the Malawi country office, based in Lilongwe, where she had oversight of a £20 million budget support grant and provided economic advice to colleagues managing health, education, private sector and governance programmes. Dr Jefferies then transitioned to academia. She worked briefly as a Researcher in Health Economics at Oxford University, and then joined the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, achieving the position of Assistant Professor in Health Economics in the Department for Global Health and Development. Dr Jefferies (nee Mangham) has published academic papers on a range of topics, such as the shortage of health workers in sub-Saharan Africa, inequalities in health care seeking, improving malaria diagnosis and treatment, the cost-effectiveness of maternal and newborn health initiatives, and the evaluation of complex behaviour change interventions - all in the developing world.
- 4.6 Dr Jefferies' wide experience on programme implementation and evaluation, understanding the principles and goals of sustainable development, appreciation of in-country political and cultural context, governance and practical considerations for providing effective development assistance, reviewing of grant and loan applications; and understanding of medicine / health systems, has brought key knowledge and skills to the Commission.
- 4.7 Dr Michelle Le Cheminant is a Consultant Anaesthetist and Chair of the Guernsey Medical Specialist Group LLP. She attended Cambridge University and returned to the Island after completing her medical training in the UK. Throughout her career Dr Le Cheminant has been committed to improving healthcare services in low and middle income countries through education and training. In 2017 she spent six months as a Visiting Lecturer at the University Teaching Hospital of Lusaka, volunteering with the Zambia Anaesthetic Development Project, as well as working with local teams to deliver rural outreach projects. During

this time she had hands on experience of the challenges of teaching and training in the developing world. Since 2017, Dr Le Cheminant has been a volunteer faculty anaesthetist with the eye care charity Orbis International joining their Flying Eye Hospital on projects in Vietnam, China, Mongolia and Rwanda. In 2018, she undertook an anaesthetic service evaluation on behalf of Orbis at a hospital in Malawi to guide procurement and aid planning for future training projects. She has also supported Orbis International in its fundraising efforts and helped develop an ambitious e-learning curriculum on the Orbis Cybersight website.

- 4.8 Dr Le Cheminant's medical expertise and her experience of working and teaching in the developing world has been of great benefit to the Commission particularly as it receives many applications from development aid charities for healthcare and education projects.
- 4.9 In recommending the reappointment of Mr. Gregg, Dr. Jefferies and Dr. Le Cheminant for further four year terms, the Commission is confident that they will continue to undertake their responsibilities with enthusiasm and commitment to ensure that the funds the States provides for overseas development will continue to reach those in most need and make a sustainable improvement for their day-to-day lives.

## **5. Appointment of New Commissioners**

- 5.1 In March 2026, the Commission advertised the three vacancies in the Guernsey Press and across the local media and social media. A copy of the advertisement and the information pack for applicants is set out in the attached Appendix.
- 5.2 The Commission received nine applications. All of the applications were very strong and many of the candidates had direct experience working or volunteering in the development aid field, including some working overseas. After careful consideration, five candidates were shortlisted for interview.
- 5.3 The interview panel consisted of Deputy Falla, representing the Policy & Resources Committee as External Lead, and the President of the Commission, with the Principal Officer of the Commission providing support. Following the interview process it was unanimously agreed that Dr Kevin Bales, Advocate Martha Eker-Male and Ms Diana Penn should be presented to the States for appointment.
- 5.4 Dr. Kevin Bales has worked as a human rights academic and an NGO leader for some 30 years. His work on contemporary slavery was named one of the "100 World-Changing Discoveries" by the Association of British Universities in 2006. He was co-founder and Research Professor of the Rights Lab at University of Nottingham where he continues to work part-time. He took an MSc (Economic

History) and PhD at the London School of Economics. His work with NGOs extends from the United Kingdom (Anti-Slavery International and others) to NGO partners in India, Pakistan, Brazil, Mauritania, Haiti, Thailand, Congo, and the USA. He was a founding member of the Board of Directors of the International Cocoa Initiative, a Swiss Foundation implementing the Cocoa Protocol Agreement to remove child and forced labour from cocoa (2002-2014). At the end of the Cold War he spent two years as Visiting Professor of Sociology and Social Research, Moscow State University. He is the author of six books on human rights and the co-author of ten other books, including work on environmental rights and issues.

- 5.5 It is considered that Dr. Bales's extensive knowledge of and experience on human and environmental rights will help to direct and shape the work of the Commission, as the challenges of international development become even more complex due to increased conflict and climate change. His work as an NGO leader will also provide a useful perspective when the Commission works with charities and their in-country NGO partners.
- 5.6 Advocate Martha Eker-Male is an Advocate of the Royal Court of Guernsey and a Solicitor-Advocate admitted in England & Wales and the Territory of the Virgin Islands. She specialises in dispute resolution and primarily advises on commercial, trust, and insolvency disputes. Prior to returning to Guernsey, Ms Eker-Male worked for an international law firm in London where she gained experience in charities law, public international law, and development-related issues. This included working on treaty disputes involving States, advising governments on issues of good governance, and undertaking pro bono work focused on human rights and accountability. Ms Eker-Male's pro bono work included contributing to submissions to United Nations bodies on issues such as climate change and States' human rights obligations, with a particular focus on the rights of women and girls in South America and Africa. She provided pro bono assistance to Amicus in relation to a death row case and worked as part of a legal Task Force on Accountability for Crimes Committed in Ukraine seeking justice for victims of international crimes. Ms Eker-Male also provided pro bono assistance to the Clooney Foundation for Justice to document evidence of human rights abuses in South American for submission to the International Criminal Court.
- 5.7 Advocate Eker-Male's legal background will be a great asset to the Commission particularly as she has experience in charities law, public international law, and development related matters, which includes human rights and climate change. She also has strong governance experience as she has advised governments on such issues, and this will be of benefit to the Commission in regard to its own policies and procedures and those of the charities it partners with.

- 5.8 Ms Diana Penn obtained a BSc (Hons) in Animal Physiology & Biophysics before she started her career as a research biologist with Unilever in the United Kingdom, and then transferred within Unilever to become a qualified accountant. After working around the world Ms Penn moved to Guernsey in 1980 and rose to the rank of director of a Guernsey trust company. In her spare time she qualified as a commercial pilot, taught flying at the Guernsey Aero Club and flew briefly for Aurigny. In 2004 Ms Penn started working in international development as an Aid Worker and Finance Manager and lived in disaster zones with Raleigh International, Oxfam, Save the Children, BBC World Service Trust, the Rehabilitation Council for Torture Victims and lastly the United Kingdom's Disasters Emergency Committee. Ms Penn continues to promote the merits of international development including publishing a book in 2022 entitled '*Quake, Wave, War – A Memoire from the frontline of Emergency Aid*'. She has worked in 28 countries around the globe and travelled to 25 others.
- 5.9 It is considered Ms Penn's financial acumen will be of great benefit to the Commission, particularly as she has had experience of using her skills in the context of international development. This has included being on the ground in developing countries, often in challenging circumstances. Ms Penn will be able to use her accounting knowledge to analyse and advise on project applications presented to the Commission, which include detailed budgets and expenditure plans.

## **6. Recommendation**

- 6.1 The reappointment of Mr Gregg, Dr Jefferies and Dr Le Cheminant, and the appointment of Dr Bales, Advocate Eler-Male and Ms Penn, as Commissioners of the Overseas Aid & Development Commission is commended to the States.

## **7. Compliance with Rule 4**

- 7.1 Rule 4 of the Rules of Procedure of the States of Deliberation and their Committees sets out the information which must be included in, or appended to, motions laid before the States.
- 7.2 In accordance with Rule 4(1): a) the proposition contributes to the States' objectives and policy plans by ensuring the Commission has a full complement of Commissioners to fulfil its Constitution; b) in preparing the proposition consultation has been undertaken with the Policy & Resources Committee c) the proposition has been submitted to Her Majesty's Procureur for advice on any legal or constitutional implications; d) there are no financial implications to the States of carrying the proposal into effect.

7.3 In accordance with Rule 4(2): a) the proposition relates to the duties and powers of the Policy & Resources Committee delegated to the Overseas Aid & Development Commission; b) the proposition has the unanimous support of the Policy & Resources Committee and Overseas Aid & Development Commission.

Yours faithfully

Deputy Jennifer Strachan  
President  
Overseas Aid & Development Commission

Miss. J Moore, Vice-President  
Mr. B Pill, Commissioner  
Mr C. Gregg, Commissioner

Dr. L Jefferies, Commissioner  
Dr. M Le Cheminant, Commissioner  
Mr. M Allen, Commissioner

# COMMISSIONERS

## Three Vacancies

**Are you looking to play an active part in your community? Do you take an active interest in developing countries and development aid?**

The Overseas Aid & Development Commission is inviting applications for Islanders interested in serving as a Commissioner.

The role of Commissioner includes doing preparatory work in advance of meetings by reading the papers provided and taking an active part in the deliberations and decision-making. The role is unpaid and does not involve overseas travel.

Interested? If you have any questions or would like further information please contact David Way, Commission Principal Officer by calling 223404 or emailing [overseasaid@gov.gg](mailto:overseasaid@gov.gg)

**Applications should be made by submitting a letter of application before 12 noon on Thursday 2nd April.**





## **Three Vacancies for a Commissioner**

***Are you looking to play an active part in your community?  
Do you take an active interest in developing countries and development aid?  
Are you able to evaluate grant requests to make balanced and fair decisions?***

### **Introduction**

The Overseas Aid & Development Commission (the Commission) is inviting applications for Islanders interested in serving as Commissioners. The Commission will have three vacancies from 1<sup>st</sup> August, 2026, following three of the current six volunteer Commissioners reaching the end of their terms.

Appointment to the Commission is made by the States of Deliberation on the recommendation of the Commission and would be from 1<sup>st</sup> August 2026 to 31<sup>st</sup> July 2030 (and with the possibility of serving a second term if the Commissioner wished to). This is an unpaid role but one which is both interesting and rewarding and provides an opportunity to make decisions that will have a real and enduring impact on the lives of some of the world's poorest communities.

The Commissioners' role is to apply their experience of development aid and professional knowledge to help ensure that the funding the Commission receives from the States (£5.6 million for 2026) is used to support projects that will offer a sustainable improvement to the basic needs of those living in poverty in the world's least developed countries, as well as support responses to humanitarian emergencies caused by natural and man-made disasters.

### **The Role of Commissioner**

The role of Commissioner includes doing preparatory work in advance of meetings by reading the papers provided, undertaking any research they consider necessary, and taking an active part in the deliberations and decision-making. **The role is unpaid and does not involve overseas travel.**

The Commission meets regularly (typically once a month), generally on Wednesday afternoons (typically between 4.00pm and 6.00pm). These meetings include:

- Five or six funding meetings (generally held between April and July) to consider applications for charities for grant aid awards;
- Ad hoc meetings to consider requests for disaster and emergency relief awards in response to natural disasters or humanitarian crisis / revision to projects etc;
- Meeting/s to review and approve the Commission's annual report;
- Ad hoc meetings with representatives of development aid charities to hear about the progress of supported projects and their plans for future work;
- Ad hoc events when the attendance of Commissioners is required or encouraged.

Commissioners are required to review and evaluate applications for funding against the Commission's published funding criteria. This includes reading and assessing the applications prior to a meeting and then, during the meeting, discussing the merits of the applications with the other Commissioners and reaching agreement whether or not to support a particular request for funding. Each year the Commission receives around 200 individual applications for grant aid funding and these are considered in batches of between 50 and 60 applications per funding meeting. In addition, the Commission receives around 10 to 15 emergency and disaster relief requests, and up to 10 community partnership funding requests, and there also are a small number of meetings with charities.

The majority of the Commissioners' work is undertaken at home reading and assessing the many applications for funding, reading the project reports submitted by the charities that receive funding from the Commission and generally keeping themselves abreast of matters relating to development aid.

This is a real opportunity to contribute positively not only to our local community but also to improve the lives of some of the world's poorest communities. As well as considering applications, the Commissioners will also have the opportunity to consider and support new overseas aid initiatives. This includes providing guidance and putting forward ideas based on their own knowledge of least developed countries and development aid, as well as their professional expertise.

This is an interesting and exciting role for any local residents with an active interest in the developing world issues, especially development aid. The current Commissioners bring a large range of skills to the Commission's work including direct experience of working in a least developed country, professional experience in health, water, tertiary and health education and legal matters, active participation with an established development aid charity and expertise in project management and good governance.

The Commission would be particularly interested in applications from local residents with development aid experience in one or more the following areas:

- Health
- Education
- Engineering, especially in relation to solar power and hydrology
- Micro-finance and community savings programmes
- Climate change and mitigation of its impact;
- Development project management;
- Legal matters.

### **Life as a Commissioner**

To assist you in deciding whether this may be a role for you, the current Commissioners have this to say about the Commission's work and their role:

Judy Moore (Vice President), a qualified physiotherapist and former Academic Lead for Teaching and Learning at the Institute for Health Studies, says,  
"It has been a privilege to have been able to participate in Overseas Aid budget distribution decisions on behalf of the Island population, and to have ultimately facilitated improvement in the lives of people in some of the least developed and most challenged countries in the world. Discussion of potential projects and opportunities to meet representatives of local and national charities enabled me to understand the needs and priorities of communities less fortunate than ourselves."

Bryan Pill, former Mission Aviation Fellowship pilot for many years, says,

*"One of the delights of this role has been how enjoyable it has been working with such a great team, under excellent leadership. Everyone brings something different to the table, all are heard, united by a common purpose to make the most of the resources we have been given."*

### **Further information**

Interested?

Looking for more information about the Commission's work?

Further information about the Commission's work, including details of its grant aid and disaster and emergency relief policies, can be found on its website - [www.gov.gg/overseasaid](http://www.gov.gg/overseasaid). The Commission's annual reports (downloadable from the Commission's website) include updates on projects the Commission has supported through its grants and statistics about the number, type and location of projects funded by the Commission.

If you have any questions or would like further information including details of the role please do not hesitate to contact David Way, the Commission's Principal Officer, (telephone 223404 or email [overseasaid@gov.gg](mailto:overseasaid@gov.gg)).

Applications should be made by submitting a letter of application.

**Deadline for applications: Noon on Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2026.**

**THE STATES OF DELIBERATION**  
**of the**  
**ISLAND OF GUERNSEY**

**OVERSEAS AID & DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION**

**APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSIONERS**

The President  
Policy & Resources Committee  
Sir Charles Frossard House  
La Charroterie  
St Peter Port

2<sup>nd</sup> June, 2026

Dear Sir,

**Preferred date for consideration by the States of Deliberation**

In accordance with Rule 4(3) of the Rules of Procedure of the States of Deliberation and their Committees, the Overseas Aid & Development Commission requests that the Proposition be considered at the States' meeting to be held on 15<sup>th</sup> July, 2026.

The terms of all the current Commissioners expire on 31<sup>st</sup> July, 2026, and therefore the reappointment or appointment of Commissioners needs to be undertaken in time for 1<sup>st</sup> August, 2026.

Yours faithfully,

Deputy Jennifer Strachan  
President

Miss. J Moore  
Vice President

Mr. B Pill, Commissioner  
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