

## COMMISSIONER FOR CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE (AMENDMENT OF LAW) (JERSEY) REGULATIONS 2023

Made23rd May 2023Coming into force30th May 2023

**THE STATES** make these Regulations under Articles 3(3) and 30 of the <u>Commissioner</u> for Children and Young People (Jersey) Law 2019 –

## Schedule to the <u>Commissioner for Children and Young People (Jersey) Law 2019</u> amended

In the Schedule to the Commissioner for Children and Young People (Jersey) Law 2019 –

- (a) in paragraph 4 (appointment and tenure of office), for sub-paragraph (6) there is substituted
  - "(6) An appointment to hold the office of Commissioner is for a fixed term of 6 years which cannot be extended.";
- (b) in paragraph 5 (disqualification for appointment, restrictions on holding other appointments and exceptions)
  - (i) for sub-paragraph (2) there is substituted –
  - "(2) A person cannot be appointed to hold the office of Commissioner if the person
    - (a) has been, is, or becomes a member of the States;
    - (b) is a States' employee (within the meaning of Article 2 of the 2005 Law) other than
      - (i) a States' employee who is appointed to hold the office of acting Commissioner, or
      - (ii) a member of the Commissioner's staff provided under paragraph 9;
    - (c) has been, or is the holder of an office (apart from being the holder of the office of Commissioner for the time being) listed in Schedule 1 to the 2005 Law; or
    - (d) has an interest in the provision of services in respect of children and young people in Jersey
      - (i) whether financial, or

- (ii) in the person's capacity as an officer, member, trustee or employee of a body providing those services.
- (2A) Unless sub-paragraph (2) otherwise applies, the following people are not disqualified from being appointed to hold the office of Commissioner
  - (a) the acting Commissioner;
  - (b) any former acting Commissioner; and
  - (c) a member of the Commissioner's staff.",
- (ii) in sub-paragraph (3) after "(whether or not for remuneration) with" there is inserted "the States or",
- (iii) for sub-paragraph (5) there is substituted –
- "(5) If the acting Commissioner is appointed to hold the office of Commissioner, any period served by the acting Commissioner before that appointment is to be disregarded for the purposes of the 6-year fixed term specified in paragraph 4(6)."

## 2 Citation and commencement

These Regulations may be cited as the Commissioner for Children and Young People (Amendment of Law) (Jersey) Regulations 2023 and come into force 7 days after they are made.