PARISH OF ST BRELADE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS 30 APRIL 2012 AND

ESTIMATES 2012/2013

30 APRIL 2012

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE PRINCIPALS AND ELECTORS OF THE PARISH OF ST BRELADE

We have audited the financial statements of the Parish of St Brelade for the year ended 30 April 2012 on pages 2 to 15. These accounts have been prepared under the accounting policies set out therein.

This report is made solely to the Parish's principals and electors, as a body. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the Parish's principals and electors those matters we are required to state to them in an auditor's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the Parish and the principals and electors of that Parish as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

Respective responsibilities of Connétable and auditors

The Connétable is responsible for the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and the Parish's own accounting policies. In preparing these financial statements the Connétable is required to select suitable accounting policies and apply them consistently, make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent and prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to assume that the Parish will continue in operation. The Connétable is also responsible for keeping adequate accounting records which show the general balances of the Parish and its income and expenditure for each financial year and, together with the Procureurs du Bien Publique, for safeguarding the assets of the Parish and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

Our responsibility is to audit the financial statements in accordance with relevant legal and regulatory requirements and International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland). Those standards require us to comply with the Auditing Practices Board's Ethical Standards for Auditors.

We report to you if, in our opinion, the Parish has not kept proper accounting records or if we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit.

Scope of the audit opinion

An audit includes obtaining evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements sufficient to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or error. This includes an assessment of: whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the Parish's circumstances and have been consistently applied and adequately disclosed; the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by the Parish; and the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We read the financial and non financial information in the financial statements to indentify material inconsistencies. If we become aware of any apparent material misstatements or inconsistencies we consider the implications for our report.

Opinion on financial statements

In our opinion the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view, in accordance with the Parish's own accounting policies, of the Parish's affairs as at 30 April 2012 and of its income and expenditure for the year then ended; and
- have been properly prepared in accordance with applicable law.

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Chartered Accountants

SUMMARY OF BALANCES AT 30 APRIL 2012

2011 £		2012 £
_	CURRENT ASSETS	~
39,609 2,594,288	Debtors and prepayments Cash at bank and in hand (note 3)	65,966 1,578,002
2,633,897	CREDITORS:	1,643,968
159,670	Amounts falling due within one year	191,736
2,474,227	NET CURRENT ASSETS	1,452,232
188,984	CREDITORS: Amounts falling due after more than one year: Driving licences - income received in advance	184,734
£2,285,243		£ <u>1,267,498</u>
	Representing:	
613,359 423,922 61,722 31,614	GENERAL ACCOUNT (page 3) PROPERTY RESERVE FUND (page 3) MOTOR VEHICLES RESERVE FUND (page 3) OFFICE SYSTEMS RESERVE FUND (page 3) ROADS RESERVE FUND (page 3) KERBSIDE RECYCLING SCHEME RESERVE FUND (page 3)	580,456 458,706 81,722 36,614 30,000 80,000
1,130,617		1,267,498
1,154,626	MAISON ST BRELADE EXTENSION AND REFURBISHMENT ACCOUNT (note 3a)	-
£ <u>2,285,243</u>		£1,267,498
	MAISON ST BRELADE	
	SUMMARY OF BALANCES AT 30 APRIL 2012	
	CURRENT ASSETS	
94,007 413,631	Debtors and prepayments Cash at bank and in hand	101,257 444,398
507,638	CREDITORS:	545,655
87,383	Amounts falling due within one year	113,979
£420,255	NET CURRENT ASSETS	£431,676
	Representing:	
£420,255	MAISON ST BRELADE RESERVE (page 10)	£431,676
The financial	statements were approved on 16 July 2012	

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GENERAL ACCOUNT

	FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2012	
2010/2011 £		2011/2012 £
1,291,644 1,292,068	INCOME (page 4) EXPENDITURE (pages 5 - 6)	1,377,528 1,410,431
(424) 613,783	(DEFICIT) OF INCOME FOR THE YEAR Add: BALANCE IN HAND AT 1 MAY 2011	(32,903) 613,359
£613,359	BALANCE IN HAND AT 30 APRIL 2012	£580,456
	PROPERTY RESERVE FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2012	
2010/2011		2011/2012
£ 497,947	Balance at 1 May 2011	£ 423,922
50,000	Parish Assembly vote (page 6)	50,000
547,947 124,025	Less: Parish Hall general office refurbishment (note 5)	473,922
-	Parish Refuse depot maintenance (note 5)	15,216
£423,922	BALANCE AT 30 APRIL 2012	£458,706
	MOTOR VEHICLES RESERVE FUND	
2010/2011	FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2012	2011/2012
£		£
61,722	Balance at 1 May 2011 Parish Assembly vote (page 6)	61,722 20,000
£61,722	BALANCE AT 30 APRIL 2012	<u>£81,722</u>
	OFFICE SYSTEMS RESERVE FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2012	
2010/2011		2011/2012
<u>£</u> 34,088	Balance at 1 May 2011	£ 31,614
20,000	Parish Assembly vote (page 6)	5,000
54,088		36,614
14,424	Less: New rates system (note 6)	, -
8,050	New telephone system (note 6)	
£31,614	BALANCE AT 30 APRIL 2012	£36,614
	ROADS RESERVE FUND	
2010/2011	FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2012	2011 (2012
2010/2011 £	•	2011/2012 £
-	Balance at 1 May 2011	-
	Parish Assembly vote (page 6)	30,000
<u> </u>	BALANCE AT 30 APRIL 2012	<u>£30,000</u>
	KERBSIDE RECYCLING SCHEME RESERVE FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2012	
2010/2011		2011/2012
£	Balance at 1 May 2011	£
-	Transfer from General Account (page 6)	80,000
£ -	BALANCE AT 30 APRIL 2012	£80,000
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GENERAL ACCOUNT - INCOME

2010/2011 £			11/2012
£	2011 RATE	£	£
1,182,223	Assessed at 135,775,014 quarters at 0.93p		1,262,708
(721) (641)		301 ,003) ,013)	
(1,362)			(3,715)
1,180,861 4,111 -	SURCHARGES APPLIED 4 Less: Adjustments	,158	1,258,993
(138) (125)	Non-recoverables and write offs	(911) (171)	
3,848			3,076
50	ARREARS OF RATE/SURCHARGES		1,052
1,560	RETENTION OF ISLAND WIDE RATE SURCHARGE Current year (page 16) 1 Prior years	.,180 41	
1,560			1,221
11,818 7,856 3,590 4,927 5,635 4,239 975 620 15 2,607 65	Deposit interest 12 Speeding fines 55 Property search fees 46 Dog permits 66 Hire of Parish Hall 55 Income support scheme – administration fee 11 Sunday trading permits 11 Firework licences	2,122 2,880 5,105 4,039 5,475 5,058 1,272 1,905 15 2,911	
42,347 5,535 38,907 18,536	CIMÉTIERE DES QUENNEVAIS (page 7) GERVAISE LE GROS CENTRE (page 8) 5 6 7 7 7 8 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7	1,949 5,124 5,289 9,824	
105,325			113,186
£ <u>1,291,644</u>	TOTAL INCOME FOR THE YEAR		£ <u>1,377,528</u>

GENERAL ACCOUNT - EXPENDITURE

Expenditure 2010/2011	FOR THE YEAR ENDED SO APRIL 2012	Estimates 2011/2012	Expenditure 2011/2012
£	ADMINISTRATION	£	£
101.054	ADMINISTRATION Salarias and social acquaits	100.000	107.700
191,054	Salaries and social security	198,000	197,708
22,438	Pension fund contributions	23,125	23,078
21,113	Pensions First Circle	14,900	14,875
423	Etat Civil	500	440
4,375	Experts' fees	4,375	4,375
6,500	Audit fee	6,650	6,650
4,285	Professional fees	8,000	6,431
10,482	Telephone and postage	12,500	12,876
6,719	Advertising	10,500	9,679
7,192	Printing and stationery	7,000	5,791
1,800	Connétable's expenses	1,800	1,800
55,084	Parish Hall - upkeep and caretaker	50,000	49,558
1,519	Purchase and renting of office equipment	2,500	2,316
8,908	Information technology operational expenses	9,000	9,013
393	Staff training	2,000	318
7,175	Sundry insurance	7,750	7,618
9,790	Sundry expenses	14,250	10,792
1,816	Stray dogs	2,100	2,109
3,915	Connétable's Supervisory Committee	4,250	3,915
3,251	Bank charges	3,300	3,235
343	Finance charges	5,000	792
368,575		387,500	373,369
	TRESOR		
68,362	Wages and social security	75,250	73,622
6,989	Pension fund contributions	11,000	10,943
5,650	Pensions	5,875	5,832
27,912	Repairs, maintenance and insurance	27,000	27,004
108,913		119,125	117,401
	CHARITIES AND GRANTS		<u></u>
35,000	Communicare administration	38,500	38,500
25,187	Charities, clubs and associations (note 8)	25,750	25,301
1,250	Citizens Advice Bureau	1,250	1,250
5,000	Les Creux Allotments	-	_
	St Brelade Youth Club		
8,000	Support youth workers	8,300	8,300
-	General running costs	2,700	2,700
74,437		76,500	76,051
6,939	SENIOR CITIZENS CHRISTMAS LUNCH	7,750	5,851
558,864	Carried forward to page 6	590,875	572,672

PARISH OF ST BRELADE GENERAL ACCOUNT - EXPENDITURE

Expenditure 2010/2011 \pounds			Expenditure 2011/2012
558,864	Brought forward from page 5	590,875	572,672
156,686 32,895 351,075 - 612	EXTERNAL SERVICES Roads account - general vote (page 9) Street lighting Refuse collection - contract Fuel supplement Recycling banks	180,525 32,000 361,958	154,384 26,605 361,958 (5,000)
19,543 3,329 3,218	Children's play park - wages and maintenance Repairs and running costs - other properties Floral display	20,750 5,500 4,250	19,360 4,652 2,837
567,358		604,983	564,796
5,597 6,393	HONORARY POLICE Motor expenses Insurance	4,900 6,550	4,848 6,509
1,491 1,805 4,643 10,344 8,991 1,826	Telephone Chef de Police Committee Honorary Police expenses Equipment and sundry expenses Radios, including maintenance and subscription Training	1,600 2,000 5,100 10,000 9,500 2,000	1,417 1,825 4,608 10,244 9,416 1,559
41,090	J	41,650	40,426
38,225	LOAN Gervaise Le Gros Centre (note 7)	38,225	38,225
50,000 - 20,000 - -	TRANSFER TO RESERVE FUNDS (page 3) Property Motor vehicles Office systems Roads Kerbside Recycling	50,000 20,000 5,000 30,000	50,000 20,000 5,000 30,000 80,000
70,000		105,000	185,000
8,405	PENSION Pre-1987 Debt	8,600	8,642
8,126	NON RECURRING Paintings conservation Entente Florale	6,000	670 -
8,126		6,000	670
<u>-</u>	Kerbside recycling	80,000	<u>-</u>
£ <u>1,292,068</u>		£ <u>1,475,333</u>	£ <u>1,410,431</u>

CIMETIERE DES QUENNEVAIS ACCOUNT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2012

2010/2011		2011/2012	
£		£	£
	INCOME		
3,960 3,300 2,104	Purchase of grave plots Burials Cemetery fees	3,860 4,615 2,226	
9,364			10,701
	EXPENDITURE		
3,450 - - 329 50	Digging of graves Top soil Repairs to gate pillar General maintenance and sundries Insurance	3,500 848 512 667 50	
3,829			5,577
£5,535	NET INCOME FOR THE YEAR transferred to General Account (page 4)		£5,124
£2,500	ESTIMATE		£ -

The costs of labour with regards to the Verger and Cemetery Attendants are not shown above and are reflected under the Tresor vote on page 5.

GERVAISE LE GROS CENTRE ACCOUNT (INCLUDING CLARENDON HOUSE)

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2012

2010/2011			/2012
£	INCOME	£	£
45,810	Rent		47,818
	EXPENDITURE		
1,171 651 174 98 4,809	Agents fee Insurance Rates Telephone Electricity Maintenance and sundry expenditure	600 1,198 673 178 124 8,756	
6,903			11,529
£38,907	NET INCOME FOR THE YEAR transferred to General Account (page 4)		£36,289
£36,000	ESTIMATE		£36,000

Loan costs associated with the Gervaise Le Gros Centre loan are detailed in note 7.

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	FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2012		
2010/2011 £		201 :	1/2012
L	INCOME	£	£
19,728	Rent		20,340
	EXPENDITURE		
175 220 52 745	Insurance Rates Electricity Maintenance and sundry expenditure	179 227 52 58	
1,192			516
£18,536	NET INCOME FOR THE YEAR transferred to General Account (page 4)		£19,824
£17,000	ESTIMATE		£19,000

ROADS ACCOUNT

2010/2011 £		2011/2 £	012 £
41,006 122,502 15,497 6,327 3,918 3,232 15,150 4,627	EXPENDITURE Materials and expenses Wages and social security Pension fund contributions Pensions Motor expenses Traffic Warden - wages and expenses Driving licence expenses Rental - car park	52,881 122,511 15,969 5,889 5,148 4,111 6,635 5,053	218,197
48,901 460 212 520 - 50,093 5,480	Less: INCOME PERMITS AND LICENCES Driving licences Firearm certificates Chose Publique International driving permits Scaffolding permits FINES - proportion retained by Parish	49,990 1,670 1,065 510 200 	
55,573			63,813
£156,686	NET EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR transferred to General Account (page 6)		£154,384
£215,000	ESTIMATE		£180,525

MAISON ST BRELADE - INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2012

Actual 2010/2011 £		Budget 2011/2012 £	Actual 2011/2012 £
	INCOME		
1,394,297	Accommodation	1,536,761	1,576,270
21,774	Rental income	20,400	22,272
1,781	Bank interest	1,500	2,768
1,417,852		£1,558,661	£1,601,310
	EXPENDITURE		
1,101,840	Salaries, wages and social security contributions	1,221,000	1,204,925
16,274	Pension fund contributions	19,000	18,325
2,511	Pension contribution – pre 1987 debt	3,000	2,583
7,729	Staff training	12,000	7,267
67,118	Food	75,000	74,396
26,416	Cleaning and laundry	34,000	33,595
51,540	Heat, light and water	65,000	71,491
12,912	Insurance/rates/licences	24,000	14,516
3,185	Telephone and postage	4,000	2,869
4,466	Advertising, printing and stationery	6,000	4,365
31,878	Repairs and renewals	50,000	48,920
14,472	Gardeners wages	16,000	10,602
1,061	Gardens and floral decorations	3,000	1,187
2,460	Audit fee	3,500	2,480
-	Professional fees	1,000	-
1,864	Motor expenses	4,000	4,746
10	Bank charges	100	5
2,761	Computer expenses	2,000	1,795
11,334	Sundry expenses	18,000	17,734
1,359,831		1,560,600	1,521,801
	NET INCOME FOR THE YEAR		
58,021	before bank loan interest	(1,939)	79,509
	Bank loan interest		(8,878)
	RETAINED INCOME FOR THE YEAR		
£58,021	transferred to Maison St Brelade Reserve	<u>£(1,939</u>)	£70,631

MAISON ST BRELADE RESERVE FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2012

2010/2011 £		2011/2012 £
362,234	Balance at 1 May 2011	420,255
58,021	Retained income for the year	70,631
420,255		490,886
	Phase 1 furnishings	(59,210)
£420,255	BALANCE AT 30 APRIL 2012	£431,676

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - 30 APRIL 2012

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of accounting

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, and in accordance with accounting policies selected by the Parish.

Fixed assets

Land and buildings owned by the Parish are not reflected in the Summary of Balances and are listed in Note 4. No depreciation is provided on buildings.

The cost of general repairs and maintenance to buildings, and furniture, fittings and equipment is charged to General Account (Parish) or Income and Expenditure Account (Maison St Brelade) in the year of expenditure.

Property Reserve Fund

The Property Reserve Fund has been established to absorb part or all of any exceptional capital or major refurbishment costs in respect of parish properties, in order to equalise the effect of such expenditure, subject always to the decision of a Parish Assembly.

Motor Vehicles Reserve Fund

The Motor Vehicles Reserve Fund has been established to absorb part or all of any exceptional or major expenditure on parish vehicles, in order to equalise the effect of such expenditure, subject always to a decision of a Parish Assembly.

Office Systems Reserve Fund

The Office Systems Reserve Fund has been established to absorb part or all of any exceptional or major expenditure on office systems, in order to equalise the effect of such expenditure. Such expenditure is to be authorised by the Connétable and Procureurs du Bien Publiqué.

Roads Reserve Fund

The Roads Reserve Fund has been established to absorb part or all of any exceptional or major expenditure relating to resurfacing works, in order to equalise the effect of such expenditure. Such expenditure is to be authorised by the Connétable and Procureurs du Bien Publiqué.

Kerbside Recycling Scheme Reserve Fund

Subsequent to the year end a Parish Assembly established the Kerbside Recycling Scheme Reserve Fund in order to retain the sum of £80,000 as approved at the Parish Assembly on 12 July 2011 pending the implementation of a Kerbside Recycling Scheme.

Maison St Brelade Reserve

The Maison St Brelade Reserve has been established to absorb part or all of any exceptional costs in respect of Maison St Brelade in order to equalise the effect of such expenditure. Any surplus or deficit of income over expenditure in respect of Maison St Brelade is transferred to the reserve.

Income and expenditure

Income

All income is brought into account on a receipts basis except:-

General Account and Roads Account:

- Income from driving licences which is apportioned over the period of the licence.
- Rental income and deposit interest which are accounted for on an accruals basis.

Maison St Brelade Income and Expenditure Account:

- Receipts for residents' charges are brought into account on an accruals basis.

Expenditure

All expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - 30 APRIL 2012

2.	PARISH RATES AND SURCHARGES OUTSTANDING	2012	2011
	Balance of recoverable 2011 rates and surcharges	£1,184	£766
	Percentage of total adjusted cash receivable	0.09%	0.06%
3.	CASH AT BANK AND IN HAND		
		2012 £	2011 £
	Current accounts Deposit accounts Term deposit accounts Cash in hand Maison St Brelade extension and refurbishment accounts (note 3a)	6,782 60,000 1,511,198 22 - £1,578,002	1,111 56,250 1,383,204 179 1,153,544
3a.	At 30 April 2011 an amount of £1,153,544 was held in the Maison St E refurbishment accounts. These funds were utilised during the year towextension and refurbishment of Maison St Brelade with the balance beloan facility from Barclays Private Clients International Limited. A sum the project is set out below.	vards the costs ing funded by v	of the vay of a
	La Solanita fund St Sampson's Lodge fund Bequest received in respect of the late Elizabeth Jane Such Received from the Bosdet Foundation Anonymous donation received		458,330 781,190 100,000 200,000 100,000
	Bank deposit interest received – current year		1,639,520 3,947
	Payments to contractor Lending fee (note 3b) Legal and professional fees Insurance	2,933,321 40,000 124,842 5,000	
			(3,103,163)

At the balance sheet date a retention of £110,400 remained due to the contractor in addition to the sums shown above.

£(1,459,696)

3b. The loan from Barclays Private Clients International Limited relates to a facility of up to £3,200,000 which is available to the Parish. The loan is secured by a registered Promissory Note for an amount of £4,000,000 on Maison St Brelade. During the period from first drawdown until 31 March 2014 interest is charged at a rate of 2.25% plus the Banks Base rate. Thereafter the rate has been fixed at 7.2% until 31 March 2034 by when the loan must have been repaid in full.

Loan Facility – Barclays Private Clients International Limited (note 3b)

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4. PARISH PROPERTIES

Properties owned by the Parish include:

Children's play park - La Petite Route des Mielles Le

Church hall, office and cottage
Cimetière des Quennevais
(and including adjacent field)
Gervaise Le Gros Centre (including

Clarendon House)

Le Clos de Jacquet

(and certain small parcels of land)

Le Grand Clos du Coin (Clos des Pauvres)

Le Pavé

Maison St Brelade Parish Church

Parish Depot (old)- Le Mont les Vaux

Parish Hall

Parish Works Depot - Le Mont à la Brune

Rectory, cottage and outbuildings Refuse Depot - Le Mont à la Brune

All Parish properties were professionally valued for insurance purposes in October 2007.

5. PROPERTY RESERVE FUND

At a Parish Assembly held on 23 February 2010 a sum not to exceed £125,000 was voted from the Property Reserve Fund to cover the refurbishment of the general office and an upstairs meeting room. This work has been completed in the previous year at a total cost of £124,025.

At a Parish Assembly held on 24 January 2012 a sum of £22,500 was voted from the Property Reserve Fund to cover the cost of essential repairs and maintenance work required to the Refuse depot. During the year an amount of £15,216 was expended in this respect. Subsequent to the year end a further £5,071 has been spent to complete this work. The total cost of this work was £20,287.

6. OFFICE SYSTEMS RESERVE FUND

During the previous year an amount of £14,424 was expended by way of the Parish's contribution towards a new Jersey Rates Management Operating System along with an amount of £8,050 for a new telephone system. The total cost therefore amounted to £22,474.

7. STATES OF JERSEY LOAN

Gervaise Le Gros Centre	£
Balance at 1 May 2011	79,907
Interest	3,196
	83,103
Payment from General Account (page 6)	38,225
Balance at 30 April 2012	£44,878

The States Loan agreement in respect of Gervaise Le Gros Centre was signed on 17 June 1998. The £425,000 advanced is subject to interest at 4% per annum. The loan is being repaid in fourteen annual instalments of £38,224.97 followed by a final repayment of £8,786.42 in the year 2013. The first of such payments was made on 18 June 1999.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - 30 APRIL 2012

8. CHARITIES, CLUBS AND ASSOCIATIONS

	2012	2011
Duighton Cutures	£	£
Brighter Futures	300	-
Brig-y-Don Children's Charity	400	400
Brook in Jersey	400	400
Caesarean Muscular Dystrophy Welfare Society Inc.	400	400
Causeway Association	400	400
Family Nursing and Home Care (Jersey) Inc.	5,000	5,000
Headway Jersey	400	400
Jersey Across Group	400	400
Jersey Association for Youth and Friendship	400	400
Jersey Domestic Violence Forum	400	400
Jersey Friends of Air Search	600	600
Jersey Homeless Outreach Group	400	400
Jersey Hospice Care	1,000	1,000
Jersey Kidney Patients Association	400	400
Jersey Women's Refuge	400	400
Les Amis	400	-
Macmillan Cancer Support Ltd	400	400
Motor Neurone Disease Association (Jersey Branch)	400	400
Parkinsons Disease Society	400	400
Relate Jersey	400	400
Royal National Lifeboat Institution	600	600
St John Ambulance in Jersey	400	400
Silkworth	400	400
The Jersey Association of Carers Inc.	400	400
The Jersey Council on Alcoholism	400	400
The Jersey Society for Mentally Handicapped Children and Adults Inc.	400	400
The Samaritans (Jersey Branch)	400	400
The Shelter Trust	400	400
Victim Support Jersey	400	400
	17,100	16,400
Organisation, Clubs and Sundries	8,201	8,787
	£25,301	£25,187
Estimates	£25,750	£26,000

9. **CONTINGENT LIABILITY**

The Parish has entered into an agreement with The States of Jersey relating to the IT States Computer Link. In the event of a claim by The States of Jersey against the Parish of St Brelade, the Parish is liable for the first £11,623 of any claim.

10. GOODS AND SERVICES TAX

Part 4 of the Goods and Services Tax (Jersey) Law 2007 relates to the Public Sector and interprets "Parish" as any of the 12 Parishes of Jersey. The Parish, as a public authority, has special treatment under Regulation 5 of the Goods and Services Tax (Jersey) Regulations 2007. This determines the detail of the application of the Law to the 12 Parishes of Jersey. In particular a Parish is required to be registered for Goods and Services Tax (GST).

GST does not apply to the supply of goods and services by a Parish, being a supply that is not in the course of or furtherance of a business. Most of the income is from rates received and is not derived from business activities. Article 53 of the Law requires any GST paid by the Parish to be refunded if it is incurred on supplies or importations that were not for business purpose.

In summary, GST will not be charged by the Parish on the supply of goods and services connected with regulatory functions but GST charges will apply where the parish provides goods and services in competition with commercial concerns.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - 30 APRIL 2012

11. PENSION COSTS

Certain employees of the Parish, including Maison St Brelade, are members of the Public Employees Contributory Retirement Scheme ('PECRS'), which is a defined benefit pension scheme, open to employees of several employers in the Island of Jersey. The assets are held separately from those of the Parish. Contribution rates are determined by an independent actuary so as to spread the costs of providing benefits over the members' expected service lives.

Salaries and emoluments in the general account include pension contributions for staff to this scheme amounting to £49,990 (2011 - £46,933). The Maison St Brelade income and expenditure account includes pension contributions for staff to the scheme amounting to £18,325 (2011 - £16,274). Since the Parish is unable readily to identify its share of the underlying assets and liabilities of the PECRS, being a multi-employer scheme under Financial Reporting Standard 17 'Retirement Benefits' ('FRS 17'), contributions to the scheme will continue to be accounted for as if they were contributions to a defined contribution scheme.

Actuarial valuations are performed on a triennial basis, the most recent being at 31 December 2010. The main purposes of the valuation are to review the operations of the scheme, to report on its financial condition, and to confirm the adequacy of the contributions to support the scheme benefits. The valuation of the scheme at 31 December 2010 revealed a surplus of £40.6 million.

Up to January 2006 the Parish and Maison St Brelade's contribution rate was set at 15.16% of salary costs, but from February 2006 the PECRS actuary set the contribution rate at 13.60% of salary costs, with effect from 1 January 2002. Therefore, for the period 1 January 2002 to 31 January 2006 there were overpayments into the scheme in respect of annual contributions of PECRS members' salary costs.

However, in addition the Parish also has a liability to meet its share of the pre-1987 debt, as do all participating employers. This arose from the restructuring of the PECRS arrangements with effect from 1 January 1988. The PECRS Council of Management formally determined the pre-1987 liability in September 2005 and in January 2006 the Parish was advised of the repayment schedule to meet the liability, which was deemed to have taken effect from January 2002. The PECRS actuary advised that the Parish's share of the liability comprised two elements and was to be serviced in the following ways:

- 1) the payment of a fixed monthly sum for twelve months starting in February 2006 and ending on 31 January 2007 to clear the arrears due in respect of pre-1987 debt repayments net of the overpayment of contributions to the present scheme made in the period 1 January 2002 to 31 January 2006.
- 2) the payment of a monthly sum, starting in February 2006 and continuing until December 2083. Initially the monthly sum, which includes repayment of interest, was set at £740 and increases each January to an amount calculated by the actuary, but approximating to rises equal to the increase in pay of the PECRS membership. In January 2012 this amount had increased to £964 per month.

It is the Parish's accounting policy not to account for Fixed Assets or Long-term Liabilities. Therefore the above mentioned gross pension liability for the pre-1987 debt and the related charge has not been recorded in the financial statements at 30 April 2012. The Parish has agreed to meet this liability through an established repayment schedule, which would be in place even if the Parish has no participating members at the time. Under this schedule, payments made including interest incurred will be charged to the General Account (Parish) and Income & Expenditure Account (Maison St Brelade) in the year they are paid. In view of the agreed schedule the Constable and Procurers believe that the Parish is able to continue to meet all of its obligations as they fall due. Under the agreed scheme the Parish has the option to repay the full liability at any time.

ISLAND WIDE RATE/SURCHARGE

During the year the Parish was responsible for the collection of the Island Wide Rate from the parishioners of St Brelade and for payment of the sums collected to the States of Jersey.

Set out below is a summary of the collections:

W. L. 1997	£	£
Island Wide Rate 2011 Island Wide rate		1,011,240
Less: Adjustments Non recoverables and write offs Outstanding	217 (2,168) (923)	
		2,874
Balance paid to States of Jersey		£1,008,366
Surcharge 2011 Surcharge applied		3,220
Less: Non recoverables and write offs Outstanding	700 166	
		866
		£2,354
Allocation towards collection costs (page 4)		<u>£1,180</u>
Balance paid/payable to States of Jersey		£1,174

The above summary has been prepared from information at 30 April 2012. It is for information purposes only and does not form part of the audited financial statements of the Parish.

GENERAL ACCOUNT - ESTIMATES FOR THE YEAR ENDING 30 APRIL 2013

Estimates 2011/2012 £	Expenditure 2011/2012 £		Estimates 2012/2013 £
		ADMINISTRATION	
198,000	197,708	Salaries and social security	206,250
23,125	23,078	Pension fund contributions	23,600
14,900	14,875	Pensions	15,000
500	440	Etat Civil	1,000
4,375	4,375	Experts' fees	4,500
6,650	6,650	Audit fee	6,950
8,000	6,431	Professional fees	11,000
12,500	12,876	Telephone and postage	13,500
10,500	9,679	Advertising	8,500
7,000	5,791	Printing and stationery	7,750
1,800	1,800	Connétable's expenses	1,800
50,000	49,558	Parish Hall - upkeep and caretaker	47,750
2,500	2,316	Purchase and renting of office equipment	2,750
9,000	9,013	Information technology operational expenses	10,000
2,000	318	Staff training	3,000
7,750	7,618	Sundry insurance	7,800
14,250 2,100	10,792	Sundry expenses	17,000
4,250	2,109 3,015	Stray dogs	2,500
3,300	3,915 3,235	Comité des Connétables/Supervisory Committee Bank charges	4,000 3,300
5,000	792	Finance charges	2,000
		Tillance charges	2,000
387,500	373,369		399,950
		TRESOR	
75,250	73,622	Wages and social security	77,500
11,000	10,943	Pension fund contributions	11,450
5,875	5,832	Pensions	6,125
27,000	27,004	Repairs, maintenance and insurance	28,000
119,125	117,401		123,075
		CHARITIES AND GRANTS	
38,500	38,500	Communicare administration	37,000
25,750	25,301	Charities, clubs and associations	26,250
1,250	1,250	Citizens Advice Bureau	1,250
	•	St. Brelade Youth Club	•
8,300	8,300	Support youth workers	8,300
2,700	2,700	General running costs	10,000
76,500	76,051		82,800
7,750	5,851	SENIOR CITIZENS CHRISTMAS LUNCH	7,500
590,875	572,672	Carried forward to page 18	613,325

GENERAL ACCOUNT - ESTIMATES FOR THE YEAR ENDING 30 APRIL 2013

Estimates 2011/2012	Expenditure 2011/2012		Estimates 2012/2013 £
590,875	572,672	Brought forward from page 17	613,325
_	 	EXTERNAL SERVICES	
180,525	154,384	Roads account - general vote	180,000
32,000	26,605	Street lighting	25,000
361,958	361,958	Refuse collection - contract	373,000
- 20,750	(5,000) 19,360	Fuel supplement	- 22 500
5,500	4,652	Children's play park - wages and maintenance Repairs and running costs - other properties	22,500
4,250	2,837	Floral display	5,500 6,250
604,983	564,796		612,250
		HONORARY POLICE	
4,900	4,848	Motor expenses	5,000
6,550	6,509	Insurance	6,550
1,600	1,417	Telephone	1,600
2,000 5,100	1,825 4,608	Comité des Chef de Police	2,000
10,000	10,244	Honorary Police expenses Equipment and sundry expenses	5,250 10,000
9,500	9,416	Radios, including maintenance and subscription	9,600
2,000	1,559	Training	2,000
41,650	40,426		42,000
		LOAN	
38,225	38,225	Gervaise Le Gros Centre	38,225
F0.000	50.000	TRANSFERS TO RESERVE FUNDS	
50,000	50,000	Property	50,000
20,000 5,000	20,000 5,000	Motor Vehicles Office Systems	20,000 5,000
30,000	30,000	Roads	50,000
-	80,000	Kerbside Recycling	-
105,000	185,000		125,000
		PENSION	
8,600	8,642	Pre-1987 Debt	9,000
		NON RECURRING	
6,000 ————	670 	Paintings conservation	
80,000	<u>-</u>	KERBSIDE RECYCLING SCHEME	
£1,475,333	£ <u>1,410,431</u>	TOTAL ESTIMATED EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR	£1,439,800

GENERAL ACCOUNT - ESTIMATES FOR THE YEAR ENDING 30 APRIL 2013

2012 PARISH RATE - assessed at 138,212,314 Quarters (see below)	£	£	£	£
Quarters: at 0.90p at 0.91p at 0.92p at 0.93p	1,243,911	1,257,732	1,271,553	1,285,375
SURCHARGES RETENTION OF ISLAND WIDE	2,750	2,750	2,750	2,750
RATE SURCHARGES	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
PROVISION FOR ADJUSTMENTS/ NON RECOVERABLES	(5,000)	(5,000)	(5,000)	(5,000)
ESTIMATED ARREARS OF RATES/SURCHARGES ESTIMATED RECEIPTS (see below)	1,000 98,150	1,000 98,150	1,000 98,150	1,000 98,150
ESTIMATED TOTAL INCOME ESTIMATED TOTAL EXPENDITURE	1,341,811 1,439,800	1,355,632 1,439,800	1,369,453 1,439,800	1,383,275 1,439,800
ESTIMATED (DEFICIT) FOR THE YEAR BALANCE IN HAND AT 1 MAY 2012	(97,989) 580,456	(84,168) 580,456	(70,347) 580,456	(56,525) 580,456
NOTIONAL BALANCE IN HAND AT 30 APRIL 2013	£482,467	£496,288	£510,109	£523,931
ESTIMATED RECEIPTS			Receipts 2011/2012	
INCOME Rent				£
Deposit interest Speeding fines Property search fees Dog permits Hire of Parish Hall Income support scheme administration fee Sunday trading permits Firework licences Sundry Parish Book CIMÉTIERE DES QUENNEVAIS GERVAISE LE GROS CENTRE LE PAVÉ			12,122 12,880 5,105 4,039 6,475 5,058 1,272 1,905 15 2,911 167 51,949 5,124 36,289 19,824	£ 12,650 9,000 4,000 5,000 12,650 3,500 1,100 1,500 - 2,000 - 42,150 (1,500) 37,500 20,000

Note:

- The number of 2012 Rate quarters has increased by 2,437,300 quarters after accounting for adjustments.
- 0.01p per Quarter = £13,821 in Rate collectable.
- The 2011 Rate at 0.93p amounted to £1,262,708.

The above Rate represents the Parish Rate for both Domestic and Non–Domestic property. An additional amount will be collected by the Parish on behalf of the States of Jersey in respect of the Island Wide Rate. The Island Wide rate for 2012 has been set at 0.69p (2011 0.67p) per Quarter for Domestic property and 1.21p (2011 – 1.17p) per Quarter for Non-Domestic property.