

General Information	
Ministerial Decision Type	Miscellaneous
Report Title	Competition Law Consultation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Paper 1 – Market Studies</li> <li>• Paper 2 – Mergers and Acquisitions</li> <li>• Paper 3 – Appeals and Compliance</li> <li>• Paper 4 – Other Amendments</li> </ul>
Minister	Economic Development, Tourism, Sport and Culture
Signatory	Minister
Lead Department	Economy
Lead Directorate	Economic Advisory (Economy)
Ministerial Decision Summary: Public or <a href="#">Absolutely/Qualified</a> Exempt	Public Select if more than one Absolutely/Qualified Exemption.
Date decision made if different to date 'Ministerial Decision Summary' signed.	Select date.
Report and Supplemental Report Details	
Report Author	Head of Competition & Intellectual Property
Date of Report	06/02/2023
Supplementary Report Title <i>(If applicable)</i>	Insert Supplementary Report Title.
Supplementary Report Author <i>(If applicable)</i>	Insert Official Title Only.
Date of Supplementary Report <i>(If applicable)</i>	Select Date of Supplemental Report.
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Relevant Case/Application/URN <i>(Only complete if making a decision related to an appeal/case/application)</i>	Insert Relevant Case/Application.
Relevant Proposition Number <i>(Only complete if presenting Comments or if lodging an Amendment)</i>	Insert P. number.
Relevant Scrutiny Report <i>(Only complete if presenting a ministerial response)</i>	Insert S.R. number.
Associated Law(s) and/or Subordinate Legislation	Competition (Jersey) Law 2005 & Competition (Mergers and Acquisitions) (Jersey) Order 2010

Action required if recommendation agreed	Department to take necessary action.
Resource Implications	There are no new financial and/or manpower implications.

### **Introduction**

The Minister approved and authorised the publication of the Competition Law consultation papers to gather feedback on the proposed legislative changes set out therein.

### **Recommendation**

Other

To approve publication of the consultation.

### **Detail**

This consultation seeks views on several proposed legislative changes which aim to ensure the competition framework in Jersey supports business innovation, growth and competition on the merits, helps reduce prices and looks after the interests of consumers.

The publication of this consultation follows engagement with the Jersey Competition Regulatory Authority and legal and economic advisors. Their views and recommendations have helped shape the proposed legislative amendments.

To some stakeholders, certain parts of the consultation may be of more or less relevance than other parts. As such, in order to enhance user-friendliness, the consultation has been divided in four, easily identifiable, papers (labelled 1 to 4):

1. Market Studies
2. Mergers and Acquisitions
3. Appeals & Compliance
4. Other Amendments