



ST HELENA LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

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Third Sitting of Ministers Question Time

**Tuesday, 13 January 2026 at 10:00am
In the Council Chambers**

STRATEGIC PRIORITIES IDENTIFIED WITHIN THE FIRST 100 DAYS IN OFFICE

QUESTIONS:

The Hon Clint Beard:

Can the Honourable Chief Minister please tell this house what strategic differences does the new ministerial vision have compared to the previous vision implemented by the previous ministerial team?

The Hon Ronald Coleman:

Will the Honourable Chief Minister tell this Council what provisions will be made in the Ministerial Vision for affordable housing, to include for the homeless, those who cannot afford to build their own, those who would like independent living which should include young people also bearing in mind all ages in our society including those with disabilities to be inclusive?

The Hon Dr Corinda Essex:

Will the Honourable Chief Minister tell this Council what key policy development has taken place since the 2025 General Election, and summarise what progress has been made relating to this?

The Hon Dennis Leo:

Will the Honourable Chief Minister advise on the priorities and actions considered in the first 100 days to address the agriculture sector's concerns about the availability of suitable water supplies?

The Hon Robert Midwinter:

Will the Honourable Chief Minister tell this Council what new measures have been put in place by her government to improve openness and transparency?

The Hon Julie Thomas:

Will the Honourable Chief Minister, confirm whether the reorganisation of primary education into dedicated KS1 and KS2 schools is fully operational and safe for pupils to return to school from this week, and what assurances can be given to students, parents and the wider public that all critical arrangements – particularly transport, staffing, and resources – are now in place?

The Hon Derek Thomas:

Will the Honourable Chief Minister tell this council, since cargo operations began being offloaded at Rupert's, has there been a measurable increase in the retail price of food products, and if so, by how much?