



# The St. Helena Government Gazette

Vol. LXII

Published by Authority

No.13.

Present Issue

31 January 2026

NO.	CONTENTS	PAGE
14	APPOINTMENTS AND STAFF CHANGES	14
15	APPOINTMENT OF MOTOR LICENSING OFFICER	29
16	APPOINTMENT OF INCOME TAX OFFICER	29
17	APPOINTMENT OF ACTING JUDGE	30
18	APPOINTMENT OF ACTING COLLECTOR OF CUSTOMS	31
19	APPOINTMENT OF MEDICAL PRACTITIONER	32
20	APPOINTMENT OF BIOSECURITY OFFICER	33
21	APPOINTMENT OF MEMBER OF EMPLOYMENT RIGHTS COMMITTEE	34
22	APPOINTMENT OF CUSTOMS OFFICER	35
23	APPOINTMENT OF POLICE OFFICER	36
24	APPOINTMENT OF MEMBER OF COMMISSION FOR EQUALITY AND HUMAN RIGHTS	36
25	APPOINTMENT OF MEMBER OF PRISON VISITING COMMITTEE	37
26	APPOINTMENT OF MEMBER OF PRISON VISITING COMMITTEE	38
27	APPOINTMENT OF CLERK OF LAND DEVELOPMENT APPEALS TRIBUNAL	39
28	APPOINTMENT OF MEDICAL EXAMINER	40
29	APPOINTMENT OF PHARMACIST	41
30	APPOINTMENT OF SECRETARY OF THE ELIZA MARY LLOYD TRUST	42

No. 14

## Appointments

Dr Nageena Hussain, Locum Anaesthetist, Health and Social Care Portfolio	14 December 2025
Mrs Judith Awuor, Emergency Medical Technician, Health and Social Care Portfolio	15 December 2025
Miss Pinglawathee Madona, Laboratory Manager, Health and Social Care Portfolio	1 January 2026
Dr Lars Ilum, Locum Endoscopist, Health and Social Care Portfolio	1 January 2026
Mr Shane Benjamin, Postal Officer, Treasury	2 January 2026

---

Mr Harry Bedford, Locum Physiotherapist, Health and Social Care Portfolio	4 January 2026
Ms Susan Simpson, Locum Theatre Sister, Health and Social Care Portfolio	4 January 2026
Mr Peter Thomas, Transport Services Manager, Central Support Service	5 January 2026
Mr Austin Francis, Agricultural Assistant, Education, Skills and Employment Portfolio	5 January 2026
Mrs Karen Buckley, Land Registry Officer, Economic Development Portfolio	5 January 2026
Mr Peter Meji, Community Preventative Healthcare Assistant, Health and Social Care Portfolio	6 January 2026
Miss Stacey Young, Education IT Systems Administrator, Central Support Service	6 January 2026
Mr Alex Hudson, Specialist ICT Support Technician, Central Support Service	7 January 2026
Mrs Annabelle Palmer, Detective Inspector, Safety, Security and Home Affairs Portfolio	8 January 2026
Miss Emily Murray, Occupational Therapist, Health and Social Care Portfolio	9 January 2026
Mr John Paveley, Staff Nurse, Health and Social Care Portfolio	11 January 2026
Miss Florence Mbowa, High Level Teaching Assistant, Pilling Primary School, Education, Skills and Employment Portfolio	12 January 2026
Mr Joshua Solomon, Teaching Assistant, Pilling Primary School, Education, Skills and Employment Portfolio	12 January 2026
Mrs Verline Leo, Immigration Officer, Safety, Security and Home Affairs Portfolio	12 January 2026
Ms Noluthando Hlatshwayo, Trainee Dental Technician, Health and Social Care Portfolio	12 January 2026
Mr Jacob Asplin, Public Health Registrar, Health and Social Care Portfolio	12 January 2026
Mr Alex Richards, Trainee Mechanic, Central Support Service	19 January 2026
Miss Sophie Evans, Locum Crown Prosecutor, Attorney General's Chambers	25 January 2026

### **Acting Appointments**

Mr Alan Bennett, Deputy Customer Services Manager to Acting Customer Service Manager, Treasury	24 November 2025 – 2 December 2025 inclusive
Miss Linda Fuller, Prison Manager to Acting Superintendent of Prisons, Safety, Security and Home Affairs Portfolio	29 November 2025 – 20 December 2025 inclusive
Miss Petronella Chemhere, Financial Audit Manager to Acting Deputy Chief Auditor, St Helena Audit Service	1 December 2025

---

Ms Samantha Musoni, Care Assistant to Acting Care Assistant Health & Social Care Portfolio	1 December 2025 – 30 April 2026 inclusive
Mrs Carol Henry, Head of Administration Support Service to Acting Deputy Chief Secretary, Central Support Service	8 December 2025 – 21 December 2025 inclusive
Mr Christopher Wade, Watch Manager to Acting Brigade Manager, Safety, Security and Home Affairs Portfolio	19 December 2025 – 24 January 2026 inclusive
Mrs Tinevimbonashe Hove, Deputy Community Care Centre Residential Manager to Acting Community Care Centre Residential Manager, Health and Social Care Portfolio	26 January 2026 – 31 July 2026 inclusive
Mr Stephen Bell, Police Tutor Constable to Acting Police Sergeant, Safety, Security and Home Affairs Portfolio	15 January 2026 – 12 February 2026 inclusive
Mr Khonzuyise Mahlaba, Support Worker to Acting Senior Support Worker, Health and Social Care Portfolio	17 January 2026 – 22 February 2026 inclusive

### **Transfers**

Mr Kevin Yon, Care Assistant to Community Care Officer, Health and Social Care Portfolio	19 November 2025
Miss Zoe George, Land Registry Officer/Deputy Registrar of Lands, Economic Development to Judicial Services Officer, Judicial Services	1 December 2025
Miss Chelsea Henry, Higher Level Teaching Assistant to Teacher Pilling Primary School, Education, Skills and Employment Portfolio	1 January 2026
Miss Belinda Piek, Administration Team Leader, Central Support Service to Pensions and Payroll Manager, Treasury	2 January 2026
Mrs Isabel Andrews, Deputy Head Teacher to Head of Humanities Department, Education, Skills and Employment Portfolio	7 January 2026
Miss Grace Agbejoye, Care Assistant to Community Preventative Healthcare Assistant, Health and Social Care Portfolio	12 January 2026

### **Promotion**

Mr Rhys Francis, Fire Fighter to Watch Manager, Safety, Security and Home Affairs Portfolio	1 December 2025
--	-----------------

### End of Contract

Mr Saad Mohammed, Monitoring, Evaluation and Learning Officer, Programme Management Office, Central Support Service	3 January 2026
Miss Nyreeka Lawrence, Trainee Dental Nurse, Health and Social Care Portfolio	9 January 2026
Mrs Adele McMichael, Occupational Therapist, Health and Social Care Portfolio	11 January 2026
Mr Richard Wotton, Chartered Engineer (EDIP), Central Support Service	22 January 2026
Dr Nageena Hussain, Locum Anaesthetist, Health and Social Care Portfolio	26 January 2026
Mrs Nicola Flint, Locum Crown Counsel, Attorney General's Chambers	31 January 2026

### Resignations

Mrs Ana-Maria Nicolau, Dental Officer, Health and Social Care Portfolio	19 December 2025
Miss Tyran Henry, Customs Officer, Safety, Security and Home Affairs Portfolio	20 December 2025
Mr Sabastian Stent, Senior Marketing Manager, Central Support Service	31 December 2025
Mrs Hannah Herne, Sheltered Housing Manager, Health and Social Care Portfolio	31 December 2025
Mr Jamie Yon, Sea Rescue Coxswain, Safety, Security and Home Affairs Portfolio	22 January 2026
Mr Jamie Essex, Trainee Coxswain, Safety, Security and Home Affairs Portfolio	22 January 2026
Mrs Deborah Tatum, Senior Social Worker (Adults & Communities), Health and Social Care Portfolio	23 January 2026
Mr Martin Greenhalgh, Community Care Centre and Residential Development Manager, Health and Social Care Portfolio	23 January 2026
Ms Rachel Van Heerden, Sister/Charge Nurse, Health and Social Care Portfolio	31 January 2026

### Retirement

Mrs Susan O'Bey, Chief Secretary, Central Support Service	7 January 2026
---	----------------

Ian Todd OBE  
Chief Secretary

The Castle, St Helena  
31 January 2026

---

No.15**St Helena, Ascension and Tristan Da Cunha Constitution Order 2009****SCHEDULE****Chapter 2****ASCENSION****ROAD TRAFFIC ORDINANCE, 1984****Appointment of Motor Licensing Officer**

I, the Administrator of Ascension, acting in accordance with the provisions of section 3(a) of the Road Traffic Ordinance 1984, hereby appoint Inspector Alexander John Warner to be the Motor Licensing Officer of Ascension with immediate effect.

The appointment of Inspector Jonathan Leroy Thomas as the Motor Licensing Officer of Ascension made on 18 March 2025 is revoked with immediate effect.

Dated this 04th day of August 2025

Simon Minshull  
Administrator of Ascension

No.16

**INCOME TAX ORDINANCE 2001****Appointment of Income Tax Officer**

I, the Commissioner of Income Tax, acting in accordance with the provisions of section 3(3) of the Income Tax Ordinance, 2001, hereby appoint Kerry Ann Benjamin to be an Income Tax Officer with effect from 31st December 2025.

The appointment of Ms Amelia Knipe as Income Tax Officer made on 12th January 2021 and published in Gazette No 06 dated 12th January 2021 is revoked with effect from 31st December 2025.

Dated this 31st day of December 2025

Peter Thomas  
Commissioner of Income Tax

No.17

**St Helena, Ascension and Tristan Da Cunha Constitution Order 2009****CHAPTER 1****ST HELENA****Appointment of Acting Judge**

**WHEREAS** Part 6 of Chapter 1 of the Schedule to the St Helena, Ascension and Tristan da Cunha (Constitution) Order, 2009 establishes a Supreme Court for St Helena, and section 84(1) thereof provides for the appointment of a Chief Justice and such number of other judges of the said Court as may be prescribed by law.

**AND WHEREAS** it is provided by section 90(2) thereof that the Governor may, acting in accordance with the recommendation of the Chief Justice, appoint such acting judge of the Supreme Court.

**AND WHEREAS** the Chief Justice Rupert Trevelyan Jones has recommended the appointment of Sir Nicholas Blake as acting Judge of the Supreme Court of St Helena for all matters incidental to the judicial reviews of the Civil Litigation (Costs) Ordinance, 2025.

**NOW THEREFORE**, in exercise of the powers vested in the Governor and acting in accordance with the recommendation of the Chief Justice, I, Nigel Phillips CBE, Governor, hereby appoint Sir Nicholas Blake to act as a Judge of the Supreme Court for the above named case.

Dated this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of January 2026.

Nigel Phillips CBE  
Governor

---

No.18**St Helena, Ascension and Tristan Da Cunha Constitution Order 2009 Schedule,****Chapter 2****ASCENSION****CUSTOMS ORDINANCE 2001****Appointment of Acting Collector of Customs**

Acting in exercise of the power conferred on the Governor by section 4(1) of the Ascension Island Customs Ordinance, 2001, read with section 18 of the Interpretation Ordinance, 1968, I, Nigel Phillips CBE, Governor hereby appoint Catherine Elizabeth Jones to be acting Collector of Customs with immediate effect.

The appointment of Peter James Thomas as Collector of Customs, published in Gazette No 9 dated 31 January 2024 is revoked with immediate effect.

Dated this 5<sup>th</sup> day of January 2026

Nigel Phillips CBE  
Governor

**St Helena, Ascension and Tristan da Cunha Constitution Order 2009****CHAPTER 1****ST HELENA****MENTAL HEALTH AND MENTAL CAPACITY ORDINANCE, 2015****Approved Doctor**

Acting in exercise of the power conferred on the Governor by section 4(1) of the Mental Health and Mental Capacity Ordinance, 2015, I, Nigel Phillips CBE, Governor hereby approve Dr Nigel Mark Leaver as an Approved Doctor for the purposes of Chapter 1 of that Ordinance with effect from 6 January 2026.

Dated this 5<sup>th</sup> day of January 2026

Nigel Phillips CBE  
Governor

**St Helena, Ascension and Tristan Da Cunha Constitution Order 2009****SCHEDULE****CHAPTER 2****ASCENSION****BIOSECURITY ORDINANCE 2020****Appointment of Biosecurity Officer**

Acting in exercise of the power conferred on the Governor by section 3(1) of the Biosecurity Ordinance, 2020, I, Nigel Phillips CBE, Governor hereby appoint Kerry Ann Benjamin to be a Biosecurity Officer with immediate effect.

The appointment of Amelia Knipe as a Biosecurity Officer published in Gazette No 131 dated 20 November 2020 is revoked with immediate effect.

Dated this 9<sup>th</sup> day of January 2026

Nigel Phillips CBE  
Governor

**St Helena, Ascension and Tristan da Cunha Constitution Order 2009****SCHEDULE****CHAPTER 1****ST HELENA****EMPLOYMENT RIGHTS ORDINANCE, 2010****Appointment of Member of the Employment Rights Committee**

Acting in exercise of the power conferred on the Governor by section 7(2)(b) of the Employment Rights Ordinance, 2010, I, Nigel Phillips CBE, Governor hereby appoint Christine Ann Muir to be a Member of the Employment Rights Committee for a period of two years with effect from 9 February 2026.

Dated this 9<sup>th</sup> day of January 2026

Nigel Phillips CBE  
Governor

**St Helena, Ascension and Tristan Da Cunha Constitution Order 2009****SCHEDULE****CHAPTER 2****ASCENSION****CUSTOMS ORDINANCE 2001****Appointment of Customs Officer**

Acting in exercise of the power conferred on the Governor by section 4(1) of the Ascension Island Customs Ordinance, 2001, I, Nigel Phillips CBE, Governor hereby appoint Kerry Ann Benjamin to be a Customs Officer with immediate effect.

The appointment of Amelia Elaine Knipe as a Customs Officer published in Gazette No 36 dated 29 April 2002 is revoked with immediate effect.

Dated this 9<sup>th</sup> day of January 2026

Nigel Phillips CBE  
Governor

No.23

**St Helena, Ascension and Tristan da Cunha Constitution Order 2009****SCHEDULE****CHAPTER 1****ST HELENA****POLICE SERVICE ORDINANCE, 1975****Appointment of Police Officer**

Acting in exercise of the special responsibility and power respectively conferred on the Governor by section 44(1)(c) of the Constitution of St Helena and section 4(2) of the Police Service Ordinance, 1975, I, Nigel Phillips CBE, Governor hereby appoint Annabelle Victoria Palmer to be a Police Officer with effect from 12 January 2026.

Dated this 9<sup>th</sup> day of January 2026

Nigel Phillips CBE  
Governor

No.24

**St Helena, Ascension and Tristan Da Cunha Constitution Order 2009****CHAPTER 1****ST HELENA****COMMISSION FOR EQUALITY AND HUMAN RIGHTS ORDINANCE, 2015****Resignation of Member of the Commission for Equality and Human Rights**

Notice is hereby given that, in accordance with section 3(d) of Schedule 1 to the Commission for Equality and Human Rights Ordinance 2015, Kelly McDermott resigned as a Member of the Commission with effect from 12 January 2026.

Ian Todd OBE  
Chief Secretary

The Castle, Jamestown  
14 January 2026

**St Helena, Ascension and Tristan Da Cunha Constitution Order 2009**

**SCHEDULE**

**CHAPTER 1**

**ST HELENA**

**PRISONS ORDINANCE, 1960**

**Prisons Rules, 1999**

**Appointment of Member of the Visiting Committee**

Acting in exercise of the power conferred on the Governor by Rule 42(1) of the Prisons Rules, 1999, I, Nigel Phillips CBE, Governor hereby appoint Raymond Douglas Hudson to be a Member of the Visiting Committee for a period of one year with effect from 1 March 2026.

Dated this 14<sup>th</sup> day of January 2026

Nigel Phillips CBE  
Governor

**St Helena, Ascension and Tristan Da Cunha Constitution Order 2009****SCHEDULE****CHAPTER 1****ST HELENA****PRISONS ORDINANCE, 1960****Prisons Rules, 1999****Appointment of Member of the Visiting Committee**

Acting in exercise of the power conferred on the Governor by Rule 42(1) of the Prisons Rules, 1999, I, Nigel Phillips CBE, Governor hereby appoint Eileen Jean Hudson to be a Member of the Visiting Committee for a period of two years with effect from 19 March 2026.

Dated this 14<sup>th</sup> day of January 2026

Nigel Phillips CBE  
Governor

**St Helena, Ascension and Tristan da Cunha Constitution Order 2009****CHAPTER 1****ST HELENA****LAND PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT CONTROL ORDINANCE, 2013****Appointment of Clerk of Land Development Appeals Tribunal**

Acting in exercise of the power conferred on the Governor by section 52(5) of the Land Planning and Development Control Ordinance, 2013, I Nigel Phillips CBE, Governor hereby appoint Zoe Marie George to be the Clerk of the Land Development Appeals Tribunal to perform the duties of the Clerk prescribed by or under the Ordinance for a period of two years with immediate effect.

The appointment of Amelia Jane Gough as Clerk of the Land Development Appeals Tribunal published in Gazette No 70 dated 31 December 2023 is hereby revoked.

Dated this 20<sup>th</sup> day of January 2026

Nigel Phillips CBE  
Governor

**St Helena, Ascension and Tristan Da Cunha Constitution Order 2009****SCHEDULE****CHAPTER 1****ST HELENA****CORONERS AND PRESUMPTION OF DEATH ORDINANCE, 2015****Appointment of Medical Examiner**

Acting in exercise of the power conferred on the Governor by section 13(1) of the Coroners and Presumption of Death Ordinance, 2015, and acting after consultation with the Chief Coroner, I, Nigel Phillips CBE, Governor hereby appoint Dr Alan Keith Fletcher to be a Medical Examiner for a period of three years with effect from 3 April 2026.

Dated 20<sup>th</sup> day of January 2026

Nigel Phillips CBE  
Governor

**St Helena, Ascension and Tristan Da Cunha Constitution Order 2009****SCHEDULE****CHAPTER 1****ST HELENA****PHARMACY AND POISONS ORDINANCE, 1937****Appointment of Pharmacist**

Acting in exercise of the power conferred on the Governor by section 3(1) of the Pharmacy and Poisons Ordinance, 1937 and on the recommendation of Dr Peter Moss, Chief Medical Officer, authorised by the Governor for the purpose of making the recommendation in accordance with section 17(2) of the Interpretation Ordinance, 1968, I, Nigel Phillips CBE, Governor hereby appoint Liezel De Vos to practice pharmacy in St Helena with effect from 6 February 2026.

Dated this 26<sup>th</sup> day of January 2026

Nigel Phillips CBE  
Governor

**St Helena, Ascension and Tristan Da Cunha Constitution Order 2009****CHAPTER 1****ST HELENA****ELIZA MARY LLOYD TRUST ORDINANCE, 1961****Appointment of Secretary of the Eliza Mary Lloyd Trust**

Acting in exercise of the power conferred on the Governor by Section 3 of the Eliza Mary Lloyd Trust Ordinance, 1961, read with section 28 of the Interpretation Ordinance, 1968 I, Nigel Phillips CBE, Governor hereby appoint Rea Niece Williams to be the Secretary to the Eliza Mary Lloyd Trust with immediate effect.

Dated this 30<sup>th</sup> day of January 2026

Nigel Phillips CBE  
Governor