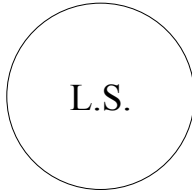


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**FIREARMS ORDINANCE, 2020**

**FIREARMS ORDINANCE (COMMENCEMENT) ORDER, 2023**

In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 1(1) of the Firearms Ordinance, 2020, the Governor, after consultation with the Island Council of Ascension, makes the following Order.

**Citation**

1. This Order may be cited as the Firearms Ordinance (Commencement) Order, 2023.

**Firearms Ordinance, 2020**

2. The Firearms Ordinance, 2020 shall come into force in full on 1<sup>st</sup> January 2024.

Made by the Governor this 20<sup>th</sup> day of December 2023.

Nigel Phillips, CBE  
Governor of Ascension

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**EXPLANATORY NOTE**

*(This note does not form part of the Order)*

The Firearms Ordinance, 2020 (“the Ordinance”) was enacted 6<sup>th</sup> February 2020, following consultation with the Island Council. Article 2 of this order uses the power granted to the Governor to bring the Ordinance into force on a date specified, namely 1<sup>st</sup> January 2024.