

Public Register of Committees and Quasi-Autonomous Entities 2018

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Advisory Council on the Misuse of Drugs	The Advisory Council on the Misuse of Drugs makes recommendations to government on the control of dangerous or otherwise harmful drugs, including classification and scheduling under the Misuse of Drugs Act 1971 and its regulations. ACMD is an advisory non-departmental public body	8	Tynwald	Misuse of Drugs Act 1976, Section 1, Schedule 1	Health and Social Care, Education, Sport and Culture, Chief Constable	Tynwald SAPRC	N/A	No
Advocates Act Committee	Functions conferred by the Advocates Act 1995	3	Courts	Courts	Courts			
Agricultural Marketing Committee	Represents producers and consumers	7	Environment, Food and Agriculture in partnership with Office of Fair Trading, subject to approval of Tynwald	Agricultural Marketing (No. 2) Act 1948	Environment, Food and Agriculture			No
Agricultural Marketing Society	Marketing advice and consultation	15	Elections by producers	Section 3, Agricultural Marketing Act 1934	Environment, Food and Agriculture			Yes
Agricultural Wages Board	Sets wages and benefits for agricultural and horticultural workers in the IOM	9	Environment, Food and Agriculture	Section 1, Agricultural Wages Act 1952	Environment, Food and Agriculture			Yes
Appointments Commission	Independent body	5	Council of Ministers	Tribunals Act 2006 - Section 5	Council of Ministers		n/a - does not exist	Yes
Isle of Man Arts Council	Delegated Ministerial Authority to administer and distribute funding derived from lottery ticket sales tax to enable arts and creative activities and development.	9	Education, Sport and Culture	Section 3 of the Government Departments Act 1987	Education, Sport and Culture			No.
Chief Ministers Regeneration Steering Group	The Committee is responsible for developing and driving the strategy and implementation of the regeneration of the Island's town centres and villages	4	Council of Ministers	The Town and Village Centre Regeneration scheme 2013 (SD 0730/2012)	Chief Minister			No
Children, Adults and Communities Strategic Commissioning Board	Lead Officers type group, developing a commissioning framework for community services to meet the needs of children and adults	8	Council of Ministers Social Policy and Children's Committee	None	Cabinet Office			
Coroners (x4)	Summoning of jurors; service of process and other documents; and enforcement of executions in respect of court judgments	4	Appointed by the Lieutenant Governor	Customary Laws Act 1422	General Registry		Code of Conduct and a complaints procedure are in place	
Court of Inquiry	If a trade dispute is not settled, an Industrial Relations Officer may request the Council of Ministers to establish a Court of Inquiry. The Court will investigate and report making recommendations. Special procedures apply where the dispute affects services designated as "essential". No services are current designated as such.	1 or more members	Council of Ministers but if the dispute is in an essential service, the Appointments Commission will appoint the Court	Trade Disputes Act 1985 ss 3.3A & 4	MIRS?			
Criminal Justice Board	To provide strategic direction and engagement of criminal justice agencies	8	Self-Convened following publication of Criminal Justice Strategy	None	Home Affairs	None	Individual agencies manage complaints	No
Manx Heritage Foundation t/a Culture Vannin	Promotion, preservation and communication of Manx cultural heritage. Delivery of events, classes and publications relating to cultural heritage of the Isle of Man	7	Council of Ministers subject to Tynwald approval	Manx Heritage Foundation Act 1982	Tynwald			
Education Act Religious Education Committee	Advice etc on religious education in schools	15	Education Council (under regulations made by DEC)	Section 12, Education Act 2001	Education, Sport and Culture			Yes Education Council Members
Education Council	To advise the Department, act as its representatives on Governing Bodies of schools and undertake other duties as requested by the Department, e.g. appeal panels for pupil suspensions, etc.	10	Appointments Commission	Miscellaneous Provisions Act 2009	Education, Sport and Culture			Yes Education Council Members

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Environment and Infrastructure Committee	Sub-committee of Council of Ministers whose purpose is to co-ordinate the development and delivery of integrated policy in relation to the Island's environment and the infrastructure necessary to ensure that well targeted effective efficient public services are provided to support Governments policy priorities	5	Council of Ministers	None	Cabinet Office			No
Estate Agents Tribunal	To consider complaints against Registered Estate Agents and determine grounds for any disciplinary action.	5	OFT Board and IOM Estate Agents' Association	Estate Agents Act 1975 (section 6)	Office of Fair Trading	None as a matter of course	None as a matter of course	Yes
European Union Advisory Group	The remit of the Advisory Group is: To assist in the development of Isle of Man Government policy options in respect of the Isle of Man's future relationship with the European Union; To provide a forum in which developments in respect of the UK's withdrawal from the EU can be assessed alongside consideration of Department issues and likely implications for the Island, and; To identify opportunities arising from the withdrawal of the UK from the EU.	8	Council of Ministers	None - established by the Chief Minister and announced in Tynwald Court at a special sitting concerning the outcome of the UK-EU Referendum held on 28 June 2016	Cabinet Office			
Financial Services Ombudsman Scheme	Dispute resolution service.	6	Appointments Commission	Schedule 4 of the Financial Services Act 2008	Office of Fair Trading			
Firearms Consultative Committee	The Firearms Consultative Committee (the Committee) is a body formed from representatives of the Island's firearms community (e.g. range operators, firearms dealers and user groups) along with the representatives from the Police Firearms Unit and the Department. As required under legislation the Department consults with this body prior to making regulations regarding the use of regulated weapons (e.g. shot guns, air rifles and cross-bows).	11	Police Firearms Division, Home Affairs	Section 11(2) of the Shot Guns, Air Weapons and Cross-Bows Act 1994	Home Affairs	None	N/A	No
Gaelic Broadcasting Committee	To promote and support the making and broadcasting of programmes in Manx Gaelic and programmes which promote the language.	6	Cabinet Office	Broadcasting Act 1993	Culture Vannin	N/A	With GBC now sitting with Culture Vannin, any complaint would come to GBC committee and then to the board of Culture Vannin.	Not to members.
Gambling Appeals Tribunals	Statutory Tribunal	0	Appointments Commission	Gambling (Amendment) Act 2006 - Part 4	N/a - independent Tribunal		n/a - does not exist	No
Health Services Consultative Committee	To support the Isle of Man Health Services by providing independent scrutiny and advice on the operations, performance and effectiveness of the management of the service. The scope of the HSCC does not include the effectiveness of the clinical intervention delivered by the DHSC.	9	Appointments Commission	National Health Services Act 2001 & HSCC Reg 2012	Tynwald and Health and Social Care	None	N/A	Yes
Health Services Independent Review Body	To review complaints concerning the provision of services under the National Health Service Act 2001 where local resolution has not been achieved.	6	Appointments Commission	NHS (IRB) Regulations 2004	Health and Social Care		N/A	Yes
Independent Adjudicators (Prison)	To undertake independent adjudications regarding the discipline of prisoners at the IOM Prison	2	Appointments Commission	Section 18B of the Custody Act 1995 and Rule 58A of the Custody Rules 2015	Home Affairs			

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Independent Monitoring Board (Prison)	To satisfy themselves as to the state of the premises of an institution the administration of the institution and the treatment of detainees with the power to direct the Governor's and Home Affairs attention to any issues and abuse	13	Minister for Home Affairs	Part 7 (rules 80-88) of the Custody Rules 2015	Home Affairs			yes
Independent Schools Tribunal	Consider and determine issues in relation to independent schools	Legislation allows for 3	Appointments Commission	Section 44, Education Act 2001	Education, Sport and Culture			
International Development Committee	to implement the government's policy on international development by ensuring that aid is targeted effectively, that appropriate mechanisms are in place for granting aid, that the Island's voluntary sector is engaged in the process continue to encourage the support to alleviate world poverty	5	Council of Ministers	Non statutory but follows Council policy in June 2008 "The Policy and Funding of Overseas Aid"	Cabinet Office			No
IOM Sport (formerly Sports Council)	Supporting the funding and development of the voluntary sports sector including the Governing Bodies of Sport; and promoting excellence in sport	8	Council of Ministers	Established by Tynwald	Education, Sport and Culture			No
Isle of Man Government Preservation of War Memorials Committee	Identification and preservation of War Memorials across the Island	up to 7	Council of Ministers	N/A	Cabinet Office			
Isle of Man Information Commissioner	Independent supervisory body for the Data Protection Act 2002 and the Unsolicited Communications Regulations 2005.	1	Council of Ministers	Data Protection Act 2002 and Freedom of Information Act 2015 and the independence of the Office its duties and functions including international duties under Council of Europe Convention 108 and European Directive 95/46/EC are				
Isle of Man Queen Scallop Management Board	To advise in respect of the sustainable management of the queen scallop fishery in the territorial waters of the Island	Up to 12	Environment, Food and Agriculture	Section 36(9) of Fisheries Act 2012	Environment, Food and Agriculture			No payments made at present
Isle of Man Research Ethics Committee (formerly Local Research Ethics Committee)	To provide ethical advice for any research proposal involving patients, users of the Departments services, access to data, organs or other bodily the departments premises or facilities, and departmental staff. The committee also provides opinions on the ethics of similar research studies carried out by private sector companies, MRC, charities or universities. The Committee will also examine the scientific value of the research, the experience of the researchers and the availability of equipment and funding.	12	Health and Social Care	None	Health and Social Care	None	N/A	Yes
Learning Disability Partnership Board	The primary aims and objectives of the Partnership Board are to ensure the recommendations of the LD Strategy 2014 -19 are taken forward and achieved. The board will aim to improve the lives of people with learning disability and ensure they are included and contribute to the Partnership Board	Variable	Health and Social Care	None	Health and Social Care	None	N/A	No
Legal Aid Committee	Set strategic direction, determine policy and shape the development of Legal Aid in the Isle of Man and oversee its effective delivery.	7	Appointments Commission	S.23 Legal Aid Act 1986	Treasury, Social Security Division	None	Own procedure on website	Yes

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Legislation Committee	Sub-committee of Council of Ministers whose purpose is to consider legislative priorities of Government and make a recommendation to Council in respect of the programme for each legislative session of the administration	8	Council of Ministers	None	Cabinet Office			
Manx Industrial Relations Service	Industrial Relations	2	Governor in Council subject to Tynwald Approval	Trade Disputes Act	Cabinet Office/Enterprise			
Manx Museum and National Trust	To lead the Island's community in recognising, understanding, valuing and promoting its cultural heritage and identity to a worldwide audience.	Up to 15	Public Appointment Council of Ministers subject to Tynwald approval	A Charitable Trust, Manx registered charity no 603 existing by statute as the Manx Museum & National Trust.	Enterprise	None directly	cross government report and whistleblowing policy	Yes
Manx National Economic Development Forum	To provide a platform for identifying ways in which the Island's economic performance and prosperity can be enhanced and the Programme for Government actions regarding the economy can be implemented	4	Cabinet Office	International Labour Organisation Standards	Cabinet Office			
Manx Radio Ltd	Public Broadcasting		Treasury		Communications Commission/Treasury			
Mental Health Commission	In accordance with the Terms of Reference, as agreed with the Department, the purpose of the Commission covers a number of areas but, primarily the MHC is required to keep under review the care and treatment in hospitals and mental nursing homes of patients detained under the Act as well as those not liable to be detained under the Act, to review the related Code of Practice and comment on any proposed changes to legislation.	7	Health and Social Care	Mental Health Act 1998 Section 119	Health and Social Care	None	N/A	Yes
Minimum Wage Committee	Review and address the minimum wage levels	5	Enterprise	Section 2, Minimum Wage Act 2001; Minimum Wage Committee Regulations 2002	Enterprise			Yes
National Strategy Group	A sub committee of Council of Ministers established to address issues of strategic national importance ensuring that priority is given to the national imperatives in Agenda for Change, NSG sets direction and establishes work streams to undertake detailed policy development on strategically important issues. Monitors key issues which have the potential to impact the Island's economy and reputation	8	Council of Ministers	None	Council of Ministers			
Parole Committee	To advise the Department on the early release and recall of long term detainees	7	Home Affairs	Rule 89, Custody Rules 2015	Home Affairs	None	N/A	Yes
Planning Committee	Purpose: determination of applications for - planning approvals, registered building consents, demolition in a conservation area, changes to planning conditions and consent under advertising regulations	6	Environment, Food and Agriculture	Town and Country Planning Act 1999 and Town and Country Planning (Development Procedures) (No 2)	Environment, Food and Agriculture			Yes
Police Advisory Group	To advise the Department on maintaining and improving the efficiency and effectiveness of the police force	4	Council of Ministers after consultation with the Home Affairs	Section 18 of the Police Act 1993	Home Affairs	None	N/A	Yes

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Police Complaints Commissioner	Responsible for overseeing the investigation of complaints made to the Home Affairs regarding the Isle of Man Constabulary.	1	Lieutenant Governor	Police Act 1993	Home Affairs			
Police Consultative Forum	To seek the views of the public on policing and crime prevention and relay those views to the police and the Department	8	Council of Ministers after consultation with the Home Affairs	Section 18 of the Police Act 1993	Home Affairs	None	N/A	Yes
Police Disciplinary Review Tribunal	Appeals tribunal	0	Home Affairs	Police Act 1993	Home Affairs			
Primary Care Prescribing and Therapeutic Committee	To facilitate providers of health care towards the delivery of safe, economic and effective prescribing and use of medicines in the community.	13	Health and Social Care	None	Health and Social Care	None	N/A	No
Public Services Commission	To determine policies relating to the employment, and the terms and conditions of employment, of its employees that are consistent with the Government's human resources strategy and policies;	5	Appointed directly by the Chief Minister	Public Services Commission Act 2015	Cabinet Office			
Residence Act Tribunal	Statutory Tribunal	0	Appointments Commission	Residence Act 2001	N/a - independent Tribunal		n/a - does not exist	No
Road Transport Licensing Committee	Regulate public transport and enforce provisions of the Road Transport Act 2001	5	Council of Ministers subject to Tynwald approval	Section 1, Road Transport Act 2001	Infrastructure			Yes
Safeguarding Adults Partnership	Our purpose as a Partnership is to ensure that there is effective safeguarding of adults in the Isle of Man. It is also to ensure that all those who provide services to adults work effectively together to provide coherent, co-ordinated safeguarding provision. Robust information sharing, communication and collective working is critical in ensuring adults are safeguarded.	7	Council of Ministers (on enactment of the Safeguarding Act 2018 the Chief Secretary will appoint to the Board)	None	Health and Social Care/ Cabinet Office	CO/Council of Ministers	N/A	No
Safeguarding Children Board	Our purpose as a Board is to ensure that there is effective safeguarding of children and young people in the Isle of Man. It is also to ensure that all those that provide services to children and young people work effectively together to provide coherent, co-ordinated safeguarding provision. Robust information sharing, communication and collective working is critical in ensuring children and young people are safeguarded.	8	Council of Ministers (on enactment of the Safeguarding Act 2018 the Chief Secretary will appoint to the Board)	None	Health and Social Care/ Cabinet Office	CO/Council of Ministers	N/A	No
Social Policy & Children's Committee	A sub committee of the Council of Ministers to coordinate the development and delivery of integrated social policy to ensure that well-targeted, effective, efficient public services are provided to support Government's three policy priorities, namely Grow the economy; Balance public finances, and Protect the vulnerable.	8	Council of Ministers	None	Council of Ministers	Tynwald SAPRC	N/A	No
Social Security Commissioner	Parties may appeal to the Commissioner against a decision of the Social Security Appeal Tribunal	2	Lieutenant Governor	Social Security Act 1998 Para 1 Schedule 4	Treasury			
Social Services Independent Review Body	To review complaints concerning a decision by the DHSC to provide, or secure the provision of social care services or carer support under Part 2 (Social Care Services) or Part 3 (Carer Support) of the Social Services Act 2011. This review can only take place once a person has exhausted the Departments internal complaints procedure	3	Appointments Commission	Section 26, Social Services Act 2011	Health and Social Care	None	N/A	No

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Surveillance Commissioner (and Deputy)	Independent supervisor for surveillance undertaken by various Government Bodies further to powers provided by the Regulation of Surveillance, Etc, Act 2006	2	Minister for Home Affairs	Section 28 Regulation of Surveillance, Etc, Act 2006	Home Affairs			
The Advocates Disciplinary Tribunal	Statutory Tribunal	5	Appointments Commission, Council of Ministers and the Isle of Man Office of Fair Trading	Advocates Act 1976 - Section 15A	N/a - independent Tribunal		n/a - does not exist	Yes
The Age Well Partnership Board	Primary aims and objectives are to ensure the recommendations of the Adults Social Care Strategy for Older People are taken forward and achieved. The Board will aim to improve the lives of Older People and ensure they are included and contribute.	Variable	Health and Social Care	none	Health and Social Care			
The Care Services Tribunal	Statutory Tribunal	7	Appointments Commission	Regulation of Care Act 2013 - Section 143	N/a - independent Tribunal		n/a - does not exist	Yes
The Collective Investment Schemes Tribunal	Statutory Tribunal	4	Appointments Commission	Collective Investment Schemes Act 2008 - Section 21	N/a - independent Tribunal		n/a - does not exist	Yes
The Criminal Injuries Compensation Scheme Tribunal/Panel	Statutory Tribunal/Panel	3	Appointments Commission other than the High Bailiff who is appointed by the Lieutenant Governor	Isle of Man Criminal Injuries Compensation Scheme 1983 & The Criminal Injuries Compensation Scheme 2005	Independent Tribunal/Treasury		n/a - does not exist	No
The Employment Tribunal	Statutory Tribunal	28	Appointments Commission	Employment Act 2006 - Part 1, Schedule 3	N/a - independent Tribunal		n/a - does not exist	Yes
The Financial Services Tribunal	Statutory Tribunal	4	Appointments Commission	Financial Services Act 2008 - Section 32	N/a - independent Tribunal		n/a - does not exist	Yes
The Flood Risk Management Tribunal	Statutory Tribunal	5	Appointments Commission	Flood Risk Management Act 2013 - Section 57	N/a - independent Tribunal		n/a - does not exist	Yes
The Gambling Appeals Tribunal	To provide an appeal body for any person aggrieved by a decision or action of Gambling Commissioner. To date Treasury has not brought the appointed day order for this section of the Act to come into force.	3	Council of Ministers	Gambling (Amendment) Act 2006, Part 4, Section 6	Treasury - Operation of the Act, Council of Ministers - Appointment of Tribunal members	Unknown	Gambling (Amendment) Act 2006, Part 4, Section 11 provides for appeal the High Court on a point of law	Unknown.
The Health and Safety Tribunal	Statutory Tribunal	1	Appointments Commission	Health and Safety at Work Order 1998	N/a - independent Tribunal		n/a - does not exist	Yes
The Income Tax Commissioners	Statutory Tribunal	9	Appointments Commission	Income Tax Act 1970 - Section 88	N/a - independent Tribunal		n/a - does not exist	Yes
The Independent Schools Tribunal	Statutory Tribunal	0	Appointments Commission	Education Act 2001 - Section 44	N/a - independent Tribunal		n/a - does not exist	Yes
The Insurance Tribunal	Statutory Tribunal	5	Appointments Commission	Insurance Act 2008 - Section 45	N/a - independent Tribunal		n/a - does not exist	Yes
The Interception of Communications Tribunal	Statutory Tribunal	3	Appointments Commission	Interception of Communications Act 1988 - Section 8	N/a - independent Tribunal		n/a - does not exist	Yes
The Isle of Man Copyright Tribunal	Statutory Tribunal	3	Appointments Commission	Copyright Act 1991 - Section 142	N/a - independent Tribunal		n/a - does not exist	Yes
The Isle of Man Data Protection Tribunal	Statutory Tribunal	5	Appointments Commission	Data Protection Act 2002 - Section 4	N/a - independent Tribunal		n/a - does not exist	Yes
The Isle of Man Rent and Rating Appeal Commissioners	Statutory Tribunal	3	Appointments Commission	Rent & Rating Appeals Act 1986 - Section 1	N/a - independent Tribunal		n/a - does not exist	Yes
The Legal Aid Appeal Tribunal	Statutory Tribunal	8	Appointments Commission	Legal Aid Act 1986 - Section 23A	N/a - independent Tribunal		n/a - does not exist	Yes

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The Mental Health Review Tribunal	Statutory Tribunal	12	Appointments Commission	Mental Health Act 1998 – Section 73	N/a - independent Tribunal		n/a - does not exist	Yes other than the Lord Bishop
The Retirement Benefits Schemes Tribunal	Statutory Tribunal	5	Appointments Commission	Retirement Benefits Schemes Act 2000 - Section 38	N/a - independent Tribunal		n/a - does not exist	Yes
The Riding Establishments Appeal Tribunal	Statutory Tribunal	0	Appointments Commission	Riding Establishments (Inspection) Act 1968 - Section 5	N/a - independent Tribunal		n/a - does not exist	Yes