

# APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT AS A JUSTICE OF THE PEACE

*Before completing this form you must carefully read the accompanying Notes for Guidance.*

## SECTION 1

<b>TITLE</b>			
<b>FULL NAME</b>			
<b>PREVIOUS SURNAME (IF ANY)</b>			
<b>HOME ADDRESS</b>			
<b>EMAIL ADDRESS</b>			
<b>TELEPHONE NUMBER</b>	<b>DAYTIME</b>	<b>EVENING</b>	<b>MOBILE</b>
<b>DATE OF BIRTH</b>			
<b>TOWN AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH</b>			
<b>NATIONALITY</b>			
<b>HOW LONG HAVE YOU LIVED ON THE ISLAND?</b>			

Please indicate your present marital status *Please tick boxes below*

i *I am:*      Single ☐      Married ☐      A Civil Partner ☐      Cohabiting ☐

Divorced ☐      Widowed ☐

ii If you have been previously married and divorced, please give the year of divorce(s)

iii *I live with:*    No one ☐      My spouse ☐      A partner ☐      Other (*specify*) ☐

If you have children and/or stepchildren, please give their ages.

Male:

Female:

## SECTION 2

Do you have: (*If you answer "No" to any of these questions please give details*)

- a) Good Health (physical and mental)?
- b) The ability to sit and concentrate for long periods of time?
- c) Good eyesight and hearing (with or without glasses or a hearing aid)?

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If you have ever been a justice of the peace or made a previous application, please give details.

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## SECTION 3

**a** Are you:

Employed ☐ Self-employed ☐ Not in paid employment ☐  
Retired ☐ Other (*specify*) ☐

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**b** i What is your present occupation? (*if applicable*)

ii When did you start this occupation?

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**c** Name of employer's business (or own if self-employed), address, telephone number and the name of a person to whom any correspondence should be addressed (*if applicable*)

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## SECTION 4

- a** What is the occupation of your spouse or partner, and by whom are they employed?

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- b** Please give details of any other relatives, including a partner and their close relatives, who are or have been police officers, special constables, or civilian employees of a police force, traffic wardens, traffic controllers, employees of the Government in the Prosecutions Section of Her Majesty's Attorney General's Chambers, Probation Service or Prison Service or any other relatives whose work requires them to attend court. *Include, as appropriate, rank, division, employer and dates of employment (in years).*

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- c** Please give the name of any relatives, including a partner and their close relatives, who are justices of the peace.

## SECTION 5

- a** Please give details of:
- i Spare time and recreational interests and activities.

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- ii Membership of organisations and clubs. *For example, religious groups, cultural organisations, sporting clubs, rotary, freemasonry, political party or special interest groups. Please also indicate any position you hold.*

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- iii Voluntary work. *Please indicate any position you hold and include membership of local authorities.*
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- b** Describe briefly in the space provided why you wish to become a justice of the peace, having regard to the key qualities that a justice of the peace must possess, (**good character, understanding and communication, social awareness, maturity and sound temperament, sound judgment, and commitment and reliability**) and any experience you have which may be relevant.

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- c** Have you visited a magistrates' court? If so, when?
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## SECTION 5

**FULL NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

*[Please note that any person who applies to be a justice of the peace is not protected by sections 4 and 5(1) of the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 2001. Spent convictions must be disclosed by virtue of the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 2001 (Exceptions) Order 2001. Your answers may be checked with the appropriate authority.]*

- a** Please give details of any criminal convictions which you have, including motoring offences. You should also give details of any offences for which you incurred a fixed penalty.

Offence	Penalty or order of the Court	Court	Date of Conviction

- b** Please give details of any civil proceedings to which you have been a party including details of any matrimonial proceedings and/or maintenance orders, whether against you or in your favour.

Nature of Proceeding	Penalty or order of the Court	Court	Date of adjudication

- c** Please give details of any criminal or civil proceedings in which you are or expect to be a party.

- d** Please give details of any police cautions to which you have been subject.

## SECTION 6

Please tick either **Yes** or **No**. You will be asked this question again, if you are called for an interview.

Is there anything in your private or working life, or in your past, or to your knowledge in that of any member of your family or close friends, which, if it became generally known, might bring you or the Magistracy into disrepute, or call into question your integrity, authority or standing as a justice of the peace?

Yes ☐

No ☐

If yes, please give details

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## DECLARATION

I have read the Notes for Guidance. If appointed, I will be able to carry out my fair share of duties and undertake the required training. The information which I have given is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

**Signed** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

*Section 7 of the form is on the next page*



## SECTION 7

### Referees

*You should give details of three referees who have known you for at least 3 years unless they are acting as a referee in their capacity as an employer. They will be asked to complete a reference form later.*

#### REFEREE 1

<b>TITLE</b>			
<b>FULL NAME</b>			
<b>HOME ADDRESS</b>			
<b>EMAIL</b>			
<b>TELEPHONE NUMBER</b>	<b>Daytime:</b>	<b>Evening:</b>	<b>Mobile:</b>
<b>OCCUPATION</b>			
<b>HOW LONG HAS THIS REFEREE KNOWN YOU</b>			

#### REFEREE 2

<b>TITLE</b>			
<b>FULL NAME</b>			
<b>HOME ADDRESS</b>			
<b>EMAIL</b>			
<b>TELEPHONE NUMBER</b>	<b>Daytime:</b>	<b>Evening:</b>	<b>Mobile:</b>
<b>OCCUPATION</b>			
<b>HOW LONG HAS THIS REFEREE KNOWN YOU</b>			

**REFEREE 3**

<b>TITLE</b>			
<b>FULL NAME</b>			
<b>HOME ADDRESS</b>			
<b>EMAIL</b>			
<b>TELEPHONE NUMBER</b>	<b>Daytime:</b>	<b>Evening:</b>	<b>Mobile:</b>
<b>OCCUPATION</b>			
<b>HOW LONG HAS THIS REFEREE KNOWN YOU</b>			

The completed application form should be sent to:

Chief Registrar, Isle of Man Courts of Justice, Deemsters Walk, Douglas, Isle of Man, IM1 3AR  
and should be marked Private & Confidential

**to be received no later than Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2024**

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