

## APPOINTMENT

## SENIOR DECISION MAKER FOR THE GUERNSEY FINANCIAL SERVICES COMMISSION ("THE COMMISSION")

The Commission is the supervisory and regulatory body for the finance sector in the Bailiwick of Guernsey. Its primary objective is to exercise good, effective and proportionate and it does this with integrity and professional excellence helping to uphold the international reputation of Guernsey as a finance centre.

The Commission is seeking to establish a Panel consisting of a number of leading Queen's Counsel. From this Panel one member, on a case by case basis, will be appointed as a temporary Officer of the Commission, to be known as the Senior Decision Maker, to hear and determine issues relating to enforcement proceedings brought by the Commission.

Although classified for the purpose of the law as an Officer of the Commission, the terms and conditions of the appointment require the Senior Decision Maker to act in a fully independent manner.

The Senior Decision Maker may conduct one or more hearings in a case so as to ensure that they follow the principles of natural justice and fairness and he or she will need to deliberate on all relevant matters in reaching a decision and draft a clear reasoned decision.

It is a remunerated position and the time commitment will depend on the complexity of the enforcement proceedings being determined. Administrative support for the Senior Decision Maker will be provided by the Commission.

Should you be interested in applying to become a member of the Panel then in the first instance please contact the Commission Secretary, Fionnuala Carvill at <u>fcarvill@gfsc.gg</u>.

The closing date for applications is Friday 25 April 2014.