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Chair of the Jersey Competition Regulatory Authority (JCRA)

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The JCRA is an independent body set up by the States of Jersey in 2001, with the responsibility for the promotion and facilitation of competition and consumer interests through economic regulation and competition law within the Island of Jersey. In doing so the JCRA aims to improve overall economic welfare and growth, benefit consumers and contribute to the quality of life of Jersey's citizens.



The Chair of the JCRA will work closely with the Minister for Economic Development, consumer groups, government administration, political and business leaders to shape the future structure of the Island's economy. This role requires a high calibre individual who will be able to demonstrate independence and sound judgement, combine responsibilities for both competition and regulation and will be required to operate at the highest levels with local and international stakeholders within the Jersey economy.

A minimum commitment of 24 days per annum is envisaged and therefore frequent travel to the Island will be required for non-residents.

The JCRA is a member of the International Competition Network and a leading voice in the application of competition law and policy in small economies.

The Role

Lead the Board to provide clear strategic direction and vision to the JCRA, ensuring the appropriate level of scrutiny in the operations and governance of the organisation.

Enhance the reputation of the JCRA as an independent, impartial, open and professional Authority by commanding the trust and respect of the public, the States of Jersey and the international community.

Ensure the Board operates as an effective team and maintain a close working relationship with the Executive Director, providing guidance and monitoring performance.

The Candidate

Excellent track record of professional success with experience of chairing the development and delivery of a complex agenda in a professional, public or regulatory organisation.

Thorough understanding of the commercial, consumer, economic and legal issues addressed by the JCRA and the ability to understand and explain complex legal and economic regulatory policy.

Experience of interfacing at senior levels with business leaders, politicians and senior civil servants, demonstrating strong stakeholder management skills.

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