5.1 Public Health (Amendment) Bill 2013 – Third Reading approved

The Speaker: Item 5, Bill for Third Reading: the Public Health (Amendment) Bill 2013. I call on the mover, the Hon. Member for Rushen, Mr Gawne.

Mr Gawne: Gura mie eu, Loayreyder.

This Bill makes a number of amendments to the Public Health Act 1990. They provide new health control measures to assist in the prevention and the control of the spread of serious diseases caused by infection and contamination from chemicals or radiation. In this modern day of increased international travel, we must have robust procedures in place to enable the Isle of Man to address any threat that occurs in relation to this issue.

Loayreyder, I beg to move that the Bill be read a third time.

Mr Houghton: I beg to second.

The Speaker: Mr Houghton.

The motion is that the Public Health (Amendment) Bill 2013 be read for the third time. Those in favour, please say aye; against, no. The ayes have it. The ayes have it.