

**CHAPTER 1  
SECTION 4**

**ENTRY CLEARANCE**

**ENTRY CLEARANCE FOR THE CHANNEL ISLANDS AND ISLE OF MAN**

**1. ISSUE OF ENTRY CLEARANCE**

Entry clearances for the Isle of Man, Jersey and Guernsey are issued on their behalf by the United Kingdom issuing posts abroad. The Channel Islands and the Isle of Man authorities have yet to adopt the flexibility provisions under the Immigration (Leave to Enter or Remain) Order 2000 therefore the entry clearances issued on behalf of the Islands and Isle of Man do not have effect as leave to enter. Upon arrival in the United Kingdom passengers travelling to the Channel Island or the Isle of Man will be subject to an interview with an immigration officer and will require leave to enter before they may proceed.

**2. REFERRAL OF APPLICATIONS**

Applications will not normally be referred if the person is a tourist who only intends a short visit to a hotel on the Islands. All other applications will be referred to the appropriate Island offices. OASIS may sometimes receive these referrals by bag and then forward them to the Island authorities. Where an entry clearance has been granted, it will contain an endorsement denoting the Island in question i.e. GBJ (Jersey), GBG (Guernsey) and GBM (Isle of Man).

**3. ADDRESSES**

**ISLE OF MAN**

Immigration Inspector,  
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**JERSEY**

Chief Inspector of  
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Jersey  
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**GUERNSEY**

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Immigration and  
Nationality  
PO Box 417  
White Rock  
New Jetty,  
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**4. CANCELLATION OF LEAVE TO ENTER OF PERSONS HOLDING ENTRY CLEARANCE FOR JERSEY, GUERNSEY OR THE ISLE OF MAN**

Channel Islands/Isle of Man Entry Clearances do not have effect as leave to enter the United Kingdom in the same way as United Kingdom Entry Clearances and IO's cannot cancel them as they would United Kingdom Entry Clearances

**5. INFORMATION ON EC APPLICATIONS**

In instances where information is required on a person's previous EC application or previous refusal, enquiries may be made direct to the Island authority concerned, rather than to the post overseas.

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