

## Media Release

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### Launch of JT-sponsored IoD winter seminar series

JT is once again proud to sponsor the Institute of Directors' Guernsey Winter Seminar series, which begins on **Friday 3 November**. The first seminar will be held at **12.30 pm** at the **Digital Greenhouse**.

The topic of the seminar will be Board Effectiveness and discussions will be led by a panel of experts, including **Louise Gulliver**, Managing Director of Professional Development at the IoD; **Roger Barker**, former IoD Head of Corporate Governance, and **Derek Millar**, Chief Executive Officer of The Catholic National Mutual Limited and finalist for New Chartered Director of the Year 2017.

James Ede-Golightly, IoD Committee member and series organiser, said: "The panel will discuss some of the key aspects of board effectiveness and the Chartered Director programme, as well as share personal experiences of working in boards to establish and promote the principles of board effectiveness. The seminar will also highlight current issues and trends with relevance to directors and boards.

"I expect that this year's Winter Seminar series will match last year's great success and I would like to thank JT for its ongoing sponsorship."

Tamara O'Brien, Deputy Managing Director of JT Guernsey said: "We're pleased to continue to support the IoD by providing these topical lunchtime events for its membership. The series begins with a subject that is important and relevant to the whole business community, and I'm sure the quality of discussion will be high.

"As the only locally owned communications provider in the Channel Islands, we are committed to supporting local industry and our long-standing partnership with the IoD, as sponsor of this seminar series, enables us to get right to the heart of bringing leading local business figures together for thought-provoking discussion. We wish the IoD every success for this Winter Seminar series."

#### **ENDS**

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#### **NOTES TO EDITOR**

- The seminar is 12.30 pm 2 pm and will include a light lunch. For event details and to book a space, please visit <a href="https://www.iod.gg/events">www.iod.gg/events</a>.
- The Guernsey branch of the IOD has around 750 members, representing the interests of Directors from Guernsey, Alderney, Sark and Herm.