

## Funding the Future

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I kid you not. This is what the [Jersey Evening Post](#) says this afternoon:

*Jersey has got a role to play in helping the UK economy return to growth, Treasury Minister Philip Ozouf told Tory Chancellor George Osborne in Tokyo yesterday.*

*The Senator secured 30 minutes with his Westminster counterpart after a chance meeting at the largest meeting of world finance ministers.*

Let's just consider that for a moment. One of the [world's top flight tax havens](#) - where there is not a penny of real money, just bank accounts recording that money is being hidden from tax authorities and regulators the world over - is, according to George Osborne going to save the UK.

Who's more crazy? Osborne for saying it or Jersey for reporting it as credible?