

STATES OF DELIBERATION

28th September, 2011

Billet d'État No. XV

Article No. 9

AMENDMENT

Proposed by: Deputy J Kuttelwascher

Seconded by: Deputy M P J Hadley

Policy Council

Financial Transformation Programme – Review of Colleges Grant Aid and Subsidies

1. To delete Propositions 1 to 3 and to substitute therefor:
 - “1. To approve the replacement of States funding for Elizabeth College, The Ladies’ College and Blanchelande College by way of a General Grant and full fees payment for Special Placeholders with a new lump sum Bursary Grant to be paid each year for seven years from 1 September 2012 as set out in Option 5 in Appendix One to this Report.
 2. To direct the Education Department in collaboration with the Colleges to develop award criteria by which each College would grant stepped level bursaries according to a weighted set of criteria based on academic attainment through the 11+ examination system and the ability to pay assessed via a means test as set out in Option 5 in Appendix One to this Report.
 3. To approve the principle that, adopting a Bursary Grant along the lines set out in Option 5 in Appendix One to this Report, the amount of States funding for the Colleges will reduce by £1 million/annum (2011 values) by year seven of the agreement (ie. 2018).”.
2. To insert a further proposition as follows:
 - “8. To approve the principle that Elizabeth College, The Ladies’ College and Blanchelande College play an important role in the island’s education system.”.