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Article:	1
Proposition No.:	P. 2016/48
Department:	Policy & Resources Committee
Subject:	The Policy & Resources Plan- Phase One
Proposition type:	Amendment 22, part C
Proposed by:	Deputy G. A. St. Pier
Seconded by:	Deputy L. S. Trott

To insert at the end of the words in Proposition 3:

“, but subject to pages 7, 8, 11, 12, 13 and 14 in Appendix 1 being modified as follows:

- C) also on page 8, under the sub-heading “Sustainable public finances” by the deletion of the second paragraph and substitution therefor of the following paragraph:*

“As a matter of priority the budget of the States must be balanced and surpluses generated. The deficit cannot reasonably be eliminated nor reserves rebuilt by spending cuts alone or tax increases alone. The former would imperil vital public services and investment in essential infrastructure; the latter would be unfair and imprudent and may depress economic activity. Ideally, in the years ahead, economic growth will make at least some contribution to improving public finances, but it would be unwise to rely on ambitious levels of economic growth. As such the States will pursue a moderate, balanced, responsible approach which recognises the need to restrain public expenditure and raise additional revenue. Additional revenue will be raised as far as possible from individuals and entities most able to bear the burden. Restraining public expenditure will require the prudent management of financial resources, people and physical infrastructure. The States also need to rethink the delivery of some public services to ensure that they are financially sustainable and provided efficiently whilst meeting public need.”



CARRIED : **Pour:28** **Contre : 7** **Ne vote pas:0** **Absent:5**

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