

**IN THE STATES OF THE ISLAND OF GUERNSEY
ON THE 28th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2017**

**The States resolved as follows concerning Billet d'État No XVIII
dated 7th September, 2017**

COMMITTEE *FOR* EDUCATION, SPORT & CULTURE

**THE ROLE OF THE GRANT-AIDED COLLEGES AND THEIR FUTURE FUNDING ARRANGEMENTS
P.2017/70**

IX: After consideration of the Policy Letter of the Committee *for* Education, Sport & Culture entitled "The Role of the Grant-Aided Colleges and their Future Funding Arrangements", dated 4th August 2017.

1. To note that the current arrangements through which the States provide financial support to the grant-aided colleges (Elizabeth College, The Ladies' College and Blanchelande College) ("the Colleges") shall expire on the 31st of August, 2019; and
 - a) to agree that between the 1st of September, 2019 and the 31st of August, 2025 the States shall pay to the Colleges the fees charged by each college in respect of special place holders; and
 - b) to agree that with effect from the 1st of September, 2019, and in addition to paying the fees in respect of special place holders, the States shall continue to provide financial support to the Colleges on the basis that there is a seven year transitional period ending on the 31st of August, 2026 during which the Colleges will be adjusting their business models as the number of special placeholders declines to zero;
 - c) to agree that the financial support to the Colleges provided in this proposition (other than by reason of paragraph a)) shall be phased in proportionately for each academic year from 2019/20 as the cost of funding special place holders reduces such that in respect of the academic year 2025/26 the sum paid by the States shall be not more than 50% of the total sum (in real terms) paid by the States to the Colleges in respect of the academic year 2018/19; and
 - d) to agree that it shall be an ongoing condition of financial support to the Colleges that they shall not expand any schemes or introduce any new schemes which involve academic selection for any students; and
 - e) to agree that the arrangements relating to financial support of the Colleges shall continue for a period of seven years until the 31st of August, 2026, at which point they shall be subject to review; and

- f) to direct the Committee *for* Education, Sport & Culture and the Policy & Resources Committee jointly to develop and agree by no later than 1st of September, 2018, in consultation with the Colleges and such others as they deem appropriate, the detailed financial and practical operation of the scheme for phased implementation in accordance with paragraph c) by the Committee *for* Education, Sport & Culture commencing with effect from the academic year 2019/20.

STATES' ASSEMBLY & CONSTITUTION COMMITTEE

DATES OF STATES' MEETINGS – 2018-2019

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X: After consideration of the attached Policy Letter dated 17th August 2017 entitled 'Dates of States' Meetings – 2018-2019:-

1. To agree that the dates on which States' Meetings shall be convened in the period from the 1st September, 2018 to the 31st August, 2019 shall be as follows:

2018

26th September

24th October

6th November - Budget

28th November

12th December

2019

30th January

27th February

27th March

24th April

22nd May

4th June - Policy & Resource Plan (progress and review)

25th June - Accounts

26th June

17th July

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