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Date of Vote: 6th June, 2018

Billet d'État:	XVI of 2018
Article:	7
Proposition No.:	P.2018/31
Committee:	States' Trading Supervisory Board
Subject:	Replacement Cremator and Emissions Equipment
Proposition type:	Motion under Article 7(1) of the Reform (Guernsey)
	Law, 1948
Proposed by:	Deputy S.T. Hansmann Rouxel
Seconded by:	Deputy E.A. Yerby

To suspend Rule 24(2)(b) of the Rules of Procedure to the extent necessary to permit the Sursis Motivé set out below to be debated.

SURSIS MOTIVÉ

Proposed by: Deputy S T Hansmann Rouxel Seconded by: Deputy E A Yerby

To sursis the Propositions until such time as the States' Trading Supervisory Board shall have complied with the following directions of the States:

1. To replace the main project aim (currently "to replace the existing cremator equipment by the Summer of 2019 with a resilient cremation service") with the following:

"to provide a modern, resilient cremation service (including suitable cremator equipment and accessible facilities), which is capable of meeting the needs of the Bailiwick population over the next 30 to 40 years, and is sensitive to the cultural and social significance of funerals as an end-of-life ritual and an important part of the grieving process."

2. To adopt the following Investment Objectives in place of the Investment Objectives set out in the table in 2.13 of the policy letter (Table 2 under Part B, section 2.4, of the Outline Business Case):

"1. To provide a modern cremation service (including cremator equipment, accessible and culturally-sensitive facilities for mourners, and ancillary facilities) which is capable of meeting the needs of Bailiwick residents over the next 30 to 40 years.

2. To provide cremator equipment which is compliant with the Loi relative a la Cremation, 1928, which is capable of providing a bariatric cremation service, and which can process 600 cremations per year for the first 15 years.

3. To replace the existing cremator equipment by the Summer of 2019, or as soon as possible thereafter, in order to minimise risk of a complete failure of service.

4. To deliver a cremation service that promotes operational efficiency; that reduces



the risks associated with a single facility in an island location; and that has the capacity to expand or adapt in response to future needs.

5. To provide a cremation facility that can meet the proposed air quality emissions regulations in Guernsey (as considered by the States of Deliberation in February 2017)."

- 3. To re-run the options evaluation which forms the subject of the Outline Business Case, using the revised Investment Objectives in Proposition 2, and to invite one or more nominated representative(s) of local Funeral Directors and celebrants, and one or more nominated representative(s) of local charities dealing with grief and bereavement, to be part of the group conducting that evaluation.
- 4. In the event that the preferred option remains Option 1 (Le Foulon), to consult with stakeholders (including disabled people's and older people's representative groups) and include in its recommendations to the States a full plan of measures that will be put in place to mitigate the disadvantages of the site, especially in respect of accessibility. Such plan may include physical adaptations to the site, and/or other appropriate adjustments (such as, e.g., the provision of an on-site shuttle service for mourners).
- 5. To begin the work of consulting with:
 - a. The Committee for Employment & Social Security and the Policy & Resources Committee on the projected future costs of cremations and the way in which this will be distributed between the States and the individual, including the role and value of the Death Grant; and
 - b. The Committee for the Environment & Infrastructure on potential ecological alternatives to cremation which may be developed alongside the new cremation service, or at the end of the lifespan of the new equipment.



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CARRIED : Pour: 28

Contre: 9 Ne vote pas: 0 Absent: 3

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