### IN THE STATES OF THE ISLAND OF GUERNSEY ON THE 27<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY, 2020

# Adjourned from the 26<sup>th</sup> February, 2020

### The States resolved as follows concerning Billet d'État No V dated 7<sup>th</sup> February, 2020

#### COMMITTEE FOR EMPLOYMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY

#### UPRATING POLICY FOR STATES PENSION P.2020/11

- IX. After consideration of the policy letter entitled 'Uprating policy for States pension', dated 20<sup>th</sup> January 2020:
- 1. To rescind resolution 1 on Article VIII of Billet d'État XVIII of 2015, setting the guideline for the annual uprating of the old age pension (soon to be renamed "States pension").
- 2. To approve that the guideline for the annual uprating of the old age pension/States pension, is an increase of RPIX plus one third of the real increase in median earnings.
- 3. TO NEGATIVE THE PROPOSITION to set, from 1<sup>st</sup> January 2021, the contribution rates for employers at 6.9%, as set out in Table 5 of that policy letter.
- 4. TO NEGATIVE THE PROPOSITION to set, from 1<sup>st</sup> January 2021, the contribution rates for employees at 6.8%, as set out in Table 5 of that policy letter.
- 5. To direct the Committee *for* Employment & Social Security to report back to the States no later than the last quarter of 2021, with further proposals to secure the financial sustainability of the Guernsey Insurance Fund.
- 6. To direct the preparation of such legislation as may be necessary to give effect to the above decisions.

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