

THE STATES OF DELIBERATION
of the
ISLAND OF GUERNSEY

24th October, 2018

Proposition No. P.2018/78

STATES' ASSEMBLY AND CONSTITUTION COMMITTEE

AMENDMENTS TO
THE RULES OF PROCEDURE OF THE STATES OF DELIBERATION AND THEIR
COMMITTEES

AMENDMENT

Proposed by: Deputy G A St. Pier
Seconded by: Deputy P T R Ferbrache

1. To insert the following Proposition immediately after Proposition 2 – “To agree that general elections shall be held every fifth year following the holding of the general election in 2020 and to direct the States' Assembly & Constitution Committee to prepare and submit for consideration by the States before the end of April 2019 a suitably worded Policy Letter and Propositions to give effect thereto.”

Explanatory note

The purpose of this amendment is to give the States of Deliberation the opportunity to debate and determine whether the introduction of five year parliamentary terms in line with the Isle of Man with effect from the next general election in 2020, would improve the effectiveness of government in Guernsey.