

**THE STATES OF DELIBERATION
of the
ISLAND OF GUERNSEY**

4th September, 2019

MOTION UNDER ARTICLE 7(1) OF THE REFORM (GUERNSEY) LAW, 1948

Proposed by: Deputy A C Dudley-Owen

Seconded by: Deputy R G Prow

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

Proposition No. P.2019/66

Committee for Education, Sport & Culture

**Transforming Education Programme & Putting into effect the Policy Decisions made
by the States in 2018**

SURIS MOTIV 

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To sursis the propositions until the meeting of the States of Deliberation to be held on 6th November 2019 and to direct the Committee *for* Education, Sport & Culture in the meantime to lay before the States, in time to enable them to be considered by the States at their meeting to be held on 6th November 2019, a policy letter containing the Outline Business Cases for all elements of the project, which must include an options appraisal shortlist of familiar models, being the 3 school model with tertiary and selective 4 school with current FE provision as comparators to the Committee's preferred model of 1 school on 2 sites with accompanying propositions which will enable members to compare and note the capital and annual revenue costs of each model.

Rule (4) 3

The Committee *for* Education Sport & Culture have advised that the delay and additional work that this Suris Motiv  is likely to involve could amount to  1.5million.

Explanatory note

The Sursis Motivé requires the Committee *for* Education Sport & Culture to return to the States with the Outline Business Case as noted. The effect of this is that the delegated authority to Policy and Resources Committee to approve expenditure as outlined in the Policy Letter propositions is deferred until the States have approved the expenditure for the items within the Transformation Project in accordance with the Business Case.

An Outline Business Case provides more detailed technical and financial information in relation to the capital and revenue costs of the project and has yet to be submitted.

This approach should enable the States to scrutinise the evidence contained in the Outline Project Business Case and to assure itself that the preferred option, represents the best value for money option to deliver the targeted outcomes detailed in the Transformation of Education Programme Business Case. The Outline Project Business Case should be prepared in accordance with the States-approved Five Case Model and associated stakeholder workshops.¹

The Suris Motivé if successful will require any Outline Business Case to include a shortlist options appraisal using the familiar models of education, being the selective 4 school model, which ran until 2018, and the recently researched 3 school models as comparisons against which to evaluate the Committee's preferred 1 school on 2 site model.

¹ See Guide to Developing the Project Business Case – Better Business Cases: for better outcomes. HM Treasury & Welsh Government 2018