

**THE STATES OF DELIBERATION**

**of the**

**ISLAND OF GUERNSEY**

**21<sup>st</sup> July, 2021**

**Proposition No. P.2021/71**

**Policy & Resources Committee**

**Government Work Plan 2021-2025**

**AMENDMENT**

Proposed by: Deputy G A St Pier  
Seconded by: Ald Rep S Roberts

In Proposition 5, after “Annex 2” to add “save to remove ‘Review of end-of-life-care’ from this Annex”

**Rule 4(3) Information**

There are no immediate financial implications in removing this item from Annex 2. As with other items in Annex 1, the Committee *for* Health & Social Care will need to further explore the resource requirements with the Policy & Resources Committee.

***Explanatory Note***

*This amendment will reinstate the review of palliative and end of life care as an action to be progressed and resourced as a priority during the life of the Government Work Plan.*

*This action, in accordance with the original resolution following the successful Le Tocq amendment to the Assisted Dying Requete, will consider the measures necessary to improve quality of life and health outcomes for all Islanders towards the end of their lives, including: improvements in the provision, availability and/or affordability of community services, primary care, aids and adaptations, and long-term care; greater investment in person-centred care for all who require health and care services on an ongoing basis, and recognition and support for the friends and family who surround them, especially those who have caring responsibilities towards them; and possible developments in end-of-life care, such as increasing the hours of provision of specialist palliative care, the on-island availability of specialist consultants, the provision of counselling and support services, and/or the provision of alternative medication and technologies for pain relief.*

*This review should have been completed by June 2020.*