# THE STATES OF DELIBERATION Of the ISLAND OF GUERNSEY

28<sup>th</sup> September 2022

#### Proposition No. P.2022/70

#### **Committee for Employment & Social Security**

### The Prevention of Discrimination (Guernsey) Ordinance, 2022

#### **AMENDMENT**

Proposed by: Deputy P J Roffey

Seconded by: Deputy H L de Sausmarez

At the end of the Proposition add: ", subject to the amendment indicated below".

In paragraph 43 of the Schedule—

- a) at the end of the subparagraph 2(b) for "house of multiple occupation", substitute "house in multiple occupation.", and
- b) for subparagraph (3) substitute—
  - "(3) In this paragraph—
    - (a) "close relative" has the same meaning as in section 3, and
    - (b) "house in multiple occupation" means a dwelling comprised of accommodation for three or more households, in addition to A or A's close relative, where the accommodation for each household is let, or available for letting, on a separate tenancy or similar agreement.".

#### Rule 4(1) information

- a) The proposition contributes to the States' objectives and policy plans as it is in line with the States strategic objective of introducing legislation to prevent discrimination.
- b) The proposition has been submitted to His Majesty's Procureur for advice on any legal or constitutional implications.

c) There are no financial implications to the States of carrying the proposal into effect.

## **Explanatory Note**

This Amendment inserts a definition of the term "house in multiple occupation" in the exception set out at paragraph 43 of the Schedule. The Committee is grateful to Deputy Haskins for pointing out this omission. The Committee's preference is for a house in multiple occupation to be excluded from the exception, regardless of whether it is an Open Market or Local Market property.