

THE STATES OF DELIBERATION
of the
ISLAND OF GUERNSEY

22nd May, 2024

Proposition No. P.2024/34

States' Assembly & Constitution Committee

General Election 2025 – Second Policy Letter

AMENDMENT

Proposed by: Deputy L Queripel

Seconded by: Deputy T L Bury

1. To delete the wording of Proposition 4 and replace with the following:

‘To agree that the grant for candidates be continued for the 2025 General Election, to assist candidates with campaign expenses, and that the grant will include the inflationary uplift as laid out in paragraph 5.21 of the policy letter.’

Rule 4(1) Information

- a) The proposition contributes to the States objectives and policy plan by ensuring the 2025 General Election fosters social inclusion and an aspirational society.
- b) In preparing the proposition, consultation has been undertaken with the States' Assembly & Constitution Committee.
- c) The proposition has been submitted to His Majesty's Procureur for advice on any legal or constitutional implications.
- d) The financial implications to the States would be in the region of £60,000, as set out in paragraph 5.18 and 5.21 of the Policy Letter.

Explanatory Note

This amendment seeks to retain the grant for candidates standing in the 2025 election. The grant allows candidates to claim up to a specified amount (which was £500 in 2020 and will require an inflationary uplift for 2025, as per paragraph 5.21 of the policy letter) to assist with campaign expenses. This can be redeemed on the production of invoices/receipts.