

Education and Home Affairs Scrutiny Panel

Record of Meeting

Date: 25th November 2016

Present	Deputy T. A. Vallois Deputy J. M. Maçon, Vice-Chairman Deputy S. Y. Mezec
Apologies	Deputy L. M. C. Doublet, Chairman
Absent	
In attendance	Mr B. Bekradnia, (Item 1 only) Mr M. Robbins, Scrutiny Officer

Ref Back	Agenda matter	Action
516/46	1. Tertiary Education: Student Finance	
Item 1 15.11.16	<p>The Panel welcomed Mr Bekradnia and discussed the requirements of the review and expectations from an advisor. Mr Bekradnia retired and the Panel decided to engage him as its advisor.</p> <p>The Panel approved a suggestion that it engage an independent facilitating company to hold workshops in schools to obtain evidence from pupils from year 10 to year 13.</p> <p>A workshop was to be arranged to focus on students currently studying out of the Island who might be in Jersey for the Christmas holidays. A further workshop for the public was to be considered in addition.</p>	<p>MR</p> <p>MR</p> <p>MR</p>
516/43	2. Prison Board of Visitors	
Item 10 14.11.16	<p>The Panel discussed the draft Prison (Independent Prison Monitoring Board) (Jersey) Regulations 201- and noted that article 8 included a responsibility for promoting efficiencies within the prison. It was considered that this was in conflict with the remit of the Monitoring Board. There was also concern about the origins of the five year time limit for restrictions on those able to be on the Board. The Department was to be notified.</p>	MR
Item 1 19.05.16	3. Quarterly Public Hearing Education	
	<p>The Panel discussed and amended questions to be put to the Minister for Education during the forthcoming Quarterly Public Hearing on 5th December 2016.</p>	MR