

Corporate Services Scrutiny Panel

Record of Meeting

Date: 8th March 2017

Present	Deputy S.M. Brée, Vice-Chairman Deputy K.C. Lewis Connétable C.H. Taylor
Apologies	Senator S.C. Ferguson Deputy J.A.N. Le Fondré, Chairman
In attendance	Mr. R. Bell, Treasurer of the States Mr T. Nicolle, Scrutiny Officer Mr S. Spottiswoode, Scrutiny Officer

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Item 2 07/03/17 513/52	<p>1. Future Hospital Funding Strategy</p> <p>The Panel welcomed the Treasurer of the States to a private briefing on proposed changes to the Public Finances Law in relation to the Future Hospital Funding Strategy.</p> <p>It was explained that the amendment to the Public Finances Law was necessary to give effect to the Hospital Construction Fund which would be used to hold the funding for the new hospital.</p> <p>The Panel raised a number of questions around control of contingency expenditure and discussed with the Treasurer ways in which contingency allocations in the budget could be safeguarded.</p> <p>It was agreed that the Treasurer would consider what additional measures could be introduced to P.130/2016 (Future Hospital Funding Strategy) to address the concerns expressed by the Panel.</p>	