

**WRITTEN QUESTION TO THE CHAIR OF THE STATES EMPLOYMENT BOARD  
BY DEPUTY R.J. WARD OF ST. HELIER  
ANSWER TO BE TABLED ON TUESDAY 6th OCTOBER 2020**

**Question**

Will the Minister advise what the current status is of the Education Partnership agreement between the States of Jersey and the National Association of Schoolmasters Union of Women Teachers (N.A.S.U.W.T.) that was agreed in September 2014?

**Answer**

The States Employment Board and the National Association of Schoolmasters Union of Women Teachers both confirmed their commitment to partnership working as part of the resolution of the 2018/19/20 pay negotiations. Joint working between SEB, officers and NASUWT through the many schools-related issues arising from Covid has provided excellent outcomes for parents and carers, children and young people, and teachers. Officers and NASUWT are seeking to meet within the next few weeks to explore ways to strengthen partnership working in line with the agreement.