STATES OF JERSEY

PROPOSED COMMON STRATEGIC POLICY 2018–22 (P.110/2018): TENTH AMENDMENT (P.110/2018 Amd.(10)) – AMENDMENT

**Lodged au Greffe on 27th November 2018
by the Council of Ministers**

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In the first paragraph, substitute the words "We will work to achieve voter equity and the reform of Jersey's legislature" with the words "We support the work of PPC in working towards an electoral system that provides a fairer representation to voters across the Island".

COUNCIL OF MINISTERS

Note: After this amendment, the proposition would read as follows –

THE STATES are asked to decide whether they are of opinion –

> in accordance with Article 18(2)(e) of the States of Jersey Law 2005, to approve the statement of the Common Strategic Policy of the Council of Ministers as set out in the Appendix to this Proposition, except that on page 22 of the Appendix to the Proposed Common Strategic Policy 2018–22 ("**4 Ongoing initiatives**"), in the section headed "**A States Assembly and Council of Ministers that works together for the common good**", after the words "consultation with the States Assembly", to insert a new paragraph worded as follows: "We support the work of PPC in working towards an electoral system that provides a fairer representation to voters across the Island".

REPORT

Any commitments to electoral reform must acknowledge the role of the Privileges and Procedures Committee ("PPC") who lead on such issues. The Council of Minsters has proposed a further amendment to recognise the important role of the PPC and that any commitments made in this area must refer to working with PPC.

Financial implications

The Council of Ministers will bring forward spending proposals to support the common Strategic Policy in the government Plan.

Manpower implications

Implications for staffing and resourcing will be developed in the Government Plan and departmental planning process.