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WRITTEN QUESTION TO THE CHIEF MINISTER BY DEPUTY S.Y. MÉZEC OF ST. HELIER ANSWER TO BE TABLED ON TUESDAY 20TH JUNE 2017

Question

Will the Chief Minister list all of the occasions on which the ministerial sub-committee set up to examine options for higher education funding has met; and will he further state exactly when this group's terms of reference were finalised?

Answer

The sub-group has formally met on two occasions, the first meeting was 10 January 2017 and the second 16 May 2017.

Between these dates, and subsequently, there have been informal meetings and discussions between Ministers and officers. Officials are also meeting to work out the financial implications of various options.

The terms of reference were discussed at the first meeting and formally approved at the second meeting.

<u>The Higher Education and Student Financing Sub-Committee: Terms of Reference</u> were published on 13 June 2017:-

http://www.statesassembly.gov.je/AssemblyReports/2017/R.68-2017.pdf

The sub-committee will publish a progress report in July 2017.