



Deputy Lyndon Farnham
Chief Minister

BY EMAIL

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Proposed Lodging Date for Government Plan – 2025 - 2028

Dear Chief Minister

I am writing following our recent meeting where we discussed the lodging date of the Government Plan 2025 - 2028 being brought forward from September 2024 to June/July 2024.

The Scrutiny Liaison Committee has discussed these proposals and has agreed that whilst it would be in favour of an earlier lodging date, it would like to recommend that the lodging date be towards the end of June as opposed to July, with a proposed debate date of 12th November. This would allow the Scrutiny Panels to conduct any public hearings and evidence gathering throughout July allowing for the summer recess period in August. We would also ask that you confirm that the lodging date, once agreed, would not be reduced and that Scrutiny would be allowed to undertake its work from the end of June to early November.

We hope these proposals are acceptable and look forward to hearing from you once you have had a chance to discuss further with the Council of Ministers.

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Yours sincerely,

Deputy Inna Gardiner
President, Scrutiny Liaison Committee