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Chair, Corporate Services Scrutiny Panel

BY EMAIL

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Dear Chair

Corporate Services Scrutiny Panel – Quarterly Hearing Follow Up

I am writing in response to the Vice-Chair's letter dated 7 July 2025. Please see the following responses to your requests for further information:

- **An update on Treasury's considerations for the provision of the additional amount of £1.7 million funding which would be needed to progress the Dewberry House capital project**

Treasury are currently reviewing potential sources of funding in 2025, including available funds in the Criminal Offences Confiscation Fund (COCF), which would be subject to consultation with the Attorney General.

If funds cannot be identified in 2025, funding could instead be put in place through the Budget 2026, which would be subject to approval by the States Assembly.

- **The extent to which capital projects' underspends may be redirected and the process followed under such circumstances**

Reallocation of capital budgets are subject to the same process for reallocations between any heads of expenditure under Article 18 of the Public Finances Law. These are approved via Ministerial Decision and reported in the 6-monthly Finance Law Delegation Report to the States.

- **A copy of the bulletin issued to industry regarding the Pillar-Two workstream**

Please see attached.

- **Self-assessment system for taxation - further detail of any considerations and/or work underway for progressing this workstream and its intended timeframe**

I believe when the Comptroller mentioned self-assessment he was speaking in a completely hypothetical manner and no work is under way or even at the planning stage. To be clear, self-assessment is not on our work plan at present. Our current focus is on delivery of independent taxation and Pillar 2.

Yours sincerely



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