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Deputy Doublet
Chair, Assisted Dying Review Panel
BY EMAIL

17 April 2024

Dear Chair,

Re: Construction of the Assisted Dying Proposition

In response to your letter dated 17 April, I would highlight the information provided to the Panel in [my letter dated 2 April 2024](#), which sets out that:

The proposition consists of five paragraphs (a) to (e). These will be voted on separately. Paragraph (a) includes an Appendix with 26 sub-paragraphs. If Paragraph (a) is adopted, the Appendix will be adopted. The five paragraphs and the 26 sub-paragraphs may all be subject to amendment.

For the purposes of complete clarity, paragraphs (a) to (e) will be voted on separately, but the sub-paragraphs in the Appendix will not be voted on separately. The sub-paragraphs set out in the Appendix will be adopted if paragraph (a) is adopted. The sub-paragraphs may have been amended by the Assembly, prior to adoption of paragraph (a).

As previously advised, the construction of the proposition accords with the recommendations of the States Greffe, with the use of an Appendix reflecting the format of Government Plan propositions.

Of course, it is possible that a member of Assembly may bring forward a proposed amendment to the construction of the proposition, requiring all or some of the sub-paragraphs to be voted on separately.

I hope that the above is of use to the Panel.

Yours sincerely,

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