



States Greffe

Deputy Carolyn Labey
Minister for International Development

BY EMAIL

22 October 2026

Dear Minister,

Economic and International Affairs Scrutiny Panel

Proposed Budget 2027 to 2030 Review

On behalf of the Economic and International Affairs Scrutiny Panel, I would like to thank you and your officers for your continued engagement with the Panel through meetings, and the forthcoming public hearing on 17 November 2026. This ongoing cooperation and support have been greatly appreciated. Following the launch of our review of the Proposed Budget 2027 to 2030 ([P.73/2026](#)), I am writing to inform you that the Panel has now approved its Terms of Reference for the review, which are as follows:

1. To review components of the Proposed Budget 2027-2030 Proposition ([P.73/2026](#)) (with a focus on 2027) as relevant to the remit of the Economic and International Affairs Scrutiny Panel to consider the following:
 - a. The impact of the Budget proposals on departmental budgets, savings and staffing levels.
 - b. Whether the revenue expenditure growth, capital and other projects are appropriate and likely to have a positive impact on Islanders.
 - c. How the proposed revenue expenditure growth, capital and other projects align with the Common Strategic Policy to deliver on the priorities, and in line with Departments' plans for delivery.
 - d. Whether the resources allocated to revenue expenditure growth and capital and other projects are sufficient, ensure value for money and demonstrate the best use of public funds.
2. To assess the impact of the Budget proposals on the States Funds relevant to the Economic and International Affairs Scrutiny Panel including the Technology Accelerator Fund Agricultural Loans Fund, CI Lottery (Jersey) Fund, Jersey Reclaim Fund, Tourism Development Fund.

The Panel has started its review and look forward to covering the topic in our up coming public hearing with you, however in the meantime would value further breakdown of the Service Level Analysis. Please could you therefore provide anticipated background and breakdown of the JOA 2027 expenditure and income.

We would greatly appreciate receive this information by 05 November 2026. Please be advised that it is the Panel's intention to publish the response it receives on the States Assembly website.

Yours Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'S Gleave', with a large, sweeping flourish underneath.

Deputy Samantha Gleave
Chair, Economic and International Affairs Scrutiny Panel