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'wrap-around hours'. It is not possible to predict with certainty demand for this service, however, through consultation with the only partner provider in the island to ensure this service complements and does not compete with their current delivery models, we do know that they have waiting lists for their 0-3 service on an ongoing basis.

## **5.0 CONCLUSION**

- 5.1 Members should note that Rothesay Joint Campus will undergo adaptations to allow the delivery of ELC funded entitlement and a purchasable childcare service aimed at supporting working parents as a result of the closure of a partner provider on the island.
- 5.2 The adaptations are planned to be concluded, and the purchasable childcare service implemented, from early 2024.

## **6.0 IMPLICATIONS**

- 6.1 Policy – These adaptations will ensure we can deliver our statutory ELC obligations as outlined within Blueprint for 2020: Expansion of ELC, Funding Follows the Child and the National Standard, Scottish Government, 2018. They will also ensure we can deliver any future legislative entitlements as outlined

6.5.2 Socio-economic Duty: None.

6.5.3 Islands - This service will ensure that working parents and families can live and work on Bute as they will have access to wi