

PERMANENT MISSION OF IRELAND TO THE UNITED NATIONS AND OTHER INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATIONS AT GENEVA

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The Permanent Mission of Ireland to the United Nations Office and other International Organisations in Geneva presents its compliments to the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights (Secretariat of the Committee Against Torture) and refers to the review of Ireland due to occur at the Sixty-First Session of the Committee Against Torture to be held from 24th July to 11th August 2017.

The Permanent Mission of Ireland has the honour to confirm that the official delegation of Ireland to the aforementioned Committee session will be as follows:

David Stanton, Minister of State for Equality, Immigration and Integration, Department of Justice and Equality, (Head of Delegation)

H.E. Patricia O'Brien, Ambassador and Permanent Representative of Ireland to the United Nations, Geneva,

Michael Donnellan, Director General, Irish Prison Service,

Jimmy Martin, Assistant Secretary, Prisons Policy Division, Department of Justice and Equality,

Siobhan O'Halloran, Assistant Secretary, Mental Health Unit, Department of Health,

Noel Dowling, Principal Officer, Prisons Policy Division, Department of Justice and Equality,

Martina Feeney, Director, Human Rights Unit, Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade,

John Garry, Principal Officer, Criminal Law Reform Division, Department of Justice and Equality,

Greg Heylin, Principal Officer, COSC (The National Office for the Prevention of Domestic, Sexual and Gender-based Violence), Department of Justice and Equality,

Deaglán Ó Briain, Principal Officer, Equality Division, Department of Justice and Equality,

Tracy O'Keeffe, Principal Officer, Civil Law Reform Division, Department of Justice and Equality,

Ms. Nuala Ni Mhuircheartaigh, Deputy Permanent Representative (Human Rights), Permanent Mission of Ireland to the United Nations, Geneva,

Kathleen Connolly, Assistant Principal Officer, Policing Division, Department of Justice and Equality,

Alison Enright, Assistant Legal Advisor, Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade,

Sarah Rose Flynn, Assistant Principal Officer, International and Research Policy Unit, Department of Health,

James Gibbs, Assistant Principal Officer, Mother and Baby Homes Investigation Unit, Department of Children and Youth Affairs,

Keith Lynn, Assistant Principal Officer, Prisons Policy Division, Department of Justice and Equality,

Michael Murchan, Assistant Principal Officer, Mental Health Unit, Department of Health,

Aongus Ó hAonghusa, Assistant Principal Officer, Redress Unit, Department of Education & Skills,

Mick Quinn, Assistant Principal Officer, Irish Naturalisation and Immigration Service, Department of Justice and Equality,

John Harding, Higher Executive Officer, National Patient Safety Office, Department of Health,

Yvonne Phillips - Private Secretary to Minister of State Stanton, Department of Justice and Equality,

Chris Quattrociocchi, Higher Executive Officer, Prisons Policy Division, Department of Justice and Equality,

Ms. Niamh Clarke, Attaché, Permanent Mission of Ireland to the United Nations, Geneva,

Ms. Sarah Groarke, Attaché, Permanent Mission of Ireland to the United Nations, Geneva.

The Permanent Mission of Ireland to the United Nations Office and other International Organisations in Geneva avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights (Secretariat of the Committee Against Torture) the assurances of its highest consideration.

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