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### North-West Community Network is committed to facilitating and promoting engagement with the Community & Voluntary sector in the North-West on the policy issues that affect it.

If you feel the sector should respond collectively to any of these consultations, please communicate this to us - not all consultation/policy issues can be responded to, however, given the sheer volume of documents that are issued.

Departmental consultations should, under good practice guidelines, afford twelve weeks for response - if you have any concerns over deadlines please do not hesitate to raise these with the named contact.

Consultation Title	Organisation	Closing Date	Contact Name/Dept	Contact Number	Email / Website
<b>EQIA – 5 year strategic plan for the Arts in NI (2013-2018)</b>	Arts Council of Northern Ireland	29/04/13	Jacqueline Witherow	028 9038 5219	<a href="mailto:jwitherow@artscouncil-ni.org">jwitherow@artscouncil-ni.org</a> <a href="http://www.artscouncil-ni.org/subpages/compliance.htm">http://www.artscouncil-ni.org/subpages/compliance.htm</a>
<b>Public Benefit and Registration Guidance</b>	Charity Commission NI	06/05/13	N/a	028 3832 0220	<a href="mailto:consult@charitycommissionni.org.uk">consult@charitycommissionni.org.uk</a> <a href="http://www.charitycommissionni.org.uk">www.charitycommissionni.org.uk</a>
<b>Audit of Inequalities Action Plan 2013 – 2018</b>	Health & Social Care Board	07/05/13	The Equality Unit	028 9053 5531	<a href="mailto:equality.unit@hscni.net">equality.unit@hscni.net</a> <a href="http://www.hscboard.hscni.net/consult/index.html">http://www.hscboard.hscni.net/consult/index.html</a>
<b>Mutual Recognition of Penalty Points between Northern Ireland and Ireland</b>	Department of Environment	14/05/13	J Russell Millar	028 9054 1178	<a href="mailto:mrpp@doeni.gov.uk">mailto:mrpp@doeni.gov.uk</a> <a href="http://www.doeni.gov.uk/index/information/foi/recent-releases/publications-details.htm?docid=9095">http://www.doeni.gov.uk/index/information/foi/recent-releases/publications-details.htm?docid=9095</a>
<b>Review of Housing Adaptions Services</b>	The Northern Ireland Executive	15/05/13	N/a	028 9031 8782	<a href="mailto:Housing.adaptations.unit@nihe.gov.uk">Housing.adaptations.unit@nihe.gov.uk</a> <a href="http://www.nihe.gov.uk/interdepartmental_review_housing_adaptations.pdf">http://www.nihe.gov.uk/interdepartmental_review_housing_adaptations.pdf</a>  Northern Ireland Housing Executive and Disability Action invite you to local meetings - Registration is essential:  Wednesday 1st May- Grosvenor House, Belfast 10am to 1pm <b>Thursday 2nd May - St.Columb's Park House, L' Derry 10am to 1pm</b> Tuesday 7th May - Tara Centre, Omagh 1pm to 5pm  Telephone: 028 71 360811 Email: <a href="mailto:careyannclarke@disabilityaction.org">careyannclarke@disabilityaction.org</a>
<b>Inter-Departmental Review of Housing Adaptations Services:</b>	NI Housing Executive	15/05/13	Maureen Mawhinney	028 9031 8237	<a href="mailto:addressishousing.adaptations.unit@nihe.gov.uk">addressishousing.adaptations.unit@nihe.gov.uk</a>  Evidence base - <a href="http://www.nihe.gov.uk/interdepartmental_review_housing_adaptations.pdf">www.nihe.gov.uk/interdepartmental_review_housing_adaptations.pdf</a>  Easy read version of the executive summary – <a href="http://www.nihe.gov.uk/easy_read_adaptations.pdf">www.nihe.gov.uk/easy_read_adaptations.pdf</a>  <a href="http://www.nihe.gov.uk/consultation">www.nihe.gov.uk/consultation</a> .
<b>Review of Registrant Fee Levels</b>	Northern Ireland Social Care Council	22/05/13	N/a	028 9041 7600	<a href="https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/ZJQ27Q7">https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/ZJQ27Q7</a>  <a href="http://www.niscc.info">www.niscc.info</a>  <a href="mailto:comms@niscc.hscni.net">comms@niscc.hscni.net</a>
<b>Safeguards to Protect the Individual Decisions on the Granting of Civil Legal Aid</b>	Department of Justice	22/05/13	DOJ Reform Programme	028 9052 2956	<a href="mailto:DOJ.ReformProgramme@dojni.x.gsi.gov.uk">DOJ.ReformProgramme@dojni.x.gsi.gov.uk</a>  <a href="http://www.dojni.gov.uk/index/public-consultations.htm">www.dojni.gov.uk/index/public-consultations.htm</a>
<b>Draft Statutory Rules for the Inquiry into Historical Institutional Abuse</b>	The Office of the First Minister and deputy First Minister	24/05/13	HIA Division	028 9052 0086	<a href="mailto:hiadivision@ofmdfmi.gov.uk">hiadivision@ofmdfmi.gov.uk</a>  <a href="http://www.ofmdfmi.gov.uk/consultation-hiainquiry-draft-rules?utm_source=eNews+subscribers&amp;utm_campaign=cbbf9ccac7-from%3DeNews1April2013&amp;utm_medium=email">http://www.ofmdfmi.gov.uk/consultation-hiainquiry-draft-rules?utm_source=eNews+subscribers&amp;utm_campaign=cbbf9ccac7-from%3DeNews1April2013&amp;utm_medium=email</a>
<b>Pre-consultation: Climate Change Legislation for NI</b>	Department of the Environment	24/05/13	Climate Change Unit	028 9025 4998	<a href="mailto:climate.change@doeni.gsi.gov.uk">climate.change@doeni.gsi.gov.uk</a>  <a href="http://www.doeni.gov.uk/ni_climate_change_bill.htm">http://www.doeni.gov.uk/ni_climate_change_bill.htm</a>
<b>Supporting People - Housing Related Support Strategy</b>	NI Housing Executive	24/05/13	Claire Crainey	028 9031 8906	<a href="mailto:supportingpeople@nihe.gov.uk">supportingpeople@nihe.gov.uk</a>  <a href="http://www.nihe.gov.uk/consultation">www.nihe.gov.uk/consultation</a> .
<b>Councillors' Severance</b>	Department of the	31/05/13	Local Government	028 9041 6735	<a href="mailto:lgpd@doeni.gov.uk">lgpd@doeni.gov.uk</a>

	Environment		Policy Division		<a href="http://www.doeni.gov.uk/local_government_consultations">http://www.doeni.gov.uk/local_government_consultations</a> .
<b>Proposals for a Justice Bill</b>	Department of Justice	31/05/13	Criminal Law Branch	028 9016 9604	<a href="mailto:access.public@dojni.x.gsi.gov.uk">access.public@dojni.x.gsi.gov.uk</a> <a href="http://www.dojni.gov.uk">www.dojni.gov.uk</a>
<b>Equality Scheme, Audit of Inequalities and Action Plan and Disability Action Plan</b>	Safeguarding Board for Northern Ireland	31/05/13	N/a	028 9053 5531	<a href="mailto:Equality.Unit@hscni.net">Equality.Unit@hscni.net</a> <a href="http://www.safeguardingni.org">www.safeguardingni.org</a>
<b>BBC Children's Service Review: For Parents, Carers and other adults</b>	BBC	31/05/13	N/a	N/a	<a href="#">download the questions</a> <a href="#">Online consultation</a>  Separate questionnaire <a href="#">for children aged between 6 and 12</a> <i>Please read our <a href="#">Guidance Notes</a> (PDF file) before you or your children take part in our consultation</i>  <a href="mailto:childrensreview@bbc.co.uk">childrensreview@bbc.co.uk</a>
<b>Proposals for the use of live links in weekend courts</b>	Department of Justice	03/06/13	Criminal Law Branch	028 9016 9604	<a href="mailto:access.public@dojni.x.gsi.gov.uk">access.public@dojni.x.gsi.gov.uk</a> <a href="http://www.dojni.gov.uk">www.dojni.gov.uk</a>
<b>Proposed Changes to Planning Fees</b>	Department of the Environment	14/06/13	N/a	028 9041 6956	<a href="mailto:planning.reform@doeni.gov.uk">planning.reform@doeni.gov.uk</a> <a href="http://www.planningni.gov.uk/planning_fees_consultation_paper_april_2013.pdf">http://www.planningni.gov.uk/planning_fees_consultation_paper_april_2013.pdf</a>
<b>Environmental Noise Directive Noise Action Plan</b>	Translink – NI Railways	17/06/13	N/a	N/a	<a href="mailto:environment@translink.co.uk">environment@translink.co.uk</a> <a href="http://www.translink.co.uk/noiseactionplan">www.translink.co.uk/noiseactionplan</a>
<b>Strategic Plan 2013 – 2018</b>	Northern Ireland Adult Safeguarding Partnership	21/06/13	Joyce McKeel	028 2531 1213	<a href="mailto:joyce.mckee@hscni.net">joyce.mckee@hscni.net</a> <a href="http://www.hscboard.hscni.net/consult/index.html">http://www.hscboard.hscni.net/consult/index.html</a>
<b>Review of Rates Liability in The Landlord Sector</b>	Department of Finance and Personnel	28/06/13	Rating Policy Division	028 9127 7606	<a href="mailto:ratingpolicy.cfq@dfpni.gov.uk">ratingpolicy.cfq@dfpni.gov.uk</a> <a href="http://www.dfpni.gov.uk/rating-review.htm">http://www.dfpni.gov.uk/rating-review.htm</a>
<b>Equality Impact Assessment for the Relocation of the DARD Headquarters</b>	Department of Agriculture & Rural Development	05/07/13	HQ Relocation Team	028 9052 4044	<a href="mailto:hqrelocation@dardni.gov.uk">hqrelocation@dardni.gov.uk</a> <a href="#">Equality Impact Assessment for the relocation of the DARD Headquarters   Department of Agriculture and Rural Development.</a>
<b>Proposed Amendments to the Legal Aid (Assessment of Resources) Regulations (NI) 1981</b>	Department of Justice	10/07/13	Consultation Co-ordinator	028 9016 9533	<a href="mailto:plsresponses@dojni.x.gsi.gov.uk">plsresponses@dojni.x.gsi.gov.uk</a> <a href="http://www.dojni.gov.uk/index/public-consultations.htm">http://www.dojni.gov.uk/index/public-consultations.htm</a>
<b>Design Guide for Travellers' Sites in Northern Ireland</b>	Department for Social Development	19/07/13	Clare Merron	028 9082 9282	<a href="mailto:Clare.Merron@dndni.gov.uk">Clare.Merron@dndni.gov.uk</a> <a href="http://www.dndni.gov.uk/design-guide-for-travellers-consultation.htm">http://www.dndni.gov.uk/design-guide-for-travellers-consultation.htm</a>
<b>Proposed Train Driving Licences &amp; Certificates Regulations</b>	Department for Regional Development	19/07/13	George Kearns/ Ebby Walsh	028 9054 0667	<a href="mailto:george.kearns@drdni.gov.uk">george.kearns@drdni.gov.uk</a> / <a href="mailto:ebby.walsh@drdni.gov.uk">ebby.walsh@drdni.gov.uk</a> <a href="http://www.drdni.gov.uk">www.drdni.gov.uk</a>
<b>Strategic Plan 2013-2016</b>	Safeguarding Board for NI	19/07/13	N/a	028 9031 1611	<a href="mailto:sbnisupport@hscni.net">sbnisupport@hscni.net</a> <a href="http://www.safeguardingni.org/consultation-strategic-plan-2013-2016">http://www.safeguardingni.org/consultation-strategic-plan-2013-2016</a>
<b>Guidance on Termination of Pregnancy in Northern Ireland</b>	Department of Health Social Services and Public Safety	29/07/13	Family Policy Unit	028 9052 3310	<a href="mailto:familypolicyunit@dhsspsni.gov.uk">familypolicyunit@dhsspsni.gov.uk</a> <a href="http://www.dhsspsni.gov.uk/showconsultations?txtid=62187">http://www.dhsspsni.gov.uk/showconsultations?txtid=62187</a>

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