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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
Review of Rates Liability in The Landlord Sector	Department of Finance and Personnel	28/06/13	Rating Policy Division	028 9127 7606	ratingpolicy.cfg@dfpni.gov.uk http://www.dfpni.gov.uk/rating-review.htm
Equality Impact Assessment for the Relocation of the DARD Headquarters	Department of Agriculture & Rural Development	05/07/13	HQ Relocation Team	028 9052 4044	hqrelocation@dardni.gov.uk Equality Impact Assessment for the relocation of the DARD Headquarters Department of Agriculture and Rural Development.
Draft Equality Scheme	Ilex Urban Regeneration Company	09/07/13	Jennifer Coyle	028 7126 9226	Jennifer.coyle@ilex-urc.com http://www.ilex-urc.com/Publications---Reports.aspx
Proposed Amendments to the Legal Aid (Assessment of Resources) Regulations (NI) 1981	Department of Justice	10/07/13	Consultation Co-ordinator	028 9016 9533	psdresponses@dojni.x.gsi.gov.uk http://www.dojni.gov.uk/index/public-consultations.htm
Design Guide for Travellers' Sites in Northern Ireland	Department for Social Development	19/07/13	Clare Merron	028 9082 9282	Clare.Merron@dndni.gov.uk http://www.dndni.gov.uk/design-guide-for-travellers-consultation.htm
Proposed Train Driving Licences & Certificates Regulations	Department for Regional Development	19/07/13	George Kearns/ Ebby Walsh	028 9054 0667	george.kearns@drdni.gov.uk / ebby.walsh@drdni.gov.uk www.drdni.gov.uk
Strategic Plan 2013-2016	Safeguarding Board for NI	19/07/13	N/a	028 9031 1611	sbnisupport@hscni.net http://www.safeguardingni.org/consultation-strategic-plan-2013-2016
Environmental Better Regulation Bill	Department of Environment	24/07/13	Paul Burns	028 9025 4705	better.regulation@doeni.gov.uk http://www.doeni.gov.uk/index/information/foi/recent-releases/publications-details.htm?docid=9194
Guidance on Termination of Pregnancy in Northern Ireland	Department of Health Social Services and Public Safety	29/07/13	Family Policy Unit	028 9052 3310	familypolicyunit@dhsspsni.gov.uk http://www.dhsspsni.gov.uk/showconsultations?txtid=62187
Blue Badge Scheme	Department for Regional Development	30/07/13	Roads Service, Lands & Legislation Branch	028 9054 0458	subordinatelegislation.roads@drdni.gov.uk www.drdni.gov.uk
Financial Capability Strategy for Northern Ireland Consumers	Department Enterprise, Trade and Investment	31/07/13	Carol Donnelly or Assumpta McCleave	028 9052 9462	Financialcapability@detini.gov.uk http://www.detini.gov.uk/financial-capability-strategy-consultation
Call for evidence : Internal Market: Free Movement of Persons : <i>Because of Northern Ireland's unique position within the UK, having a land border with another Member State, the Department for Work and Pensions has expressed a particular interest in evidence of how EU competence on free movement advantages or disadvantages Northern Ireland and its citizens.</i>	Westminster Government	05/08/13	N/a	N/a	Please send your evidence to: FreeMovementofPersonsBoC@homeoffice.gsi.gov.uk https://www.gov.uk/ / https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/review-of-the-balance-of-competences--2
Personal Independence Payment – Further Consultation On The Moving Around Activity	Department of Work & Pensions	05/08/13	Diane Clarke	028 9081 9119	diane.clarke@dndni.gov.uk www.dndni.gov.uk/consultations
The Language	Ulster Scots	23/08/13	David McCallum	028 9023	mccallumd@ulsterscotsagency.org.uk

Body Draft Equality Scheme (Amended)	Agency & Foras na Gaeilge	@ 4pm	& Seán Ó Coinn	1113 & 028 9089 0970	comhairliuchan@forasnagaeilge.ie www.ulsterscotsagency.com www.gaeilge.ie
Proposals for a Community Asset Transfer Policy Framework	Department for Social Development	23/08/13	Community Asset Transfer Consultation	028 9082 9583 (x38583)	CAT-Consult@dndni.gov.uk http://www.dndni.gov.uk/index/consultations.htm
Disability Action Plan	The Commissioner for Older People for Northern Ireland	30/08/13 @ 5pm	John McManus	028 9089 0887	info@copni.org http://www.copni.org/
Policy options for a Recycling Bill	Department of Environment	02/09/13	Janice Harvey	028 9025 4845	janice.harvey@doeni.gov.uk http://www.doeni.gov.uk/index/information/foi/recent-releases/publications-details.htm?docid=9170
Draft minimum standards for children's homes	Department Of Health, Social Services And Public Safety	06/09/13	Standards & Guidelines Quality Unit	028 9052 2351	sgqu@dhsspsni.gov.uk http://www.dhsspsni.gov.uk/index/consultations/current_consultations.htm
Credit Unions and Industrial & Provident Societies Bill	Department of Enterprise Trade and Investment	06/09/13	Company Law Branch	028 9081 9126	cuiplibill@detini.gov.uk www.detini.gov.uk
DRAFT BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS (Bids) REGULATIONS	Department for Social Development	06/09/13	Business Improvement Districts Unit	028 9082 9362	social.policy@dndni.gov.uk http://www.dndni.gov.uk/index/consultations.htm
"To amend section 46 of the Justice (Northern Ireland) Act 2002 to include DARD's Central Investigation Service among the list of organisations that the Chief Inspector of Criminal Justice must inspect."	Private Members Bill consultation	10/09/13	Robin Swann MLA	028 2565 9595	http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/DQ57T25
Minimum Care Standards for Independent Healthcare Establishments	Department Of Health, Social Services And Public Safety	27/09/13	Standards & Guidelines Quality Unit	028 9052 2351	http://www.dhsspsni.gov.uk/showconsultations?txtid=63403 sgqu@dhsspsni.gov.uk
Draft Strategy for Marine Protected Areas in the NI Inshore Region	Department of Environment	30/09/13	Alan Hamilton	028 9025 4736	marineprotectionstrategy@doeni.gov.uk http://www.doeni.gov.uk/marine_policy
Proposed changes to the Common Funding Scheme	Department of Education	18/10/13	Common Funding Implementation Team	N/a	Direct all queries on this consultation to: Western Education & Library Board, Sheena McCooley LMS Unit, Phone: 028 82411329, sheena.mccooley@welbni.org Consultation Document including Response Form PDF 153 KB Indicative Budgets for CFS 2013 consultation - Nursery/Primary Schools PDF 69 KB Indicative Budgets for CFS 2013 consultation - Post Primary Schools PDF 28 KB

Please note that there are various Equality and Human Rights Consultations with the DHSSPS on going on various topics with various closing dates, to view them all please see:
http://www.dhsspsni.gov.uk/index/consultations/current_consultations.htm

Every attempt is made to ensure the information given above is accurate, though we would be grateful if any inaccuracies were notified to us. You are also invited to share information on any other consultations currently open which have not been included here.

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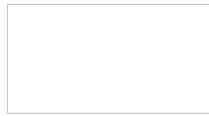
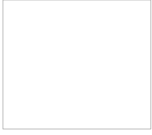
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