

**Statement of Expenditure of Exchequer funding under  
the Electoral Act 1997, as amended.  
1 January 2016 - 31 December 2016**

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**Part 1: Political Party**

Political Party:	Anti Austerity Alliance / People Before Profit
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**Part 2: Appropriate Officer**

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#### Part 4: Details of Funding Received

Total exchequer funding received under the Act for the period 1 January 2016 to 31 December 2016:

.....308,316.56

Amount of funding brought forward from 2015:

.....Nil

Overall total funding available for spending in 2016:

308,316.56

Total expenditure, if any, of funding in 2016:

.....122,320.40

Balance of funding carried forward to 2017:

185,996.06

Was any of the funding applied in connection with Dáil, Seanad, European, presidential or local election expenses or in connection with referendum expenses?

.....No

Was the funding applied to some or all of the purposes referred to in section 18(1) of the Act?

.....Yes

**Part 5: Funds applied to General Administration of the Party**

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
IT Expenditure	840.00
Office Supplies	1,690.62
Postage	140.10
Bank Charges	23.70
Media & PR Charges	4,760.00
Personnel & PRSI	85,295.74
Professional Fees	4,920.00
Courses	495.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>€ 98,165.16</b>

**Part 6: Funds applied to Research, Education & Training**

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Education & Training	525.00
Publications	560.00
<b>Total</b>	€ 1,085.00

**Part 7: Funds applied to Policy Formulation**

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Conferences	1,750.00
<b>Total</b>	€ 1,750.00

**Part 8: Funds applied to Co-ordination of the Activities of the Branches & Members of the Party**

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Munster Organiser	7,200.00
Membership Material	442.80
Promotional Material	1,871.30
Meetings, Conferences, Regional Conferences	10,423.00
Travel Expenses	1,383.14
<b>Total</b>	€ 21,320.24

**Part 9: Funds applied to the Promotion of Participation by  
Women in Political Activity\***

\*Funding applied under this heading may already be included in any or all of headings 5 - 8 above. Whether or not this is the case, the amount and details of such funding should be shown separately under this heading.

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
<b>Total</b>	<b>€</b>

**Part 10: Funds applied to the Promotion of Participation by  
Young People in Political Activity\***

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Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
<b>Total</b>	<b>€</b>

**11. Signature**

<b>Signature of Appropriate Officer:</b>	<i>Joseph Higgins</i>
<b>Date:</b>	<i>13/4/2017</i>



## Part 12: Auditor's Report

**AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE STANDARDS IN PUBLIC OFFICE  
COMMISSION ON STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURE OF MONIES  
RECEIVED BY A POLITICAL PARTY FROM THE CENTRAL FUND  
UNDER SECTION 17 OF THE ELECTORAL ACT 1997, AS  
AMENDED**

I am reporting, as required by section 20(2) of the Electoral Act 1997, on the Statement for 2016 prepared by the Appropriate Officer of [name of political party] *AAA/PBP*  
*Anti-Austerity Alliance/People Before Profit*.....pursuant to subsection 20(1) of the Act.

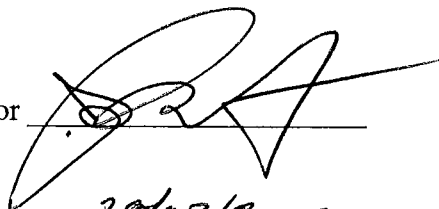
I have obtained all the information and explanations I considered necessary for the purposes of my audit.

Proper accounting records have been kept by [name of political party] *AAA/PBP*  
*Anti-Austerity Alliance/People Before Profit*.....in respect of the monies received under section 17 and their disbursement. The Statement, which is in the form directed by the Standards Commission, is in agreement with the accounting records.

In my opinion –

- the Statement properly presents the payments made in the year ended 31 December 2016 and the balance of monies not applied at that date
- payments made out of the monies received under section 17 have been applied in accordance with section 18(1) of the Act.

Signature of Auditor



Date:

28/03/2017

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**Part 1: Political Party**

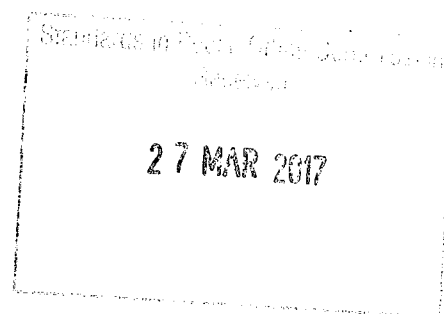
Political Party:	Fianna Fáil
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**Part 2: Appropriate Officer**

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#### Part 4: Details of Funding Received

Total exchequer funding received under the Act for the period 1 January 2016 to 31 December 2016:	€1,526,788
Amount of funding brought forward from 2015:	Nil
Overall total funding available for spending in 2016:	€1,526,788
Total expenditure, if any, of funding in 2016:	€1,504,558
Balance of funding carried forward to 2017:	€22,230
Was any of the funding applied in connection with Dáil, Seanad, European, presidential or local election expenses or in connection with referendum expenses?	No
Was the funding applied to some or all of the purposes referred to in section 18(1) of the Act?	Yes

### Part 5: Funds applied to General Administration of the Party

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
<b>Personnel, including ER PRSI</b>	<b>€295,967</b>
<b>Legal &amp; Professional Fees</b>	<b>€63,879</b>
<b>Depreciation</b>	<b>€23,705</b>
<b>Rent, Rates &amp; Insurance</b>	<b>€146,598</b>
<b>Telephone &amp; Postage</b>	<b>€174,140</b>
<b>Light &amp; Heat</b>	<b>€4,341</b>
<b>Travel &amp; Subsistence</b>	<b>€21,342</b>
<b>Computer Maintenance &amp; Website</b>	<b>€58,409</b>
<b>Office Expenditure</b>	<b>€191,102</b>
<b>Commemorations</b>	<b>€76,596</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>€1,056,079</b>

**Part 6: Funds applied to Research, Education & Training**

<b>Details of Expenditure</b>	<b>Amount (€)</b>
<b>Training, Education &amp; Research</b>	<b>€91,007</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>€91,007</b>

**Part 7: Funds applied to Policy Formulation**

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Promotion of Policy Discussion	€60,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>€60,000</b>

**Part 8: Funds applied to Co-ordination of the Activities of the Branches & Members of the Party**

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
General Party Promotion & Member Activities	€217,842
<b>Total</b>	<b>€217,842</b>

**Part 9: Funds applied to the Promotion of Participation by  
Women in Political Activity\***

\*Funding applied under this heading may already be included in any or all of headings 5 - 8 above. Whether or not this is the case, the amount and details of such funding should be shown separately under this heading.

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
<b>Promotion of Women Participation</b>	<b>€44,971</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>€44,971</b>

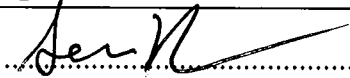


**Part 10: Funds applied to the Promotion of Participation by  
Young People in Political Activity\***

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Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Ogra	€34,659
<b>Total</b>	<b>€34,659</b>

**11. Signature**

<b>Signature of Appropriate Officer:</b>	
<b>Date:</b>	7/3/19

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UNDER SECTION 17 OF THE ELECTORAL ACT 1997, AS  
AMENDED**

I am reporting, as required by section 20(2) of the Electoral Act 1997, on the Statement for 2016 prepared by the Appropriate Officer of Fianna Fáil pursuant to subsection 20(1) of the Act.

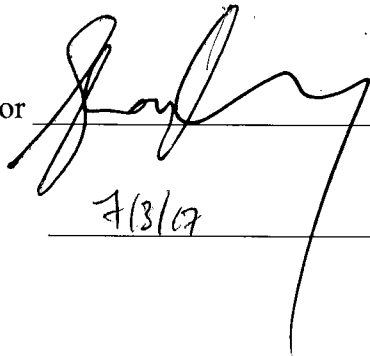
I have obtained all the information and explanations I considered necessary for the purposes of my audit.

Proper accounting records have been kept by Fianna Fáil in respect of the monies received under section 17 and their disbursement. The Statement, which is in the form directed by the Standards Commission, is in agreement with the accounting records.

In my opinion –

- the Statement properly presents the payments made in the year ended 31 December 2016 and the balance of monies not applied at that date
- payments made out of the monies received under section 17 have been applied in accordance with section 18(1) of the Act.

Signature of Auditor



(On Behalf of DHKN)

Date:

7/3/07

## Explanatory Notes

### Statement of Expenditure on Political Party Funding under the Political Parties Act 1997 (as amended) (the Act)

The Appropriate Officer should

- refer to the Guidelines published by the Standards in Public Office Commission (the Standards Commission) in December 2015;
- request any advice on completion of the form from the Standards Commission - see telephone numbers at the end of the page.

The Appropriate Officer should also note the following

- **specific** details must be given, under the individual headings, of the actual matters to which the funding was applied;
- funds applied to the Promotion of Participation by Women in Political Activity and funds applied to the Promotion of Participation by Young People in Political Activity must be shown under separate headings - Parts 9 and 10 of the form;
- the completed Statement of Expenditure must be accompanied by a report by a Public Auditor as set out at Part 12 of the form;
- section 19(4) of the Act provides that no further payment under the legislation will be made after 30 April in any year to a qualified political party which has not furnished a Statement of Expenditure and accompanying Public Auditor's report and a Donation Statement and Statutory Declaration to the Standards Commission;
- see also the guidelines relating to the election of the appropriate percentage of women and men at the preceding general election.

***The completed Statement of Expenditure and the Public Auditor's report, should reach the Standards in Public Office Commission, 18 Lr. Leeson Street, Dublin 2, not later than 31 March 2017***

#### Standards in Public Office Commission:

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Standards in Public Office Commission  
Received

31 MAR 2017

**Más mian leat comhfhreagras agus foirmeacha as Gaeilge a fháil le do thoil déan teagmháil linn.**

Statement of Expenditure of Exchequer funding under  
the Block Grant Act 1997, as amended  
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**Part 1: Political Party**

Political Party:	<b>Fine Gael</b>
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**Part 2: Appropriate Officer**

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**Part 3: Public Auditor**

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#### Part 4: Details of Funding Received

Total exchequer funding received under the Act for the period 1 January 2016 to 31 December 2016:	€1,757,016
Amount of funding brought forward from 2015:	€183,502
Overall total funding available for spending in 2016:	€1,940,518
Total expenditure, if any, of funding in 2016:	€1,751,319
Balance of funding carried forward to 2017:	€189,199
Was any of the funding applied in connection with Dáil, Seanad, European, presidential or local election expenses or in connection with referendum expenses?	No
Was the funding applied to some or all of the purposes referred to in section 18(1) of the Act?	Yes

### Part 5: Funds applied to General Administration of the Party

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Travel & meetings	9,909
Audit Fees	10,909
Consultancy fees	59,947
Employee Remuneration Costs	868,257
Staff and Other Administration Expenses	33,004
Professional Services	29,916
Rent, Rates & Insurance	39,827
Research and Development Activities	1,184
Telephone	23,129
IT Support & Computer Maintenance	47,608
Stationery, Postage, Light & Heat, Bank Charges, Subscriptions and other Office overheads	58,239
Premises, repairs & maintenance	23,650
<b>Total</b>	<b>€1,205,579</b>

**Part 6: Funds applied to Research, Education & Training**

<b>Details of Expenditure</b>	<b>Amount (€)</b>
Research and Development Consultancy services	9,348
Training & Development	3,169
<b>Total</b>	<b>€12,517</b>

### Part 7: Funds applied to Policy Formulation

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Professional Services	53,819
Employee Remuneration Costs	20,092
<b>Total</b>	<b>€73,911</b>



**Part 8: Funds applied to Co-ordination of the Activities of the Branches & Members of the Party**

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Ard Fheis and Conferences	62,640
Printing Office	22,949
Rent, Rates & Insurance	7,538
Party Branch and Member Meetings, Training & Development	63,852
Employee Remuneration Costs	176,102
<b>Total</b>	<b>€333,081</b>

**Part 9: Funds applied to the Promotion of Participation by  
Women in Political Activity\***

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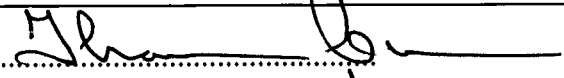
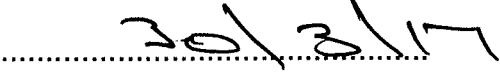
<b>Details of Expenditure</b>	<b>Amount (€)</b>
Equality Promotion Programme Consultancy Services and Activities	75,195
<b>Total</b>	<b>€75,195</b>

**Part 10: Funds applied to the Promotion of Participation by  
Young People in Political Activity\***

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Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Employee Remuneration Costs	18,343
Conferences & Events	11,125
Subscription & EU Membership Fees	1,253
Resource materials	5,331
Travel & Meetings	6,325
Youth Office Overhead & Other Admin Costs	8,659
<b>Total</b>	<b>€51,036</b>

**11. Signature**

<b>Signature of Appropriate Officer:</b>	
<b>Date:</b>	

## Part 12: Auditor's Report

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AMENDED**

I am reporting, as required by section 20(2) of the Electoral Act 1997, on the Statement for 2016 prepared by the Appropriate Officer of Fine Gael pursuant to subsection 20(1) of the Act.

I have obtained all the information and explanations I considered necessary for the purposes of my audit.

Proper accounting records have been kept by Fine Gael in respect of the monies received under section 17 and their disbursement. The Statement, which is in the form directed by the Standards Commission, is in agreement with the accounting records.

In my opinion –

- the Statement properly presents the payments made in the year ended 31 December 2016 and the balance of monies not applied at that date
- payments made out of the monies received under section 17 have been applied in accordance with section 18(1) of the Act.

Signature of Auditor

Stake Murray, Grant Thornton

Date:

30 March 2017

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**Part 1: Political Party**

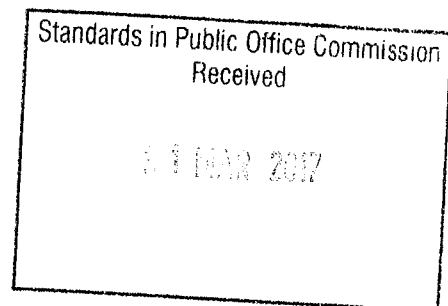
Political Party:	The Green Party/Comhaontas Glas
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**Part 2: Appropriate Officer**

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**Part 3: Public Auditor**

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## Part 4: Details of Funding Received

Total exchequer funding received under the Act for the period 1 January 2016 to 31 December 2016:	€ <b>245,950</b> .....
Amount of funding brought forward from 2015:	<b>nil</b> .....
Overall total funding available for spending in 2016:	<b>245,950</b> =====
Total expenditure, if any, of funding in 2016:	<b>151,241</b> .....
Balance of funding carried forward to 2017:	<b>94,709</b> =====
Was any of the funding applied in connection with Dáil, Seanad, European, presidential or local election expenses or in connection with referendum expenses?	<b>Nil</b> .....
Was the funding applied to some or all of the purposes referred to in section 18(1) of the Act?	<b>Yes</b> .....

## Part 5: Funds applied to General Administration of the Party

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Payroll, including ER PRSI	76,752
Rent of premises	18,875
Premises service charge	6,570
Premises - rates	5,299
Telephone and mobile	8,027
Printing, postage & stationery	3,421
Audit fees	3,000
Bookkeeping and payroll	2,684
Pension management fees	2094
Bank charges	1,921
Repairs and maintenance	1,630
General insurance	1,384
Marked registers – post election	1,351
Canteen and cleaning	1,346
Media relations	1,144
Staff recruitment – advertising and advice	1,029
Affiliation fees European Federation	600
Advertising	633
Computer maintenance and supplies	832
Internet / website maintenance	617
Room hire	400
Miscellaneous	2,047
<b>Total</b>	<b>€141,656</b>

**Part 6: Funds applied to Research, Education & Training**

<b>Details of Expenditure</b>	<b>Amount (€)</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>€ Nil</b>



### Part 7: Funds applied to Policy Formulation

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
<b>Total</b>	<b>€ Nil</b>

**Part 8: Funds applied to Co-ordination of the Activities of the Branches & Members of the Party**

<b>Details of Expenditure</b>	<b>Amount (€)</b>
<b>Annual convention</b>	<b>7,635</b>
<b>Member meetings</b>	<b>1,630</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>€9,265</b>

### **Part 9: Funds applied to the Promotion of Participation by Women in Political Activity\***

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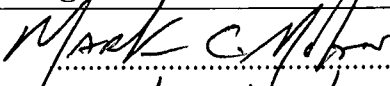
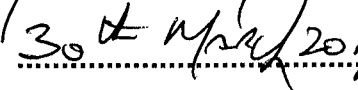
<b>Details of Expenditure</b>	<b>Amount (€)</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>€ Nil</b>

**Part 10: Funds applied to the Promotion of Participation by  
Young People in Political Activity\***

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Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Young Greens activity	320
<b>Total</b>	<b>€ 320</b>

**11. Signature**

<p>Signature of Appropriate Officer:</p> <p>Date:</p>	<p align="center">               ..... Martin C. Nolan                ..... 30<sup>th</sup> March 2017         </p>
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AMENDED**

I am reporting, as required by section 20(2) of the Electoral Act 1997, on the Statement for 2016 prepared by the Appropriate Officer of [*name of political party*]

GREEN PARTY / COMHONTAS GLAS pursuant to subsection 20(1) of the Act.

I have obtained all the information and explanations I considered necessary for the purposes of my audit.

Proper accounting records have been kept by [*name of political party*]

GREEN PARTY / COMHONTAS GLAS in respect of the monies received under section 17 and their disbursement. The Statement, which is in the form directed by the Standards Commission, is in agreement with the accounting records.

In my opinion –

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Signature of Auditor

M-K O'Leary

Date:

30/3/17

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**Part 1: Political Party**

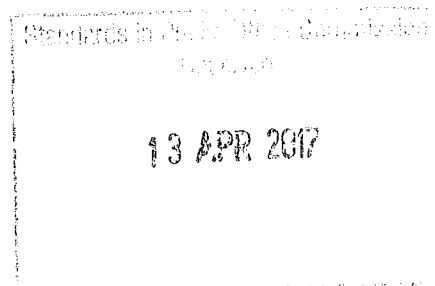
Political Party:	The Labour Party
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**Part 2: Appropriate Officer**

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**Part 3: Public Auditor**

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#### Part 4: Details of Funding Received

Total exchequer funding received under the Act for the period 1 January 2016 to 31 December 2016:

641,430

Amount of funding brought forward from 2015:

1,153,134

Overall total funding available for spending in 2016:

1,794,564

Total expenditure, if any, of funding in 2016:

1,206,534

Balance of funding carried forward to 2017:

588,030

Was any of the funding applied in connection with Dáil, Seanad, European, presidential or local election expenses or in connection with referendum expenses?

No

Was the funding applied to some or all of the purposes referred to in section 18(1) of the Act?

Yes

**Part 5: Funds applied to General Administration of the Party**

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Salaries and Pensions	658,882
Meetings	35,684
Stationery and Postage	8,912
Bank Interest and Charges	377
Consultancy	49,332
Insurance	20,372
Light and Heat	4,697
Rent and Rates	133,377
Professional Fees	25,729
Publications	14,278
Head Office Maintenance	9,376
Telephone	8,455
Constituency Development	11,048
International Affairs	1,244
Research	10,075
Miscellaneous	13,057
<b>Total</b>	<b>€ 1,004,895</b>



**Part 6: Funds applied to Research, Education & Training**

<b>Details of Expenditure</b>	<b>Amount (€)</b>
	NIL -
<b>Total</b>	€ NIL -

**Part 7: Funds applied to Policy Formulation**

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
National Conference	128,698
Total	€ 128,698

**Part 8: Funds applied to Co-ordination of the Activities of the Branches & Members of the Party**

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
	NIL -
<b>Total</b>	€ NIL -

**Part 9: Funds applied to the Promotion of Participation by  
Women in Political Activity\***

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Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Salaries and Pensions	7,836
Employers PRSI	842
Party Sections (Women)	6,000
<b>Total</b>	€ 14,678

**Part 10: Funds applied to the Promotion of Participation by  
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Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Salaries and Pensions	35,792
Employers PRSI	3,471
Party Sections (Youth)	19,000
<b>Total</b>	€ 58,263

**11. Signature**

<b>Signature of Appropriate Officer:</b>	<i>[Handwritten Signature]</i>
<b>Date:</b>	<i>11/04/2017</i>

## Part 12: Auditor's Report

**AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE STANDARDS IN PUBLIC OFFICE  
COMMISSION ON STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURE OF MONIES  
RECEIVED BY A POLITICAL PARTY FROM THE CENTRAL FUND  
UNDER SECTION 17 OF THE ELECTORAL ACT 1997, AS  
AMENDED**

I am reporting, as required by section 20(2) of the Electoral Act 1997, on the Statement for 2016 prepared by the Appropriate Officer of [*name of political party*]  
LABOUR PARTY.....pursuant to subsection 20(1) of the Act.

I have obtained all the information and explanations I considered necessary for the purposes of my audit.

Proper accounting records have been kept by [*name of political party*]  
LABOUR PARTY.....in respect of the monies received under section 17 and their disbursement. The Statement, which is in the form directed by the Standards Commission, is in agreement with the accounting records.

In my opinion –

- the Statement properly presents the payments made in the year ended 31 December 2016 and the balance of monies not applied at that date
- payments made out of the monies received under section 17 have been applied in accordance with section 18(1) of the Act.

Signature of Auditor

O'Connell & Associates

Date:

11 April 2017

**Statement of Expenditure of Exchequer funding under  
the Electoral Act 1997, as amended.  
1 January 2016 - 31 December 2016**

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**Part 1: Political Party**

Political Party:	<b>RENUA Ireland</b>
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**Part 2: Appropriate Officer**

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#### Part 4: Details of Funding Received

Total exchequer funding received under the Act for the period 1 January 2016 to 31 December 2016:	218,744
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Amount of funding brought forward from 2015:	0
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Overall total funding available for spending in 2016:	218,744
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Total expenditure, if any, of funding in 2016:	114,641
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Balance of funding carried forward to 2017:	104,103
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Was any of the funding applied in connection with Dáil, Seanad, European, presidential or local election expenses or in connection with referendum expenses?	No
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Was the funding applied to some or all of the purposes referred to in section 18(1) of the Act?	Yes
	.....



### Part 5: Funds applied to General Administration of the Party

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Advertising	5,820.63
Audit fees	3,690.00
Bank charges	59.09
Consultants	10,815.86
Equipment hire	136.16
Insurances	1,641.04
IT Costs	1,353.53
Launch costs	444.68
Leaders Allowance	10,000.00
Loan Interest	4,163.02
Office Rent	4,403.23
Photography	756.45
Post & Stationery	3,431.62
Salaries	14,910.14
Telephone	15.70
Travel And Subsistence	9.32
Venue Hire	3,745.31
<b>Total</b>	<b>€65,395.76</b>

**Part 6: Funds applied to Research, Education & Training**

<b>Details of Expenditure</b>	<b>Amount (€)</b>
<b>NIL</b>	<b>NIL</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>€NIL</b>

**Part 7: Funds applied to Policy Formulation**

<b>Details of Expenditure</b>	<b>Amount (€)</b>
Advertising	3,256.45
Consultants	1,954.24
IT Costs	246.00
Salaries	15,571.62
Venue hire	1,480.50
<b>Total</b>	<b>€22,508.81</b>

**Part 8: Funds applied to Co-ordination of the Activities of the Branches & Members of the Party**

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Advertising	1,564.50
Consultants	6,187.50
IT Costs	4,409.86
Salaries	11,226.78
Travel and Subsistence	77.28
Venue hire	3,270.84
<b>Total</b>	<b>€26,736.77</b>

**Part 9: Funds applied to the Promotion of Participation by  
Women in Political Activity\***

\*Funding applied under this heading may already be included in any or all of headings 5 - 8 above. Whether or not this is the case, the amount and details of such funding should be shown separately under this heading.

<b>Details of Expenditure</b>	<b>Amount (€)</b>
<b>None</b>	<b>NIL</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>€NIL</b>

**Part 10: Funds applied to the Promotion of Participation by  
Young People in Political Activity\***

\* Funding applied under this heading may already be included in any or all of headings 5 - 8 above. Whether or not this is the case, the amount and details of such funding should be shown separately under this heading.

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
NONE	NIL
<b>Total</b>	<b>€NIL</b>

**11. Signature**

<b>Signature of Appropriate Officer:</b>	<i>Julie M. Coyle</i>
<b>Date:</b>	<i>31 March 2012</i>

## Part 12: Auditor's Report

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AMENDED**

I am reporting, as required by section 20(2) of the Electoral Act 1997, on the Statement for 2016 prepared by the Appropriate Officer of RENUA Ireland pursuant to subsection 20(1) of the Act.


I have obtained all the information and explanations I considered necessary for the purposes of my audit.

Proper accounting records have been kept by RENUA Ireland in respect of the monies received under section 17 and their disbursement. The Statement, which is in the form directed by the Standards Commission, is in agreement with the accounting records.

In my opinion –

- the Statement properly presents the payments made in the year ended 31 December 2016 and the balance of monies not applied at that date
- payments made out of the monies received under section 17 have been applied in accordance with section 18(1) of the Act.

Signature of Auditor



David Buggy FCA

Date:

31 March 2017

**Statement of Expenditure of Exchequer funding under  
the Electoral Act 1997, as amended.  
1 January 2016 - 31 December 2016**

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**Part 1: Political Party**

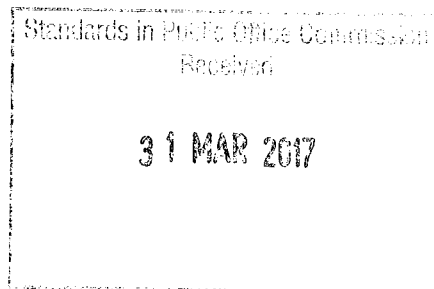
Political Party:	Sinn Féin
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**Part 2: Appropriate Officer**

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## Part 4: Details of Funding Received

Total exchequer funding received under the Act for the period 1 January 2016 to 31 December 2016:

923,139

Amount of funding brought forward from 2015:

240,337

Overall total funding available for spending in 2016:

1,163,476

Total expenditure, if any, of funding in 2016:

862,154

Balance of funding carried forward to 2017:

301,322

Was any of the funding applied in connection with Dáil, Seanad, European, presidential or local election expenses or in connection with referendum expenses?

No

Was the funding applied to some or all of the purposes referred to in section 18(1) of the Act?

Yes

**Part 5: Funds applied to General Administration of the Party**

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Wages and Salaries	172,554
Computer and IT	84,653
Upkeep and Maintenance	45,686
Insurance	27,161
Rates	19,165
Heating and Electricity	9,864
Audit and Accounts	11,685
Travel and Accommodation	22,454
Vice Presidents Dept	2,625
Bank Interest and Charges	8,892
US and Canada Desk	2,728
National Finance Dept	8,134
Redundancies	16,461
<b>Total</b>	<b>€ 432,062</b>

**Part 6: Funds applied to Research, Education & Training**

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Wages and Salaries	43579
Staff Training	205
<b>Total</b>	€ 43784

**Part 7: Funds applied to Policy Formulation**

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Meetings and Conferences	37,194
<b>Total</b>	€ 37,194

**Part 8: Funds applied to Co-ordination of the Activities of the Branches & Members of the Party**

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Wages and Salaries	59570
Communication to MEMBERS	69861
Travel and SUBSISTENCE	80004
PUBLICITY	14302
AEO Fees Expenses	23104
MEMBERSHIP COSTS	20479
General Secretary's Dept	2439
<b>Total</b>	€ 269,759

**Part 9: Funds applied to the Promotion of Participation by  
Women in Political Activity\***

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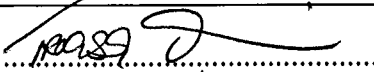
Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Wages and Salaries	40,703
Total	€ 40,703

**Part 10: Funds applied to the Promotion of Participation by  
Young People in Political Activity\***

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Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Wages and Salaries	38,652
<b>Total</b>	€ 38,652

**11. Signature**

<b>Signature of Appropriate Officer:</b>	
<b>Date:</b>	29/03/2017

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AMENDED**

I am reporting, as required by section 20(2) of the Electoral Act 1997, on the Statement for 2016 prepared by the Appropriate Officer of [*name of political party*]  
.....*Sinn Féin*.....pursuant to subsection 20(1) of the Act.

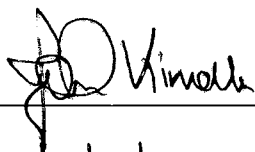
I have obtained all the information and explanations I considered necessary for the purposes of my audit.

Proper accounting records have been kept by [*name of political party*]  
.....*Sinn Féin*.....in respect of the monies received under section 17 and their disbursement. The Statement, which is in the form directed by the Standards Commission, is in agreement with the accounting records.

In my opinion –

- the Statement properly presents the payments made in the year ended 31 December 2016 and the balance of monies not applied at that date
- payments made out of the monies received under section 17 have been applied in accordance with section 18(1) of the Act.

Signature of Auditor



Date:

31/3/2017

Kinsella Mitchell & Associates  
Certified Public Accountants and  
Statutory Auditors  
Finance House,  
46 Prussia Street, Dublin 7.



Statement of Expenditure of Exchequer funding under  
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**Part 1: Political Party**

Political Party:	<b>Social Democrats</b>
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**Part 2: Appropriate Officer**

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#### Part 4: Details of Funding Received

Total exchequer funding received under the Act for the period 1 January 2016 to 31 December 2016:

€260,600.22

Amount of funding brought forward from 2015:

0

Overall total funding available for spending in 2016:

€260,600.22

Total expenditure, if any, of funding in 2016:

€97,240.76

Balance of funding carried forward to 2017:

€163,359.46

Was any of the funding applied in connection with Dáil, Seanad, European, presidential or local election expenses or in connection with referendum expenses?

No

Was the funding applied to some or all of the purposes referred to in section 18(1) of the Act?

Yes

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**Part 5: Funds applied to General Administration of the Party**

<b>Details of Expenditure</b>	<b>Amount (€)</b>
Salaries + P30	41,508.96
Recruitment	1,619.09
Insurance	2,083.54
Travel (staff)	486.31
Web hosting + maintenance	2,579.71
Stationery + Courier	1,304.88
Communications	2,222.00
Staff expenses	840.68
Design + Printing	11,696.25
<b>Total</b>	<b>€ 64,341.41</b>



**Part 7: Funds applied to Policy Formulation**

<b>Details of Expenditure</b>	<b>Amount (€)</b>
Meetings + National Conference	19,089.60
National Conference expenses	12,446.08
<b>Total</b>	<b>€ 31,535.68</b>

**Part 8: Funds applied to Co-ordination of the Activities of the Branches & Members of the Party**

<b>Details of Expenditure</b>	<b>Amount (€)</b>
Travel expenses (branch members)	363.67
Campaign - branch development	1,000.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>€ 1,363.67</b>

**Part 9: Funds applied to the Promotion of Participation by  
Women in Political Activity\***

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<b>Details of Expenditure</b>	<b>Amount (€)</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>€</b>

**Part 10: Funds applied to the Promotion of Participation by  
Young People in Political Activity\***

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Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
<b>Total</b>	€

**11. Signature**

<b>Signature of Appropriate Officer:</b>	..... <i>I D/c</i>
<b>Date:</b>	..... <i>20 March 2017</i>



## Part 12: Auditor's Report

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AMENDED**

I am reporting, as required by section 20(2) of the Electoral Act 1997, on the Statement for 2016 prepared by the Appropriate Officer of [*name of political party*]  
SOCIAL DEMOCRATS pursuant to subsection 20(1) of the Act.

I have obtained all the information and explanations I considered necessary for the purposes of my audit.

Proper accounting records have been kept by [*name of political party*]  
SOCIAL DEMOCRATS in respect of the monies received under section 17 and their disbursement. The Statement, which is in the form directed by the Standards Commission, is in agreement with the accounting records.

In my opinion –

- the Statement properly presents the payments made in the year ended 31 December 2016 and the balance of monies not applied at that date
- payments made out of the monies received under section 17 have been applied in accordance with section 18(1) of the Act.

Signature of Auditor Alex Barnes

Date: 31st March 2017