

Outline of the Consultative Process

Consultation process

The preparation of this White Paper offered an opportunity for extensive consultation with the Irish public and our development partners. Written submissions were invited from interested parties and 137 were received.

Public meetings were held at various locations throughout the country.

Date	Location
13 April 2005	Limerick
27 April 2005	Waterford
3 May 2005	Athlone
4 May 2005	Galway
10 May 2005	Cork
17 May 2005	Tralee
24 May 2005	Dublin (Helix)
7 July 2005	Dundalk
8 July 2005	Letterkenny
4 Oct 2005	Carrick on Shannon
27 Feb 2006	Dublin (Tallaght)

In addition, aid agencies and other stakeholders were invited to a consultative forum in Dublin Castle in October 2005.

Consultations were also held with UN agencies and with our partners in the developing world.

Submissions from organisations

Action Aid Ireland
 Advisory Board for Irish Aid
 AIDS Partnership with Africa
 Association of Refugees and Asylum Seekers in Ireland
 Banúlacht
 Bóthar
 Cáirde
 Centre for Development Studies UCD
 Centre for Global Education
 Centre for Global Health TCD
 Christian Aid Ireland
 Christian Blind Mission Ireland
 Church of Ireland Bishops' Appeal
 Church of Scientology Mission
 Clare Women's Network
 Columban Missionaries
 Comhar
 Comhlámh
 Community Workers Co-Operative
 Concern
 Connolly Corporate Finance
 Cori Justice Commission
 DCI at DCU
 DCU Centre for International Studies
 Defence Forces
 Department of Communications, Marine and Natural Resources
 Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment
 Dóchas
 ECO-UNESCO
 Foróige
 Global Campaign for Education
 GOAL
 Gorta
 Green Party
 Health and Development Networks
 Hope Foundation
 Humanist Association of Ireland
 Institute of International Integration Studies
 International AIDS Vaccine Initiative
 International Alert
 Irish Coalition for the Global Campaign for Education
 Irish Congress of Trade Unions
 Irish Council for International Students
 Irish Development Education Association
 Irish Family Planning Association
 Irish Forum for Global Health
 Irish League of Credit Unions International
 Development Foundation Ltd.
 Irish Methodist World Development and Relief Committee
 Irish Missionary Resource Service
 Irish Missionary Union
 Irish Red Cross
 Irish Redemptorists
 Just Forests
 KADE
 Kimmage Manor Development Studies Centre
 Leixlip Group for Justice and Peace
 Missionaries of the Sacred Heart
 National Collective of Community based Women's Networks
 National Youth Council of Ireland
 Network Ireland
 NUI Galway-Dev Education and Research Network
 Oxfam Ireland
 Peace Brigades International
 Plan Ireland
 Presentation Justice Network
 Refugee Trust International
 Self Help Development International
 Sightsavers International
 Skillshare International Ireland
 Southwest Kerry Women's Association

St. Patrick's Society
TCD Students Union
Teak 21 (International Federation of Quality Tropical
Hardware Association Ltd.)
Tearfund
The Leprosy Mission
Transparency International
Trócaire
UNICEF
University College Dublin World Aid Society
University of Limerick, Presidents Office
Vincentian Partnership for Social Justice
War on Want Northern Ireland/
Fighting World Poverty
West Clare Women's Forum
Wingspread International
WITH/Cúram
Women's Human Rights Project
World Vision Ireland
Youth Advisory Group to the National Youth
Development Education Programme

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Acronyms

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ACP	African, Caribbean and Pacific
ACPHR	African Commission on People's and Human Rights
APRM	African Peer Review Mechanism
ASEAN	Association of Southeast Asian Nations
ASEM	Asia Europe Meeting
AU	African Union
AU PSC	African Union Peace and Security Council
CERF	Central Emergency Response Fund
CEDAW	Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination Against Women
CGIAR	Consultative Group on International Agricultural Research
CSF	Civil Society Fund
DAC	Development Assistance Committee
DEAC	Development Education Advisory Committee
DFA	Department of Foreign Affairs
ECOWAS	Economic Community of West African States
EDF	European Development Fund
EPA	Economic Partnership Agreement
ESDP	European Security and Defence Policy
EU	European Union
FAO	Food and Agriculture Organisation
FLO	Fairtrade Labelling Organisations International
GeSCI	Global e-Schools and Communications Initiative
GNP	Gross National Product
HDI	Human Development Index
ICRC	International Committee of the Red Cross
IDA	International Development Association
IDP	Internally Displaced Person

ILO	International Labour Organisation
IMF	International Monetary Fund
IMRS	Irish Missionary Resource Service
IOM	International Organisation for Migration
LDC	Least Developed Country
MAPS	Multi Annual Programme Scheme
MDGs	Millennium Development Goals
NGO	Non Governmental Organisation
NCCA	National Council of Curriculum Assessment
ODA	Official Development Assistance
OSCE	Organisation for Security and Cooperation in Europe
OECD	Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development
PPECA	Partnership Programme for Europe and Central Asia
PRSP	Poverty Reduction Strategy Paper
RRI	Rapid Response Initiative
SADC	Southern African Development Community
UN	United Nations
UNDP	United Nations Development Programme
UNESCO	United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organisation
UNFCCC	United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change
UNHCR	United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees
UNICEF	United Nations Children Fund
WFP	World Food Programme
WHO	World Health Organisation
WTO	World Trade Organisation

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