

Explanatory Notes

Statement of Expenditure of "Parliamentary Activities Allowance" 1 January 2024 to 31 December 2024

Ministerial and Parliamentary Offices Act 1938 as amended by the
Oireachtas (Ministerial and Parliamentary Offices) (Amendment) Act, 2014 (the Act)

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Standards in Public Office Commission:

Contact Details:

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Part 1. Independent member

Name of independent member:

CATHAL BERRY

Address:

Telephone Numbers:

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Part 2. Public Auditor

Name of Public Auditor:

PATRICK KEOGH

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LIOSBAN BUSINESS PARK
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p.keogh@keoghpartners.ie

Part 3. Details of Funding Received

1 January to 31 December 2024

Total funding received under the Act:

36,058.65

Amount of funding brought forward from previous period:

900.62

Expenditure (as detailed in attached schedules):

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|--|-----------|
| a) technical or specialist advice | 0 |
| b) research and training | €19,560 |
| c) policy formulation | €4,899.27 |
| d) provision of consultants' services | €12,500 |
| e) polling or public attitude sampling | 0 |
| f) entertainment | 0 |

Total expenditure

36,959.27

Balance of funding carried forward:

NIL

I confirm that

- none of the funding was applied in connection with Dáil, Seanad, European, presidential or local election expenses or in connection with referendum expenses.
- No other claims for funding have been submitted in relation to this expenditure.

Signature:

Cathal Kenny

Date:

24 MAR 2025

Part 4. Details of Expenditure

- a. Expenditure on the provision of technical or specialist advice likely to be required in connection with legislative proposals or potential parliamentary initiatives

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
N/A	NIL
Total	€ 0

b. Expenditure on research and training	
1997	1998
1999	2000
2001	2002
2003	2004
2005	2006
2007	2008
2009	2010
2011	2012
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2085	2086
2087	2088
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2097	2098
2099	2100

	Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
	ECONOMIC + ENVIRONMENTAL RESEARCH	14,760
	SOCIAL RESEARCH	4,800
	Total	€19,560

c. Expenditure on policy formulation

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
POLICY FORMULATION	€ 4,899.27
Total	€ 4,899.27

d. Expenditure on the provision of consultants' services, including the engagement of public relations consultants

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
SOCIAL MEDIA MANAGEMENT	12,000
PUBLIC RELATIONS CONSULTANTS	500
Total	€ 12,500

e. Expenditure on polling or public attitude sampling in connection with parliamentary debates or initiatives

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
N/A	NIL
Total	€ 0

f. Expenditure on entertainment
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Details of Expenditure		Amount (€)
Nature of event (e.g. School group refreshments: lunch for OAPs: etc.)	Number attending	
N/A	N/A	0
	Total	€ 0

Part 5.

**Auditor's report to the Standards in Public Office Commission
on statement of expenditure of the
annual allowance paid to an independent member
under**

**The Ministerial and Parliamentary Offices Act 1938
as amended by**

**The Oireachtas (Ministerial and Parliamentary Offices)(Amendment) Act, 2014
("the Act").**

I am reporting, as required by section 10B of the Act, on the statement of expenditure from the allowance for the period 1 January to 31 December 2024 signed by independent member:

[Name of independent member]

CATHAL BERRY

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

Proper accounting records have been kept in respect of the said allowance and its disbursement. The statement of expenditure is in agreement with the accounting records.

In my opinion

- the statement of expenditure properly presents the expenditure of the allowance for the period 1 January to 31 December 2024 and the balance not applied at that date.
- the disbursements have been applied to expenses arising out of parliamentary activities as defined in section 10H(1) of the Act.

Signature of Auditor: Paddy Keogh
Name of Auditor: PATRICK KEOGH
Company Name: KEOGH PARTNERS
Date: 28/3/2025

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Part 1. Independent member

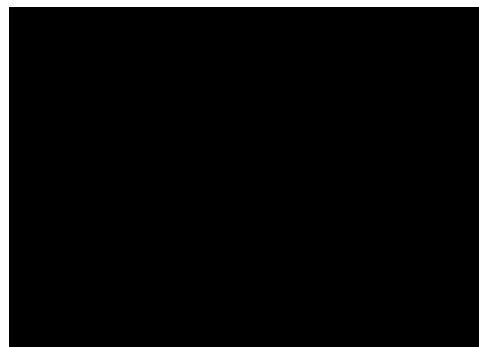
Name of independent member:

Seán Canney

Address:

Telephone Numbers:

Email address:



Part 2. Public Auditor

Name of Public Auditor:

Paddy McSharry
McDonald Walsh & Co Ltd

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Shop Street,
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Co. Galway

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Email address:

reception@mcdonaldandwalsh.com

Part 3. Details of Funding Received

1 January to 31 December 2024

Total funding received under the Act: € 40,302.85
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€ 65,928.29

Amount of funding brought forward from previous period:

Expenditure (as detailed in attached schedules):

a) technical or specialist advice	---	
b) research and training	€ 18,594.00	
c) policy formulation	€ 2,537.57	
d) provision of consultants' services	€ 14,922.50	
e) polling or public attitude sampling	---	
f) entertainment	€ 3,895.50	
		€ 39,949.57

Total expenditure
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Balance of funding carried forward: € 66,281.57
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I confirm that

- none of the funding was applied in connection with Dáil, Seanad, European, presidential or local election expenses or in connection with referendum expenses.
- No other claims for funding have been submitted in relation to this expenditure.

Signature:

Abán Barrney
.....
21/3/25

Date:

Part 4. Details of Expenditure

- a. Expenditure on the provision of technical or specialist advice likely to be required in connection with legislative proposals or potential parliamentary initiatives**

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Nil	0.00
Total	€ 0.00

b.	Expenditure on research and training	
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Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
	18,594.00
Research on housing and availability of serviced sites in villages	
Analysis of All Island Rail Review in the context of delivery	
Supports for Carers and the means testing of carers allowance	
Local improvement schemes in rural areas	
Vacant property grants uptake	
Regional investment in the west and northwest region	
Total	€ 18,594.00

c. Expenditure on policy formulation	
1. Policy formulation	100
2. Policy implementation	100
3. Policy evaluation	100
4. Policy monitoring	100
5. Policy review	100
6. Policy adjustment	100
7. Policy termination	100
8. Policy renewal	100
9. Policy continuation	100
10. Policy modification	100
11. Policy expansion	100
12. Policy contraction	100
13. Policy innovation	100
14. Policy reform	100
15. Policy change	100
16. Policy development	100
17. Policy improvement	100
18. Policy enhancement	100
19. Policy optimization	100
20. Policy maximization	100
21. Policy minimization	100
22. Policy standardization	100
23. Policy uniformity	100
24. Policy consistency	100
25. Policy coherence	100
26. Policy compatibility	100
27. Policy complementarity	100
28. Policy synergy	100
29. Policy integration	100
30. Policy coordination	100
31. Policy collaboration	100
32. Policy partnership	100
33. Policy alliance	100
34. Policy coalition	100
35. Policy network	100
36. Policy cluster	100
37. Policy system	100
38. Policy framework	100
39. Policy structure	100
40. Policy organization	100
41. Policy management	100
42. Policy administration	100
43. Policy implementation	100
44. Policy execution	100
45. Policy delivery	100
46. Policy provision	100
47. Policy supply	100
48. Policy output	100
49. Policy result	100
50. Policy impact	100
51. Policy effect	100
52. Policy outcome	100
53. Policy consequence	100
54. Policy result	100
55. Policy achievement	100
56. Policy success	100
57. Policy accomplishment	100
58. Policy attainment	100
59. Policy realization	100
60. Policy fulfillment	100
61. Policy completion	100
62. Policy conclusion	100
63. Policy termination	100
64. Policy ending	100
65. Policy closure	100
66. Policy finality	100
67. Policy definiteness	100
68. Policy certainty	100
69. Policy predictability	100
70. Policy stability	100
71. Policy durability	100
72. Policy longevity	100
73. Policy persistence	100
74. Policy continuity	100
75. Policy consistency	100
76. Policy coherence	100
77. Policy compatibility	100
78. Policy complementarity	100
79. Policy synergy	100
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82. Policy collaboration	100
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84. Policy alliance	100
85. Policy coalition	100
86. Policy network	100
87. Policy cluster	100
88. Policy system	100
89. Policy framework	100
90. Policy structure	100
91. Policy organization	100
92. Policy management	100
93. Policy administration	100
94. Policy implementation	100
95. Policy execution	100
96. Policy delivery	100
97. Policy provision	100
98. Policy supply	100
99. Policy output	100
100. Policy result	100

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
	2,537.57
Policy formation in relation to older people services, transport schemes for people with a disability.	
Developing policy on non means tested Carers Allowance	
Drafting New Programme for Government position papers	
Total	€ 2,537.57

d. Expenditure on the provision of consultants' services, including the engagement of public relations consultants

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Social Media Management and analysis of social media engagement.	14,922.50
Total	€ 14,922.50

e. Expenditure on polling or public attitude sampling in connection with parliamentary debates or initiatives

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Nil	0.00
Total	€ 0.00

f. Expenditure on entertainment
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Details of Expenditure		Amount (€)
Nature of event (e.g. School group refreshments; lunch for OAPs; etc.)	Number attending	
Entertaining School Groups and Retirement Groups		3,895.50
	Total	€ 3,895.50

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[Name of independent member]

PATRICK McSHARRY

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

Proper accounting records have been kept in respect of the said allowance and its disbursement. The statement of expenditure is in agreement with the accounting records.

In my opinion

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Signature of Auditor:



Name of Auditor:

PATRICK McSHARRY

Company Name:

McDonnell Walsh & Co. Ltd.

Date:

26-3-2025

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Part 1. Independent member

Name of independent member:

MICHAEL COLLINS

Address:

Telephone Numbers:

Email address:

Part 2. Public Auditor

Name of Public Auditor:

CHRISTY NAUGHTON

CP 6591

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Co. LONK

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T. 026 42383

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CHRISTY@CHRISTYNAUGHTON.CO

Part 3. Details of Funding Received

1 January to 31 December 2024

Total funding received under the Act:

36,058-65

Amount of funding brought forward from previous period:

24,727-13

Expenditure (as detailed in attached schedules):

- a) technical or specialist advice
- b) research and training
- c) policy formulation
- d) provision of consultants' services
- e) polling or public attitude sampling
- f) entertainment

20,000 -

5802-29

6,200 -

8,534-08

Total expenditure

40,536-37

Balance of funding carried forward:

249-41

I confirm that

- none of the funding was applied in connection with Dáil, Seanad, European, presidential or local election expenses or in connection with referendum expenses.
- No other claims for funding have been submitted in relation to this expenditure.

Signature:

Michael Collins TD

Date:

28/4/2024

Part 4. Details of Expenditure

a. **Expenditure on the provision of technical or specialist advice likely to be required in connection with legislative proposals or potential parliamentary initiatives**

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Specialist Advice Housing, Help, Social Housing	
KODAS, Health including Special Education	
Cross Border initiatives, School classes, School	
transport, Immigration, Welfare schemes	
Rural planning	
Total	€ 20,000 —

b. Expenditure on research and training	
1. Research	
2. Training	
3. Other	
4. Total	

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
hereover cash/cash, Disabled Drivers,	
BG-4, Transport Link of it, Carbon Tax	
Low Grants, All bills during 2023, Cancer Services	
Fishing Pulayac / Insurances, Permits for non-Nationalists	
floodings, Hospital Waiting lists, Health Services	
Total	€ 5802-29

c. Expenditure on policy formulation

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
<i>Policy formulation year 2023</i>	
Total	<i>€ 6,200 —</i>

d. Expenditure on the provision of consultants' services, including the engagement of public relations consultants

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Total	€ 8,534 -08

e.	Expenditure on polling or public attitude sampling in connection with parliamentary debates or initiatives
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f. Expenditure on entertainment

Details of Expenditure		Amount (€)
Nature of event (e.g. School group refreshments; lunch for OAPs; etc.)	Number attending	
	Total	€

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I am reporting, as required by section 10B of the Act, on the statement of expenditure from the allowance for the period 1 January to 31 December 2024 signed by independent member:

[Name of independent member]

Michael Collins P.

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

Proper accounting records have been kept in respect of the said allowance and its disbursement. The statement of expenditure is in agreement with the accounting records.

In my opinion

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- the disbursements have been applied to expenses arising out of parliamentary activities as defined in section 10H(1) of the Act.

Signature of Auditor:

[Signature]
Christy Naughton & Co. Ltd.

Name of Auditor:

[Signature]
**Certified Public Accountants
No. 3 Masseytown,**

Company Name:

[Signature]
Christy Naughton & Co. Ltd.

Date:

[Signature]
**Tel: 026 42383
30/04/2025**

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Part 1. Independent member

Name of independent member:

CATHERINE CONNOLLY

Address:

Telephone Numbers:

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Part 2. Public Auditor

Name of Public Auditor:

GERARD FINAN

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HOSBROWN GALWAY

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G.FINAN@FINANDEIRN.IE

Standards in Public Office Commission
Received

31 MAR 2025

Part 3. Details of Funding Received

1 January to 31 December 2024

Total funding received under the Act:

40,302.85

Amount of funding brought forward from previous period:

56,553.15

Expenditure (as detailed in attached schedules):

a) technical or specialist advice

b) research and training

c) policy formulation

d) provision of consultants' services

e) polling or public attitude sampling

f) entertainment

38,650.58

12,476.00

405.90

Total expenditure

51,532.48

Balance of funding carried forward:

45,323.52

I confirm that

- none of the funding was applied in connection with Dáil, Seanad, European, presidential or local election expenses or in connection with referendum expenses.
- No other claims for funding have been submitted in relation to this expenditure.

Signature:

Caithéine Connolly

Date:

28/3/2025

Part 4. Details of Expenditure

a.	Expenditure on the provision of technical or specialist advice likely to be required in connection with legislative proposals or potential parliamentary initiatives
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b. Expenditure on research and training

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Payments to a number of Researches on an ongoing and needs basis	12,480.00 14,450.00
TRAINING	360.00
BCT	900.00
TRAINING	304.00
TRAINING	156.58
SOCIAL DOCUMENTARY, RESEARCH	10,000.00
Total	€ 38,650.58

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c.	Expenditure on policy formulation
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d. Expenditure on the provision of consultants' services, including the engagement of public relations consultants

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Auditor	405.90
Total	€ 405.90



e. **Expenditure on polling or public attitude sampling in connection with parliamentary debates or initiatives**

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Total	€

f. Expenditure on entertainment

Details of Expenditure		Amount (€)
Nature of event (e.g. School group refreshments; lunch for OAPs; etc.)	Number attending	
Total		€



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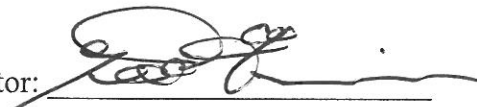
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Signature of Auditor:



Name of Auditor:

GERARD FINNAN

Company Name:

FINNAN OBERON ACCOUNTING

Date:

28/1/2025



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Part 1. Independent member

Name of independent member:

MICHAEL FITZMAURICE.....

Address:

Telephone Numbers:

Email address:

Part 2. Public Auditor

Name of Public Auditor:

David Crean & Co.....

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Roscommon.....

Telephone Number:

T: 090-66-26680.....

Email address:

david@creanaccountants.ie.....



Part 3. Details of Funding Received

1 January to 31 December 2024

Total funding received under the Act:

€36,058.65.....

Amount of funding brought forward from previous period: €44,878.22.....

Expenditure (as detailed in attached schedules):

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|--|------------|
| a) technical or specialist advice | €21,694.00 |
| b) research and training | €10,064.00 |
| c) Policy formulation | €2,040.00 |
| d) provision of consultants' services | €20,375.00 |
| e) polling or public attitude sampling | €10,441.50 |
| f) entertainment | |

Total expenditure

€64,614.50

Balance of funding carried forward:

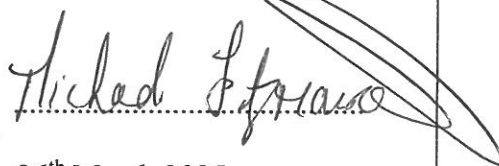
€16,322.37

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I confirm that

- none of the funding was applied in connection with Dáil, Seanad, European, presidential or local election expenses or in connection with referendum expenses.
- No other claims for funding have been submitted in relation to this expenditure.

Signature:



Date:

26th March 2025

Part 4. Details of Expenditure**a. Expenditure on the provision of technical or specialist advice likely to be required in connection with legislative proposals or potential parliamentary initiatives**

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
9/02: Law & Order; Planning.	1,725.00
29/10: Legislative Analysis; Health; Education; Planning Housing; Rural Renewal.	€9,675.00
15/04: Policy Formulation; Policy renewal.	€5,960.00
08/03: Formulation of Strategy; Immigration; Agriculture; Fisheries; Law & Order; Neutrality; Climate issues; Environment;	€2,584.00
28/08: Parliamentary initiatives;	€1,750.00
Total	€21,694.00

b. Expenditure on research and training

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
22/1: Planning.	€360.00
08/05: Topical issues and Media Training.	€2,590.00
09/09: Budget Topics.	€238.00
4/10: Training.	€680.00
20/09: Marketing Research.	€500.00
11/10: Apple Tax issues.	€680.00
07/05- 12/07: Bogs, Rural Renewal, HSE, Disability Services.	€2,040.00
18/10: Land draining.	€680.00
25/10: Land Usage and Change.	€680.00
1/11: Demise of the Suckler Cow.	€1,360.00
3/06 – 31/10 : Housing – Planning.	€256.00
Total	€10,064

c.	Expenditure on policy formulation
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Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Policy Formation Research.	€2,040.00
Total	€2,040.00

d. Expenditure on the provision of consultants' services, including the engagement of public relations consultants

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
06/08:Domain hosting theme update.	€225.00
04/05: Health Service Losses; Vat refunds to Farmers; Climate Change and Livestock; Services lost in Health Service; Lough Funshinagh;	€6,220.00
30/05: Decimation of Rural Towns; Nitrates Directive and its effects. Sewage and Irish Water; Nature Restoration;	€2,150.00
30/06: Nature Restoration law;	€2,350.00
28/08: Primary School Funding; Compliance and Nitrates Directive;	€3,000.00
28/10: Recap on Nitrates Directive;	€1,310.00
28/10 : SIPO; Carbon and Carbon tax; Vat; Rural regs;	€5120.00
Total	€20,375.00

e.	Expenditure on polling or public attitude sampling in connection with parliamentary debates or initiatives
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Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
31/09: Public Engagement and Priority Polling;	€3,259.00
28/06: Community Group engagement – Polling & Analysis;	€6457.50
01/02: Publication of videos;	€75.00
05/03: Publication of videos;	€100.00
02/04: Publication of videos;	€300.00
01/08: Publication of videos;	€50.00
24/10: Publication of videos;	€50.00
30/12: Publication of videos;	€100.00
01/10: Publication of videos;	€50.00
Total	€10,441.50

f. Expenditure on entertainment
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Details of Expenditure		Amount (€)
Nature of event (e.g. School group refreshments; lunch for OAPs; etc.)	Number attending	
N/A		
	Total	€

Part 5.

Auditor's report to the Standards in Public Office Commission

on statement of expenditure of the

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under

The Ministerial and Parliamentary Offices Act 1938

as amended by

The Oireachtas (Ministerial and Parliamentary Offices)(Amendment) Act, 2014

("the Act").

I am reporting, as required by section 10B of the Act, on the statement of expenditure from the allowance for the period 1 January to 31 December 2024 signed by independent member:

[Name of independent member]

MICHAEL FITZMAURICE

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

Proper accounting records have been kept in respect of the said allowance and its disbursement. The statement of expenditure is in agreement with the accounting records.

In my opinion

- the statement of expenditure properly presents the expenditure of the allowance for the period 1 January to 31 December 2024 and the balance not applied at that date.
- the disbursements have been applied to expenses arising out of parliamentary activities as defined in section 10H(1) of the Act.

Signature of Auditor: David Crean

Name of Auditor: DAVID CREAN

Company Name: CREAN & CO ACCOUNTANTS LIMITED

Date: 27/03/2025

**Statement of Expenditure of
"Parliamentary Activities Allowance"
1 January 2024 to 31 December 2024**

Ministerial and Parliamentary Offices Act 1938 as amended by the
Oireachtas (Ministerial and Parliamentary Offices) (Amendment) Act, 2014 (the Act)

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Part 1. Independent member

Name of independent member:

PETER FITZPATRICK

Address:

Telephone Numbers:

Email address:

Part 2. Public Auditor

Name of Public Auditor:

KMR Auditors
Accountants

Address:

CROWE ST
DUNDALK - CO - DUBLIN

Telephone Number:

T. 042 933 6811

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g.walters@kmr.ie

Part 3. Details of Funding Received

Explanatory Notes

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1 January to 31 December 2024

Total funding received under the Act:

36,058-65

Amount of funding brought forward from previous period:

5855-04

Expenditure (as detailed in attached schedules):

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| a) technical or specialist advice | NIL |
| b) research and training | 35,300 - |
| c) policy formulation | 5,600 - |
| d) provision of consultants' services | NIL |
| e) polling or public attitude sampling | NIL |
| f) entertainment | |

Total expenditure

40,900 -

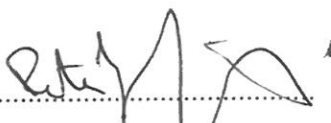
Balance of funding carried forward:

1013-69

I confirm that

- none of the funding was applied in connection with Dáil, Seanad, European, presidential or local election expenses or in connection with referendum expenses.
- No other claims for funding have been submitted in relation to this expenditure.

Signature:



Date:

21-03-2025

Part 4. Details of Expenditure

a. Expenditure on the provision of technical or specialist advice likely to be required in connection with legislative proposals or potential parliamentary initiatives

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Total	€ NIL.

b. Expenditure on research and training	
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99. Research and development	100
100. Training	100

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Donna Farrell	28,000 -
Harte Media	500 -
Darmany Maguire	6800 -
Total	€ 35,300 -

c. Expenditure on policy formulation

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Donna Farrell	5600 —
Total	€ 5600 —

d. Expenditure on the provision of consultants' services, including the engagement of public relations consultants

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Total	€ NIL

e. Expenditure on polling or public attitude sampling in connection with parliamentary debates or initiatives

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Total	€ NIL

f.	Expenditure on entertainment
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Details of Expenditure		Amount (€)
Nature of event (e.g. School group refreshments; lunch for OAPs; etc.)	Number attending	
	Total	€ NIL

Part 5.

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[Name of independent member]

PETER FITZPATRICK


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Signature of Auditor:



Name of Auditor:

KMR ACCOUNTANTS LTD.

Company Name:

GERARD WATTERS

Date:

21/3/2025

KMR Accountants Ltd.
Registered Auditors
Crowe Street
Dundalk, Co Louth.

Explanatory Notes

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Part 1. Independent member

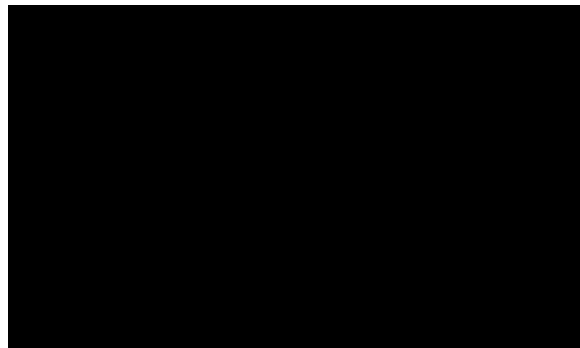
Name of independent member:

Noel Grealish

Address:

Telephone Numbers:

Email address:



Part 2. Public Auditor

Name of Public Auditor:

Patrick Keogh

Address:

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Unit 23B, Liosbaun Business Park
Tuam Road, Galway

Telephone Number:

091 353281

Email address:

pkeogh@keoghpartners.ie

Part 3. Details of Funding Received

1 January to 31 December 2024

Total funding received under the Act: €40,302.85

Amount of funding brought forward from previous period: €102,803.29

Expenditure (as detailed in attached schedules):

- a) technical or specialist advice €246
- b) research and training
- c) policy formulation €14,033.65
- d) provision of consultants' services €24,500
- e) polling or public attitude sampling
- f) entertainment

Total expenditure €38,779.65

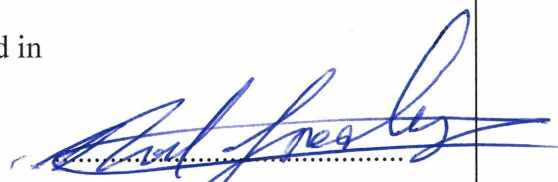
Balance of funding carried forward: €104,326.49

I confirm that

- none of the funding was applied in connection with Dáil, Seanad, European, presidential or local election expenses or in connection with referendum expenses.
- No other claims for funding have been submitted in relation to this expenditure.

Signature:

Date:


31-03-2025

Part 4. Details of Expenditure

a.	Expenditure on the provision of technical or specialist advice likely to be required in connection with legislative proposals or potential parliamentary initiatives
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b. Expenditure on research and training
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Details of Expenditure		Amount (€)
Total		€

c.	Expenditure on policy formulation
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Details of Expenditure		Amount (€)
Policy Formation		14,033.65
Total		€14,033.65

d. Expenditure on the provision of consultants' services, including the engagement of public relations consultants

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Consultancy Services	24,500
Total	€24,500.00

e. Expenditure on polling or public attitude sampling in connection with parliamentary debates or initiatives

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Total	€

f. Expenditure on entertainment
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Details of Expenditure		Amount (€)
Nature of event (e.g. School group refreshments; lunch for OAPs; etc.)	Number attending	
	Total	€

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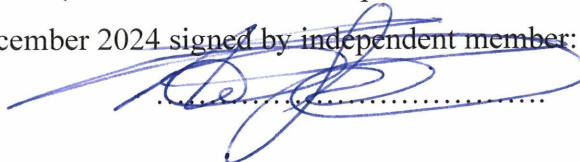
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Signature of Auditor: 
Name of Auditor: PATRICK KEOGH
Company Name: KEOGH PARTNERS
Date: 28/3/2025

**Statement of Expenditure of
"Parliamentary Activities Allowance"
1 January 2024 to 31 December 2024**

Ministerial and Parliamentary Offices Act 1938 as amended by the
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Part 1. Independent member

Name of independent member:

MARIAN HARKIN

Address:

Telephone Numbers:

Email address:

Part 2. Public Auditor

Name of Public Auditor:

PAUL G. HORAN

Address:

GILROY GANNON,
STEPHEN STREET, SUGO

Telephone Number:

Email address:

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info@gilroygannon.com

Explanatory Notes

Statement of Expenditure of "Parliamentary Activities Allowance" 1 January 2024 to 31 December 2024

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Part 3. Details of Funding Received

1 January to 31 December 2024

Total funding received under the Act:

€ 40,302.85

Amount of funding brought forward from previous period:

€ 6,312.96

Expenditure (as detailed in attached schedules):

- a) technical or specialist advice
- b) research and training
- c) policy formulation
- d) provision of consultants' services
- e) polling or public attitude sampling
- f) entertainment

€ 5,000.00
€ 12,420.00
€ 28,980.00

Total expenditure

€ 46,400.00

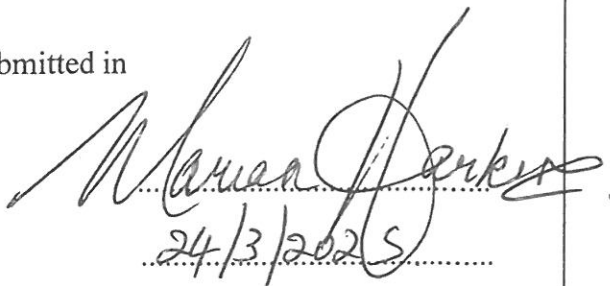
Balance of funding carried forward:

215.81

I confirm that

- none of the funding was applied in connection with Dáil, Seanad, European, presidential or local election expenses or in connection with referendum expenses.
- No other claims for funding have been submitted in relation to this expenditure.

Signature:


24/3/2025

Date:

Part 4. Details of Expenditure

a.	Expenditure on the provision of technical or specialist advice likely to be required in connection with legislative proposals or potential parliamentary initiatives
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Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Research and advice on	
Disability + related	
health matters	€5000. 00
Total	€5,000. 00

b. Expenditure on research and training

[illegible]

c. Expenditure on policy formulation	
1. Policy formulation	100
2. Policy implementation	100
3. Policy evaluation	100
4. Policy monitoring	100
5. Policy adjustment	100
6. Policy communication	100
7. Policy coordination	100
8. Policy integration	100
9. Policy innovation	100
10. Policy reform	100
11. Policy development	100
12. Policy analysis	100
13. Policy research	100
14. Policy consultation	100
15. Policy participation	100
16. Policy implementation	100
17. Policy evaluation	100
18. Policy monitoring	100
19. Policy adjustment	100
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97. Policy research	100
98. Policy consultation	100
99. Policy participation	100
100. Policy implementation	100

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Policy formulation in certain areas relevant to my work including Agriculture + Rural Development, Credit Unions, Social Policy Cancer Strategy (+ other health matters related to my constituency) Balanced Regional Development.	£12,420.00
Total	€12,420.00

d. Expenditure on the provision of consultants' services, including the engagement of public relations consultants

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Drafting & Issuing of Press releases based on my Dail contributions & on relevant constituency matters	€ 28,980.00
Research on Dail debates & on media interviews	
Monitoring of Dail & Committee proceedings where relevant.	
Monitoring of local and social media	
Total	€ 28,980.00

e.	Expenditure on polling or public attitude sampling in connection with parliamentary debates or initiatives
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f. Expenditure on entertainment
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Details of Expenditure		Amount (€)
Nature of event (e.g. School group refreshments; lunch for OAPs; etc.)	Number attending	
	Total	€

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[Name of independent member]

MARIAN HARKIN

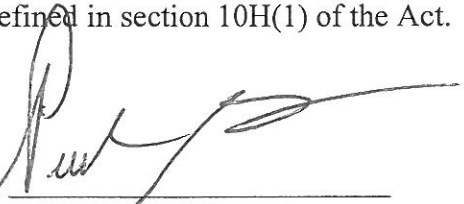
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Signature of Auditor:



Name of Auditor:

PAUL G. HORAN

Company Name:

GILROY GANNON

Date:

25.03.2025

GILROY GANNON
CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS
STEPHEN ST.
SLIGO

Explanatory Notes

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Part 1. Independent member

Name of independent member:

Danny Healy Rae

Address:

Telephone Numbers:

Email address:

Part 2. Public Auditor

Name of Public Auditor:

Joan O Sullivan & Co.

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Chartered Accountants.
12 Denny Street, Tralee.
Co Kerry.

Telephone Number:

066 - 7193794

Email address:

joan@joanosullivan.com

Standards in Public Office Commission
Received

31 MAR 2025

Part 3. Details of Funding Received

1 January to 31 December 2024

Total funding received under the Act: € 40,302.85

Amount of funding brought forward from previous period: €3,349.53

Expenditure (as detailed in attached schedules):

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| a) technical or specialist advice | € 775.00 |
| b) research and training | €27,450.00 |
| c) policy formulation | € 7,727.80 |
| d) provision of consultants' services | € 615.00 |
| e) polling or public attitude sampling | |
| f) entertainment | €1,521.00 |

Total expenditure €38,088.80

Balance of funding carried forward: € 5,563.58

I confirm that

- none of the funding was applied in connection with Dáil, Seanad, European, presidential or local election expenses or in connection with referendum expenses.
- No other claims for funding have been submitted in relation to this expenditure.

Signature:

Danny Healy Rae

Date:

27th March 2025

Part 4. Details of Expenditure

a.	Expenditure on the provision of technical or specialist advice likely to be required in connection with legislative proposals or potential parliamentary initiatives
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Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Video parliament	775
Total	€775

b. Expenditure on research and training	
Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Housing, Rural Housing, Vacant Property Refurbishment Grants, Social & Affordable Housing, Help to buy Schemes, Tenant Purchase Schemes, Residential Tenancies, Planning, Rural Planning, Short Term Letting, Eviction Ban, Self Catering, SEAI Grants, Immigration, Asylum Seekers, Welfare Payments, Medical Cards, Benefit Payments, Respite Centre and Injury Clinic, N22 in Killarney.	€7,800
SUSI Grants, Passports, Childcare Services, Autism, Mental Health, CAMHS, Disabilities, Student Accommodation, Pupil Teacher Ratio, School Extensions, Renting, Hospital Waiting Lists, Cataracts, Shortage of staff in Hospitals, Hospital beds closed, Pay Parity Section 39 Workers, Dental Waiting List, Fair Deal Schemes, Respite, Home Help, Homecare and Nursing Homes, Apprenticeships.	€7,400
Local Improvement Schemes, Forestry, Inshore Fishing, Farming, Nature Restoration/rewetting of lands, Threat to small farms and food security, future of family farms, Farm Payments, ACRES, Planning and Development, Building Regulations, Land Zoning, Electricity Regulation, Tourism, VAT, Broadband, Mortgages and Mortgage Relief, Roads and Bridges Infrastructure, Roads & Sewerage Infrastructure.	€7,300
Driving Tests waiting times, Driving age for Bus Eireann, Shannon LNG, water schemes, work permits, climate action, Leaders Questions, Topical/Priority & Oral Questions, Questions on promised legislation.	€4,950
Total	€27,450

c. Expenditure on policy formulation

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Health Information Bill, Companies Bill, Mental Health Bill, Health Insurance Bill, Criminal Justice Bill, Finance Bill, Road Projects, Budget, CIE pensions, Rates, Deer Culling, Turf cutting, energy crisis control, cost of living issues, Garda Vetting, Residential Land Zoning, Farming & Farm Payments, Nature Restoration/Land Wetting, Immigration, Housing, Planning.	€7,727.80
Total	€7,727.80

d. Expenditure on the provision of consultants' services, including the engagement of public relations consultants

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Joan O Sullivan & Co	€615.00
Total	€615

e. Expenditure on polling or public attitude sampling in connection with parliamentary debates or initiatives

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Total	€

f. Expenditure on entertainment

Details of Expenditure		Amount (€)
Nature of event (e.g. School group refreshments; lunch for OAPs; etc.)	Number attending	
Groups to Dail Eireann.		€1,521
	Total	€1,521

Part 5.

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("the Act").**

I am reporting, as required by section 10B of the Act, on the statement of expenditure from the allowance for the period 1 January to 31 December 2024 signed by independent member:

[Name of independent member]

Daniel Healy-Rae

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

Proper accounting records have been kept in respect of the said allowance and its disbursement. The statement of expenditure is in agreement with the accounting records.

In my opinion

- the statement of expenditure properly presents the expenditure of the allowance for the period 1 January to 31 December 2024 and the balance not applied at that date.
- the disbursements have been applied to expenses arising out of parliamentary activities as defined in section 10H(1) of the Act.

Signature of Auditor: Joan O'Sullivan

Name of Auditor: Joan O Sullivan

Company Name: Joan O Sullivan & Co.

Date: 27th March 2025

Explanatory Notes

Statement of Expenditure of "Parliamentary Activities Allowance" 1 January 2024 to 31 December 2024

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Standards in Public Office Commission:

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Ministerial and Parliamentary Offices Act 1938 as amended by the
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Please complete this form in black pen

Part 1. Independent member

Name of independent member:

Michael Healy Rae

Address:

Telephone Numbers:

Email address:

Part 2. Public Auditor

Name of Public Auditor:

Joan O Sullivan & Co.

Address:

Chartered Accountants.
12 Denny Street, Tralee.
Co Kerry.

Telephone Number:

066 - 7193794

Email address:

joan@joanosullivan.com

Part 3. Details of Funding Received

1 January to 31 December 2024

Total funding received under the Act: € 40,302.85

Amount of funding brought forward from previous period: €6,139.17

Expenditure (as detailed in attached schedules):

- | | |
|--|------------|
| a) technical or specialist advice | € 5,081.13 |
| b) research and training | €19,822.38 |
| c) policy formulation | €17,548.00 |
| d) provision of consultants' services | € 615.00 |
| e) polling or public attitude sampling | |
| f) entertainment | € 595.40 |

Total expenditure € 43,661.51

Balance of funding carried forward: € 2,780.51

I confirm that

- none of the funding was applied in connection with Dáil, Seanad, European, presidential or local election expenses or in connection with referendum expenses.
- No other claims for funding have been submitted in relation to this expenditure.

Signature:

Date:

27th March 2025

Part 4. Details of Expenditure

a.	Expenditure on the provision of technical or specialist advice likely to be required in connection with legislative proposals or potential parliamentary initiatives
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Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Technical Consultancy	€5,081.13
Total	€5,081.13

b. expenditure on research and training	
Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
SUSI Grants, Passports, Childcare Services, Autism, Mental Health, CAMHS, Disabilities, Student Accommodation, Pupil Teacher Ratio, School Extensions, Renting, Hospital Waiting Lists, Cataracts, Shortage of staff in Hospitals, Hospital beds closed, Pay Parity Section 39 Workers, Dental Waiting List, Fair Deal Schemes, Respite, Home Help, Homecare and Nursing Homes, Apprenticeships,	6,130.38
Research and development work done on HSE Cross border scheme new refund amounts verses private hospitals in southern Ireland.	2,530.00
Shannon LNG, water schemes, work permits, climate action, Leaders Questions, Questions on promised legislation.	1,775.00
Local Improvement Schemes, Forestry, Inshore Fishing, Farming, Nature Restoration/rewetting of lands, Threat to small farms and food security, future of family farms, Farm Payments, ACRES, Planning and Development, Building Regulations, Land Zoning, Electricity Regulation, Tourism, VAT, Broadband, Mortgages and Mortgage Relief, Roads and Bridges Infrastructure, Roads & Sewerage Infrastructure.	3,065
Research work done on cross border directive / treatment abroad scheme	1,000
Research work done on 39 th & 40 th amendment of the constitution bill 2023 , fodder crisis and delays in farm payments schemes	1,625
Research and development work done on immigration pact debate.	800
Research and development work done on ophthalmology services in cork / Kerry. HSE Cross border scheme new refund amounts verses private hospitals in southern Ireland.	2,897
Total	€19,822.38

c. Expenditure on policy formulation

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Motion on housing and tax, Genocide in Gaza, Complaints processes in the defence forces, GAS amendment bill.	1232
Court of justice ruling, coroners bill 2024, road traffic bill, tv licence fee, business costs for SME's.	1344
Mental health bill, International Women's Day, pmb on people with disabilities, pmb housing targets microenterprise loan fund.	1456
Climate and nature bill, retirement bill, road safety, star dust tragedy.	1232
Residential institutional bill 2024, pmb on cost of living, pmb migration & asylum pact, research on housing.	1232
Special education, nature restoration law, pmb migration and asylum pact, hospitality & tourism.	1320
Criminal justice Act 2009, Electricity prices and providers, primary school issues, residential tenancies bill.	1260
Housing grants, domestic violence and social media.	1080
Budget 2025, farm payments delays, road projects in Kerry & funding issues.	1080
Budget 2025, mental health bill, funding for roads, criminal justice bill, carers allowance	1200
Budget 2025, housing bill 2024, social welfare bill, vat for hospitality sector, finance bill.	1320
Affordable housing, health service staffing issues, health insurance, finance bill.	1200
Roads and infrastructure Kerry, farming in rural Ireland	1672
Finance bill, abolition of carers allowance, appropriation bill, houses of the Oireachtas commission amendment bill	920
Total	€17,548

d.	Expenditure on the provision of consultants' services, including the engagement of public relations consultants
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Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Joan O Sullivan & Co	€615.00
Total	€615

e.	Expenditure on polling or public attitude sampling in connection with parliamentary debates or initiatives
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Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Total	

f. Expenditure on entertainment
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Details of Expenditure		Amount (€)
Nature of event (e.g. School group refreshments; lunch for OAPs; etc.)	Number attending	
Groups to Dail Eireann.		€595.40
	Total	€595.40

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[*Name of independent member*]

Michael Healy-Rae

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

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In my opinion

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Signature of Auditor: 

Name of Auditor: Joan O Sullivan

Company Name: Joan O Sullivan & Co.

Date: 27th March 2025

**Statement of Expenditure of
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Part 1. Independent member

Name of independent member:

Michael Lowry T.D.

Address:

Telephone Numbers:

Email address:

Part 2. Public Auditor

Name of Public Auditor:

Margaret Ryan & Company

Chartered Accountant &

Registered Auditors

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Part 3. Details of Funding Received

1 January to 31 December 2024

Total funding received under the Act: €40,303

Amount of funding brought forward from previous period: €31,889

Expenditure (as detailed in attached schedules):

- a) technical or specialist advice €0
- b) research and training €0
- c) policy formulation €0
- d) provision of consultants' services €31,772
- e) polling or public attitude sampling €0
- f) entertainment €0

Total expenditure €31,772

Balance of funding carried forward: €40,420

I confirm that

- none of the funding was applied in connection with Dáil, Seanad, European, presidential or local election expenses or in connection with referendum expenses.
- No other claims for funding have been submitted in relation to this expenditure.

Signature:



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Date:

...7 March 2025.....

Part 4. Details of Expenditure

a.	Expenditure on the provision of technical or specialist advice likely to be required in connection with legislative proposals or potential parliamentary initiatives
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Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Total	€0

b. Expenditure on research and training
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Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Total	€0

c. Expenditure on policy formulation

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Total	€0

d.	Expenditure on the provision of consultants' services, including the engagement of public relations consultants
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Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Website	€338
Audit & Accountancy	€492
Political Statements	€13,837
Media liaison and Communications	€17,105
Total	€31,772

e.	Expenditure on polling or public attitude sampling in connection with parliamentary debates or initiatives
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Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Total	€0

f. Expenditure on entertainment
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Details of Expenditure		Amount (€)
Nature of event (e.g. School group refreshments; lunch for OAPs; etc.)	Number attending	
	Total	€0

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Michael Lowry

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In my opinion

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Signature of Auditor: 

Name of Auditor: **Margaret Ryan FCA AITI**

Company Name: **Margaret Ryan & Company**

Date: **7 March 2025**

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Part 1. Independent member

Name of independent member:

.Mattie McGrath TD

Address:

Telephone Numbers:

Email address:

Part 2. Public Auditor

Name of Public Auditor:

MARTIN Mc MURRAY

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STREET
TIPPERARY

Telephone Number:

T. 062 52557

Email address:

Martin@msmurray
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Part 3. Details of Funding Received

1 January to 31 December 2024

Total funding received under the Act:

€40,302.85

Amount of funding brought forward from previous period:

€81,208.82

Expenditure (as detailed in attached schedules):

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|--|-----------|
| a) technical or specialist advice | €2104.80 |
| b) research and training | €9468.08 |
| c) policy formulation | €9,639.52 |
| d) provision of consultants' services | €760.75. |
| e) polling or public attitude sampling | Nil. |
| f) Entertainment | €543.90 |

€22,517.05

Total expenditure

Balance of funding carried forward:

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€98,994.62

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I confirm that

- none of the funding was applied in connection with Dáil, Seanad, European, presidential or local election expenses or in connection with referendum expenses.
- No other claims for funding have been submitted in relation to this expenditure.

Signature:

Date:

Matthew McFirth
28/03/2025.

Part 4. Details of Expenditure

a.	Expenditure on the provision of technical or specialist advice likely to be required in connection with legislative proposals or potential parliamentary initiatives
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Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Technical & Equipment Fees Including ICT, Web Hosting, Payroll System & Software Solutions	€1954.80
Auditor Fees	€150
Total	€2104.80

c. Expenditure on policy formulation

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Policy Formulation & Meetings	
Jan- March	2445.41
April- June	2310.66
July- September	2474.00
October- December	2409.45
Total	€9,639.52

d. Expenditure on the provision of consultants' services, including the engagement of public relations consultants

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
PR Related Fees	760.75
Total	€760.75

e. Expenditure on polling or public attitude sampling in connection with parliamentary debates or initiatives

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
	nil
Total	€Nil

f. Expenditure on entertainment

Details of Expenditure		Amount (€)
Nature of event (e.g. School group refreshments; lunch for OAPs; etc.)	Number attending	
Holy Family Secondary School	30	183.40
Monard School	27	185.50
Aherlow ICA	21	100.00
Spina Bifida Group	15	75.00
	Total	€543.90

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[Name of independent member]

MATTY MC GRATH

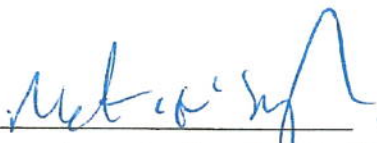
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Signature of Auditor:



Name of Auditor:

MARTIN MCHUGH

Company Name:

MARTIN S MCHUGH ACo

Date:

28/03/2025

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Part 1. Independent member

Name of independent member:

MICHAEL McWILLIAMS

Address:

Telephone Numbers:

Email address:

Part 2. Public Auditor

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Part 3. Details of Funding Received

1 January to 31 December 2024

Total funding received under the Act:

€23,255.09

Amount of funding brought forward from previous period:

€22,728.67

Expenditure (as detailed in attached schedules):

a) technical or specialist advice

€367.00 (auditors fees)

b) research and training

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c) policy formulation

d) provision of consultants' services

€10,650.97 (PA committee)

e) polling or public attitude sampling

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f) entertainment

Total expenditure

€10,822.97

Balance of funding carried forward:

€35,160.59

I confirm that

- none of the funding was applied in connection with Dáil, Seanad, European, presidential or local election expenses or in connection with referendum expenses.
- No other claims for funding have been submitted in relation to this expenditure.

Signature:

Michael O'Leary

Date:

3/4/2025

Part 4. Details of Expenditure

a.	Expenditure on the provision of technical or specialist advice likely to be required in connection with legislative proposals or potential parliamentary initiatives
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Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Auditors Report	€ 369.00
William Halpin & Co.	
Statutory Auditors & Accountants	
Total	€ 369.00

William Halpin & Co.
Statutory Auditors
&
Accountants

b. Expenditure on research and training	
1. Research and development	100
2. Training	100
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4. Training	100
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6. Training	100
7. Research and development	100
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99. Research and development	100
100. Training	100

[illegible]

c.	Expenditure on policy formulation
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[illegible]

d. Expenditure on the provision of consultants' services, including the engagement of public relations consultants

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
MARK DUNOPHY PR SERVICES.	
Invoice No: MMC 000 2141	€1,935.71
Invoice No: MMC 000 2142	€1,543.65
Invoice No: MMC 000 2143	€1,308.41
Invoice No: MMC 000 2144	€2,118.67
Invoice No: MMC 000 2145	€3,233.88
Invoice No: MMC 000 2080	€313.65
Total	€10,453.97

**William Halpin & Co.
Statutory Auditors
&
Accountants**

e.	Expenditure on polling or public attitude sampling in connection with parliamentary debates or initiatives
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f. Expenditure on entertainment
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Details of Expenditure		Amount (€)
Nature of event (e.g. School group refreshments; lunch for OAPs; etc.)	Number attending	
	Total	€

Part 5.

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under**

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as amended by

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("the Act").**

I am reporting, as required by section 10B of the Act, on the statement of expenditure from the allowance for the period 1 January to 31 December 2024 signed by independent member:

[Name of independent member]

Michael Mc Namara

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

Proper accounting records have been kept in respect of the said allowance and its disbursement. The statement of expenditure is in agreement with the accounting records.

In my opinion

- the statement of expenditure properly presents the expenditure of the allowance for the period 1 January to 31 December 2024 and the balance not applied at that date.
- the disbursements have been applied to expenses arising out of parliamentary activities as defined in section 10H(1) of the Act.

Signature of Auditor: William Halpin

Name of Auditor: WILLIAM HALPIN FCA

Company Name: WILLIAM HALPIN & Co

Date: 31/4/2025

**William Halpin & Co.
Statutory Auditors
&
Accountants**

**Statement of Expenditure of
"Parliamentary Activities Allowance"
1 January 2024 to 31 December 2024**

Ministerial and Parliamentary Offices Act 1938 as amended by the
Oireachtas (Ministerial and Parliamentary Offices) (Amendment) Act, 2014 (the Act)

Please complete this form in black pen

Part 1. Independent member

Name of independent member:

Verona Murphy

Address:

Telephone Numbers:

Email address:

Part 2. Public Auditor

Name of Public Auditor:

John O'Sullivan

Address:

9 Ormonde Court
Ormonde Road
Kilkenny

Telephone Number:

056 780 1280

Email address:

info@josaccountants.ie

Standards in Public Office Commission
Received

31 MAR 2025

Part 3. Details of Funding Received

1 January to 31 December 2024

Total funding received under the Act:

38,705.57

Amount of funding brought forward from previous period: 79,716.79

Expenditure (as detailed in attached schedules):

- | | |
|--|-----------|
| a) technical or specialist advice | 58,774.00 |
| b) research and training | 5,716.65 |
| c) policy formulation | 11,131.45 |
| d) provision of consultants' services | 5,730.28 |
| e) polling or public attitude sampling | 10,685.00 |
| f) entertainment | - |

Total expenditure

92,037.38

Balance of funding carried forward:

26,384.98

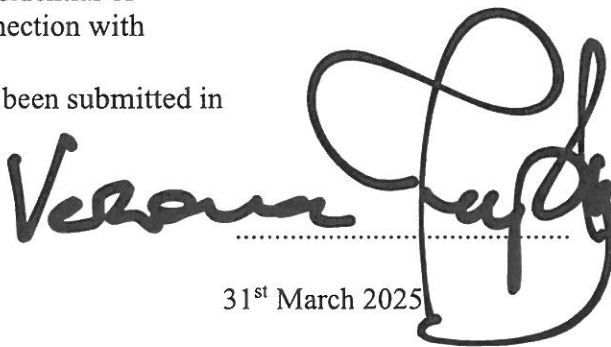
I confirm that

- none of the funding was applied in connection with Dáil, Seanad, European, presidential or local election expenses or in connection with referendum expenses.
- No other claims for funding have been submitted in relation to this expenditure.

Signature:

Date:

31/3/25


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31st March 2025

Part 4. Details of Expenditure

a.	Expenditure on the provision of technical or specialist advice likely to be required in connection with legislative proposals or potential parliamentary initiatives
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Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Specialist advices	58,774.00
Total	€58,774.00

b.	Expenditure on research and training
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Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Research	4,051.84
Conferences/Newspaper subscriptions	1,664.81
Total	€5,716.65

c.	Expenditure on policy formulation
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Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Policy formulation	11,131.45
Total	€11,131.45

d. Expenditure on the provision of consultants' services, including the engagement of public relations consultants

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Accountancy services	393.60
Administration charges	72.00
Social media/PR	4,345.26
Legal services	919.42
Total	€5,730.28

e.	Expenditure on polling or public attitude sampling in connection with parliamentary debates or initiatives
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Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Policy and public attitude sampling	10,685.00
Total	€10,685.00

f. Expenditure on entertainment
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Details of Expenditure		Amount (€)
Nature of event (e.g. School group refreshments; lunch for OAPs; etc.)	Number attending	
N/A		
	Total	€

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I am reporting, as required by section 10B of the Act, on the statement of expenditure from the allowance for the period 1 January to 31 December 2024 signed by independent member:

[Name of independent member]

Verona Murphy

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

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In my opinion

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Signature of Auditor:

Name of Auditor: John O'Sullivan FCA

Company Name: J O'Sullivan & Co

Date:

31 March 2025

J O'Sullivan & Co
Certified Public Accountants
9 Ormonde Court, Ormonde Road,
Kilkenny
Tel: 056 780 1280

Explanatory Notes

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Standards in Public Office Commission:

Contact Details:

Telephone: 01 6395666
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Part 1. Independent member

Name of independent member:

DENIS NAUGHTEN

Address:

Telephone Numbers:

Email address:

Part 2. Public Auditor

Name of Public Auditor:

PATRICK KEOGH

Address:

MAC FEOCHAIDH CONNOR & THE TEO

T/A KEOGH PARTNERS

UN. 123B KOGAN BUS PK

TUAM RD GALWAY

Telephone Number:

T. 091 353 281

Email address:

pkeogh@keoghpartners.ie

Part 3. Details of Funding Received

1 January to 31 December 2024

Total funding received under the Act:

36,058.65

Amount of funding brought forward from previous period:

116,117.09

Expenditure (as detailed in attached schedules):

- a) technical or specialist advice
- b) research and training
- c) policy formulation
- d) provision of consultants' services
- e) polling or public attitude sampling
- f) entertainment

4336.5
57,237.34
19,853.59
1725
6273

Total expenditure

89,425.43

Balance of funding carried forward:

62,750.31

I confirm that

- none of the funding was applied in connection with Dáil, Seanad, European, presidential or local election expenses or in connection with referendum expenses.
- No other claims for funding have been submitted in relation to this expenditure.

Signature:



Date:

21/3/25

Part 4. Details of Expenditure

a.	Expenditure on the provision of technical or specialist advice likely to be required in connection with legislative proposals or potential parliamentary initiatives
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Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
ACCOUNTANCY FEES AND SPECIALIST ADVICE FOR PARLIAMENTARY INITIATIVES	4336.50
Total	€4336.50

b. Expenditure on research and training	
1. Research and development	
2. Training	
3. Other	
4. Total	

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
RESEARCH AND TRAINING	57 237.34
Total	€57,237.34

c.	Expenditure on policy formulation
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Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Policy formulation	19,853.59
Total	€ 19,853.59

d. Expenditure on the provision of consultants' services, including the engagement of public relations consultants

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
CONSULTANCY & PUBLIC RELATIONS	1725
Total	€ 1725

e. Expenditure on polling or public attitude sampling in connection with parliamentary debates or initiatives

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Public Polling	6273
Total	€ 6273

f. Expenditure on entertainment
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Details of Expenditure		Amount (€)
Nature of event (e.g. School group refreshments; lunch for OAPs; etc.)	Number attending	
	Total	€

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I am reporting, as required by section 10B of the Act, on the statement of expenditure from the allowance for the period 1 January to 31 December 2024 signed by independent member:

[Name of independent member]

DEWIS NAUGHTEN

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

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In my opinion

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Signature of Auditor:

Kaddy Keogh

Name of Auditor:

PATRICK KEOGH

Company Name:

KEOGH PARTNERS

Date:

14/4/2025

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Part 1. Independent member

Name of independent member:

CAROL MOLAN

Address:

Telephone Numbers:

Email address:

Part 2. Public Auditor

Name of Public Auditor:

John J. Carroll

Address:

WJCM & Co.

Chartered Accountants
Block 6, Central Business
Park, Tullamore, Co. Offaly

Telephone Number:

T 057 93 51052

Email address:

john@wjcm-accountants.com

Standards in Public Office Commission
Received

24 MAR 2025

Part 3. Details of Funding Received

1 January to 31 December 2024

Total funding received under the Act:

€40,302.85

Amount of funding brought forward from previous period:

None

Expenditure (as detailed in attached schedules):

- a) technical or specialist advice
- ☒ b) research and training €3,630...
- c) policy formulation
- d) provision of consultants' services
- e) polling or public attitude sampling
- ☒ f) entertainment €320.60

Total expenditure

€3,950.60

Balance of funding carried forward:

None

~~N.B.~~ No balance was carried forward -

I confirm that

- none of the funding was applied in connection with Dáil, Seanad, European, presidential or local election expenses or in connection with referendum expenses.
- No other claims for funding have been submitted in relation to this expenditure.

• €36,352.25 Was repaid to Depart. Public Expenditure/Finance by Bank transfer on 18/3/25

Signature:

Carol Nolan

Date:

14/3/25

Part 4. Details of Expenditure

a.	Expenditure on the provision of technical or specialist advice likely to be required in connection with legislative proposals or potential parliamentary initiatives
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Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Total	€

d. Expenditure on the provision of consultants' services, including the engagement of public relations consultants

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Total	€

e. Expenditure on polling or public attitude sampling in connection with parliamentary debates or initiatives

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Total	€

f. Expenditure on entertainment

Details of Expenditure		Amount (€)
Nature of event (e.g. School group refreshments; lunch for OAPs; etc.)	Number attending	
SCHOOL GROUP: KILLINA PRESENTATION SCHOOL (26)	26	€260.00
OAP'S	2	€60.60
	Total	€320.60

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[Name of independent member]

Carol Nolan

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

Proper accounting records have been kept in respect of the said allowance and its disbursement. The statement of expenditure is in agreement with the accounting records.

In my opinion

- the statement of expenditure properly presents the expenditure of the allowance for the period 1 January to 31 December 2024 and the balance not applied at that date.
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Signature of Auditor:

[Signature]

Name of Auditor:

John M. C. Connolly

Company Name:

MCM & Co

Date:

19/3/2025

MCM
MCM ACCOUNTING SERVICES LTD.
Unit 6 & 7 Block b,
Central Business Park
Tullamore, Co Offaly
Phone No: 057 93 51052
Fax No: 057 93 51069

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Part 1. Independent member

Name of independent member:

RICHARD O'DONOGHUE

Address:

Telephone Numbers:

Email address:

Part 2. Public Auditor

Name of Public Auditor:

F.D.C. and Associates Limited

Address:

F.D.C. House
Wellington Road
Cork
T23 WP94

Telephone Number:

T. 021 4509022

Email address:

mallow@fdc.ie

Part 3. Details of Funding Received

1 January to 31 December 2024

Total funding received under the Act: 36,058.25

Amount of funding brought forward from previous period: 9,007.82

Expenditure (as detailed in attached schedules):

- | | |
|--|-----------|
| a) technical or specialist advice | 10,649.18 |
| b) research and training | 33,091.00 |
| c) policy formulation | 0 |
| d) provision of consultants' services | 0 |
| e) polling or public attitude sampling | 0 |
| f) entertainment | 1,325.89 |

Total expenditure €45,066.07

Balance of funding carried forward: 0

I confirm that

- none of the funding was applied in connection with Dáil, Seanad, European, presidential or local election expenses or in connection with referendum expenses.
- No other claims for funding have been submitted in relation to this expenditure.

Signature:



Date:

28th April 2025

Part 4. Details of Expenditure

a.	Expenditure on the provision of technical or specialist advice likely to be required in connection with legislative proposals or potential parliamentary initiatives
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Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Technical or Specialist Advice	4,243.61
Data Technical Support	2,040.57
Specialist advice	3,640
Video Parliament	725
Total	€10,649.18

b. Expenditure on research and training
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Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
	24,000
Marketing Research	
	3,000
Media / Press Research	
Media & Training	4,000
Research Services	2,091
Total	€33,091.00

c.	Expenditure on policy formulation
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Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Total	€

d. Expenditure on the provision of consultants' services, including the engagement of public relations consultants

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Total	€

e. **Expenditure on polling or public attitude sampling in connection with parliamentary debates or initiatives**

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Total	€

f.	Expenditure on entertainment
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Details of Expenditure		Amount (€)
Nature of event (e.g. School group refreshments; lunch for OAPs; etc.)	Number attending	
Tour / refreshments	25	335
Tour / refreshments	20	224
Entertainment / refreshments for 9 group events	20	766.89
	Total	€1,325.89

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I am reporting, as required by section 10B of the Act, on the statement of expenditure from
the allowance for the period 1 January to 31 December 2024 signed by independent member:
[Name of independent member] Richard O'Donoghue

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

Proper accounting records have been kept in respect of the said allowance and its
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In my opinion

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activities as defined in section 10H(1) of the Act.

Signature of Auditor: Paul Hehir
Name of Auditor: PAUL HEHIR
Company Name: FBC and ASSOCIATES LTD
Date: 28/4/25

**Statement of Expenditure of
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1 January 2024 to 31 December 2024**

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Part 1. Independent member

Name of independent member:

THOMAS PRINGLE

Address:

Telephone Numbers:

Email address:

Part 2. Public Auditor

Name of Public Auditor:

Maël O'Donnell

Address:

mael.o'donnell+co. ltd
St. Columba's Terrace
High Road, Letterkenny
Co. Donegal

Telephone Number:

T. 074 9732055

Email address:

Killybegs@maelodonnell.com

Part 3. Details of Funding Received

1 January to 31 December 2024

Total funding received under the Act:

..... 36085.65

Amount of funding brought forward from previous period:

..... 28904.49

Expenditure (as detailed in attached schedules):

- a) technical or specialist advice
- b) research and training
- c) policy formulation
- d) provision of consultants' services
- e) polling or public attitude sampling
- f) entertainment

1257.00

37775.05

23.259.74

Total expenditure

62291.79

Balance of funding carried forward:

..... 2698.35

I confirm that

- none of the funding was applied in connection with Dáil, Seanad, European, presidential or local election expenses or in connection with referendum expenses.
- No other claims for funding have been submitted in relation to this expenditure.

Signature:

T. P. O'Leary

Date:

10/4/2025

Part 4. Details of Expenditure

a.	Expenditure on the provision of technical or specialist advice likely to be required in connection with legislative proposals or potential parliamentary initiatives
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Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
INTERNET AND ACCOUNTANCY SERVICE	1257.00
Total	€ 1257.00

b. Expenditure on research and training	
1. Research and development	100
2. Training	100
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99. Research and development	100
100. Training	100

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
HIRE OF EQUIPMENT	946.45
SUBSCRIPTIONS, MEMBERSHIP, PRINTING AND MATERIALS	36828.60
Total	€ 37,775.05

c. Expenditure on policy formulation

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
RESEARCH, MEETINGS ETC..	23 259.74
Total	€ 23 259.74

d. Expenditure on the provision of consultants' services, including the engagement of public relations consultants

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Total	€

e. Expenditure on polling or public attitude sampling in connection with parliamentary debates or initiatives

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Total	€

f. Expenditure on entertainment

Details of Expenditure		Amount (€)
Nature of event (e.g. School group refreshments; lunch for OAPs; etc.)	Number attending	
	Total	€

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[Name of independent member]

THOMAS PRINGLE

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

Proper accounting records have been kept in respect of the said allowance and its disbursement. The statement of expenditure is in agreement with the accounting records.

In my opinion

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Signature of Auditor: Noel O'Donnell

Name of Auditor: NOEL O'DONNELL

Company Name: NOEL O'DONNELL + CO. LTD

Date: 29/04/2025

Explanatory Notes

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Standards in Public Office Commission:

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"Parliamentary Activities Allowance"
1 January 2024 to 31 December 2024**

Ministerial and Parliamentary Offices Act 1938 as amended by the
Oireachtas (Ministerial and Parliamentary Offices) (Amendment) Act, 2014 (the Act)

Please complete this form in black pen

Part 1. Independent member

Name of independent member:

Mr. Matt Shanahan

Address:

Telephone Numbers:

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Part 2. Public Auditor

Name of Public Auditor:

David Breen F.C.A.

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Part 3. Details of Funding Received

1 January to 31 December 2024

Total funding received under the Act:

€36,058.65

Amount of funding brought forward from previous period: €63,658.22

Expenditure (as detailed in attached schedules):

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| a) technical or specialist advice | €3,836.45 |
| b) research and training | €13,825.00 |
| c) policy formulation | €5,937.95 |
| d) provision of consultants' services | €4,721.45 |
| e) polling or public attitude sampling | €14,917.70 |
| f) entertainment | €0 |

Total expenditure

€43,238.55


Balance of funding carried forward:

€56,478.32

I confirm that

- none of the funding was applied in connection with Dáil, Seanad, European, presidential or local election expenses or in connection with referendum expenses.
- No other claims for funding have been submitted in relation to this expenditure.

Signature:


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21/09/2025
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Date:

Part 4. Details of Expenditure

a.	Expenditure on the provision of technical or specialist advice likely to be required in connection with legislative proposals or potential parliamentary initiatives
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Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
PR Services	€3,836.45
Total	€3,836.45

b. Expenditure on research and training
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Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Training	€13,825.00
Total	€13,825.00

c. Expenditure on policy formulation

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
PR Services	€5,937.95
Total	€5,937.95

d. Expenditure on the provision of consultants' services, including the engagement of public relations consultants

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Social Media Fees	€4,721.45
Total	€4,721.45

e. Expenditure on polling or public attitude sampling in connection with parliamentary debates or initiatives

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Polling & Public Attitude	€14,917.70
Total	€14,917.70

f. Expenditure on entertainment
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Details of Expenditure		Amount (€)
Nature of event	Number attending	
	Total	

Part 5.

**Auditor's report to the Standards in Public Office Commission
on statement of expenditure of the
annual allowance paid to an independent member
under**

The Ministerial and Parliamentary Offices Act 1938

as amended by

**The Oireachtas (Ministerial and Parliamentary Offices) (Amendment) Act, 2014
("the Act").**

I am reporting, as required by section 10B of the Act, on the statement of expenditure from the allowance for the period 1 January to 31 December 2024 signed by independent member: Mr. Matt Shanahan

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

Proper accounting records have been kept in respect of the said allowance and its disbursement. The statement of expenditure is in agreement with the accounting records.

In my opinion

- the statement of expenditure properly presents the expenditure of the allowance for the period 1 January to 31 December 2024 and the balance not applied at that date.
- the disbursements have been applied to expenses arising out of parliamentary activities as defined in section 10H(1) of the Act.

Signature of Auditor: 

Name of Auditor: David Breen F.C.A.

Company Name: DMB Chartered Accountants

Date: 21 / 01 / 2025