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On behalf of the ICTU

Gerry Murphy Statement

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LIST OF AFFILIATED UNIONS

#### **AHCPS**

The Association of Higher Civil and Public Servants. Since 1943 the Association has provided effective negotiation, representation and back-up services to senior civil servants and managers in the commercial and non-commercial State sector in Ireland.

### **Association of Irish Traditional Musicians**

#### **ASTI**

The Association of Secondary Teachers Ireland. The ASTI is a democratic association, organised in branches determined by geographical region.

#### **BATU**

Building and Allied Trades' Union BATU represent a number of trades in Ireland such as Bricklayers, Carpenters, Stonecutters, Tilers, Woodcutting Machinists and Allied Trades in the Building Industry, the Furniture Industry and in the Public Service.

# **BFAWU**

The Bakers Food and Allied Workers Union represents workers in the food sector, from production at factories through to sales at shops.

# **British Actors Equity Association**

Equity represents workers in performance and creative industries. This includes actors, singers, dancers, designers, directors, stage managers, puppeteers, comedians, voice artists, and variety performers.

# **Chartered Society of Physiotherapy**

The Chartered Society of Physiotherapy (CSP) is the professional, educational and trade union body for chartered physiotherapists, physiotherapy, physiotherapy students and support workers.

#### **Communications Workers' Union**

The CWU is Ireland's premier union for postal, logistics, telecoms and call centre workers.

#### CONNECT

The Connect Trade Union is the largest Engineering Union in Ireland and the second largest in manufacturing representing up to 40,000 workers.

# **Energy Services Union (Of Ireland)**

ESU is a trade union representing over 1,300 members in ESB and its subsidiary companies ESU represents Clerical, Administrative, Managerial and Technical staff in ESB and its subsidiary companies.

#### **FBU**

The Fire Brigades Union represents firefighters and other workers within fire and rescue services.

#### **FDA**

The FDA represents professionals and managers in public service.

### **Financial Services Union**

The Financial Services Union represents staff in the financial services sector, including banks, fintech companies, the life assurance sector and specialist support firms.

#### Fórsa

Fórsa is the second largest union on the island of Ireland and by far the largest trade union voice in the Irish civil and public service.

# **GMB**

The GMB is one of the largest unions in the UK, representing over 600,000 members. The GMB represents people in most areas of manufacturing which still remain in Northern Ireland.