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Casework Type: Consent to Regulated Alterations – S.96

### **Consent to Regulated Alterations in Articles**

Dear Raymond,

Thank you for your correspondence of 2 July 2014, seeking written consent from the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland to an amendment to the Confederation of Community Groups' articles of association.

Having examined the revised articles, I am writing to tell you that the Commission consents to the revised articles in accordance with section 96 of the Charities Act (Northern Ireland) 2008 ('the Act').

Section 96(5) of the Act states that where section 26 of the Companies Act 2006 applies to a company which has made a regulated alteration to its articles, a copy of this letter must accompany a copy of the amended articles when sent to the registrar of companies.

A person who is or may be affected by this decision to give consent can ask us to review the decision. If this is the case, a decision review application form should be lodged with the Commission by 9 October 2014. Where possible, we will ask someone who did not make the original decision to review the case.

The affected person also has the right to appeal directly to the Charity Tribunal without asking for a review. Challenging our decision by asking for a review does not affect the right to apply to the Tribunal.

The Tribunal can be contacted at:

**Charity Tribunal**  
**Tribunals Hearing Centre**  
**3rd Floor, Bedford House**  
**16-22 Bedford Street**  
**Belfast**  
**BT2 7FD**  
**Tel: (028) 9072 8732**  
**Email: [tribunalsunit@courtsni.gov.uk](mailto:tribunalsunit@courtsni.gov.uk)**

If an affected person decides to appeal to the Charity Tribunal, an appeal should be lodged at the above address by 9 October 2014. There are time limits for making an appeal. Affected people should contact the Tribunal to ensure that the appeal is made on time.

Guidance on the Commission's decision review process is available on our website.

Should you have further queries, please contact me on:

Tel: (028) 38320 220  
Textphone: **(028) 3834 7639**  
Fax: (028) 3834 5943  
Email: [casework@charitycommissionni.org.uk](mailto:casework@charitycommissionni.org.uk)

Please quote the reference number on this letter in all communications and please advise us if you have any accessibility requirements.

Yours sincerely



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