

Meath Co.

STATEMENT OF ELECTION EXPENSES AT THE LOCAL ELECTIONS
ON 12 SEPTEMBER 2019

IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 13 OF THE

LOCAL ELECTIONS (DISCLOSURE OF DONATIONS AND EXPENDITURE) ACT
1999

STATEMENT BY DESIGNATED PERSON

1. Name of Designated Person

Roderic O’Gorman _____ Political Party _ Green Party / Comhaontas Glas

2. Address

16/17 Suffolk Street, Dublin, D02 AT85

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4. Assignment of spending limit from a candidate to the national agent of a political party
(this part only applies to the national agent of a political party)

Section 12A(1)(a) of the *Local Elections (Disclosure of Donations and Expenditure Act) 1999* provides for the limitation of expenses at local elections.

For a candidate of a political party, section 12A(1)(c)(i) of the *Local Elections (Disclosure of Donations and Expenditure) Act 1999* allows for the national agent of a political party to incur 10% of the amount of the election expenses which that candidate is entitled to incur at that election, or such alternative percentage of the amount as may be agreed in writing between the candidate and national agent of the political party.

(a) Details of candidates’ election expenses assigned to the national agent, where no written agreement was made setting an alternative percentage to the 10% deemed to be automatically assigned to the national agent

Local Electoral Area	Candidate Spending Limit	10% of Limit to be Allocated to National Agent	Number of Candidates	Total €
local electoral area with a population in excess of 35,000	€13,000	€1,300		
local electoral area with a population of between 18,001 and 35,000	€11,500	€1,150		
local electoral area with a population of 18,000 or less	€9,750	€975		
Total				

Details of candidates' names and the local electoral areas in which they were candidates should be retained by the national agent in the event of them being required by the specified local authority.

(b) Details of candidates' election expenses assigned to the national agent, where a written agreement was made setting an alternative percentage to the 10% deemed to be automatically assigned to the national agent

Name of Candidate	Local Authority / Local Electoral Area	Candidate Spending Limit	Amount Assigned to National Agent by Written Agreement €
Total			

Note: Where relevant, a copy of the written agreement made between the national agent and a designated person should be retained by the national agent in the event of it being required by the specified local authority.

6. Details of written agreements made by the national agent of a political party authorising a designated person to incur election expenditure (this part only applies to a designated person of a political party)

Name of National Agent	Amount of election expenditure authorised by agreement in writing by the national agent that may be incurred by the designated person €
Roderic O’Gorman	2300

Note: Where relevant, a copy of the written agreement made between the national agent and a designated person should be retained by the designated person in the event of it being required by the local authority.

7. Expenditure (National Level)

Expenditure Items	Cost €
(a) Advertising (whatever the medium used). Expenses in respect of such advertising include agency fees, design costs and other costs incurred in connection with preparing, producing, distributing or otherwise disseminating such advertising.	
Subtotal Advertising:	

Expenditure Items	Cost €
<p>(b) Publicity. Expenses in respect of that matter include expenses incurred in respect of party political broadcasts, the provision of any services or facilities in connection with press conferences or other dealings with the media, media advice and training and photography.</p>	
<p>Subtotal Publicity:</p>	
<p>(c) Election Posters. Expenses in respect of such material include the costs of the design, production, printing, erection and removal of election posters.</p>	
<p>Subtotal Election Posters:</p>	
<p>(d) Other Election Material. Expenses in respect of such material include the design, production, printing and dissemination of such material (other than posters), including canvas cards, election leaflets, election manifestos, newsletters and other promotional election material.</p>	
<p>Subtotal Other Election Material:</p>	

Expenditure Items	Cost €
<p>(e) Office and Stationery. Expenses in respect of those matters include costs incurred in the rental or use of an office premises or meeting rooms for election purposes (other than for the purposes of annual or other party conferences) and the costs of heating, electricity, insurance, purchase or rental of office equipment, telephones, stationery and postage.</p>	
<p>Subtotal Office and Stationery:</p>	
<p>(f) Transport and Travel. Expenses in respect of those matters include expenses incurred on transport and travel (by any means), petrol and diesel, rental or use of campaign vehicles, rental or use of vehicles for transport of voters on polling day, accommodation costs, taxi and hackney services and courier services.</p>	
<p>Subtotal Transport and Travel:</p>	
<p>(g) Market Research. Expenses in respect of that matter include expenses incurred in the taking of an opinion poll or other similar survey relating to an election within the period of 60 days before polling day at the election by or on behalf of a political party or a candidate at the election.</p>	
<p>Subtotal Market Research:</p>	

Subtotal Advertising:			0
Expenditure Items	Local Authority and Local Electoral Area	Candidate Name	Cost €
(b) Publicity. Expenses in respect of that matter include expenses incurred in respect of party political broadcasts, the provision of any services or facilities in connection with press conferences or other dealings with the media, media advice and training and photography.			
n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Subtotal Publicity:			0
(c) Election Posters. Expenses in respect of such material include the costs of the design, production, printing, erection and removal of election posters.			
n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Subtotal Election Posters:			0

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n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Subtotal Other Election Material:			0
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n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Subtotal Office and Stationery:			0

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n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Subtotal Transport and Travel:			0
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n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Subtotal Market Research:			0

Expenditure Items	Local Authority and Local Electoral Area	Candidate Name	Cost €
(h) Campaign Workers. Expenses in respect of that matter include payments to campaign workers, insurance and other costs.			
n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Subtotal Campaign Workers:			0
TOTAL ELECTION EXPENSES INCURRED:			0

9. Statutory Declaration

THE FOLLOWING STATUTORY DECLARATION MUST BE MADE BY THE DESIGNATED PERSON.

I Roderic O’Gorman do solemnly and sincerely declare that the above statement is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, correct in every material respect and that I took all reasonable action in order to be satisfied as to its accuracy. I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true and by virtue of the Statutory Declarations Act 1938.

Signed  [designated person]


Declared before me TOM KIVLEHAN [*name in capitals*] a [peace commissioner] by

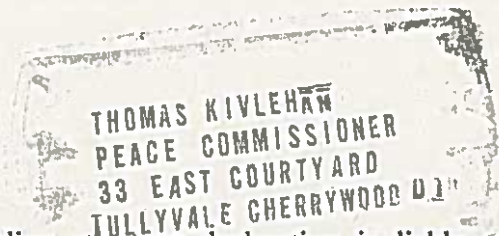
Roderic O’Gorman [designated person]

who is personally known to me,

at Green Party / Comhaontas Glas, 16/17 Suffolk Street, Dublin, D02 AT85

this 12th day of Sept 2019...[date]


[signature of witness]



PENALTIES

A person who knowingly makes a false or misleading statutory declaration is liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding €3,000 or imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months or both.