#### 2009 No. 174

#### GOVERNMENT RESOURCES AND ACCOUNTS

# The Whole of Government Accounts (Designation of Bodies) Order (Northern Ireland) 2009

Made - - - - 24th April 2009

Coming into operation - 18th May 2009

The Department of Finance and Personnel (a), in exercise of the powers conferred by section 15(1) of the Government Resources and Accounts Act (Northern Ireland) 2001(b), makes the following Order.

The bodies listed in the Schedule to this Order appear to the Department of Finance and Personnel ("the Department")—

- (a) to exercise functions of a public nature; or
- (b) to be entirely or substantially funded from public money.

The Department intends the accounts under section 14 of the Government Resources and Accounts Act (Northern Ireland) 2001 ("the Act") for the financial year ending with 31st March 2009 to relate in part to those bodies:

#### Title and commencement

**1.** This Order may be cited as the Whole of Government Accounts (Designation of Bodies) Order (Northern Ireland) 2009 and shall come into operation on 18th May 2009.

#### **Designation of Bodies**

**2.** For the purposes of section 15 of the Act, the Department designates the bodies listed in the Schedule in respect of the financial year ending with 31st March 2009.

<sup>(</sup>a) See section 26(2) of the Government Resources and Accounts Act (Northern Ireland) 2001 (c.6) for the definition of "Department"

**<sup>(</sup>b)** 2001 (c.6)

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Finance and Personnel on 24th April 2009



David Thomson

A senior officer of the Department of Finance and Personnel

#### SCHEDULE 1

Article 2

#### DESIGNATED BODIES FOR 2008/2009

Agri-Food and Biosciences Institute

Air Route Development (Northern Ireland) Limited

Antrim Borough Council

Arc21 Joint Committee

Ards Borough Council

Armagh City and District Council

Arts Council of Northern Ireland

Ballymena Borough Council

Ballymoney Borough Council

Banbridge District Council

Belfast City Council

Belfast Health and Social Care Trust

Belfast Education and Library Board

Carrickfergus Borough Council

Castlereagh Borough Council

Coleraine Borough Council

Commission for Victims and Survivors for Northern Ireland

Commissioner for Children and Young People for Northern Ireland

Community Relations Council for Northern Ireland

Construction Industry Training Board

Cookstown District Council

Council for Catholic Maintained Schools

Craigavon Borough Council

Department for Employment and Learning

Department for Regional Development

Department for Social Development

Department of Agriculture and Rural Development

Department of Culture, Arts and Leisure

Department of Education

Department of Enterprise, Trade and Investment

Department of Finance and Personnel

Department of Health, Social Services and Public Safety

Department of the Environment

Derry City Council

Down District Council

Driver and Vehicle Agency (Trading Fund Element only)

Dungannon and South Tyrone Borough Council

Economic Research Institute of Northern Ireland

**Equality Commission for Northern Ireland** 

Fermanagh District Council

Fisheries Conservancy Board

General Consumer Council for Northern Ireland

Governors of the Armagh Observatory and Planetarium

Health and Safety Executive for Northern Ireland

Health Promotion Agency for Northern Ireland

Ilex Urban Regeneration Company Limited

Invest Northern Ireland

Labour Relations Agency

Larne Borough Council

Limavady Borough Council

Lisburn City Council

Livestock and Meat Commission

Local Government Staff Commission for Northern Ireland

Magherafelt District Council

Mental Health Commission for Northern Ireland

Moyle District Council

National Museums and Galleries of Northern Ireland

Newry and Mourne District Council

Newtownabbey Borough Council

North Down Borough Council

North Eastern Education and Library Board

Northern Health and Social Services Trust

Northern Ireland Ambulance Service Health and Social Services Trust

Northern Ireland Authority for Energy Regulation

Northern Ireland Blood Transfusion Service (Special Agency)

Northern Ireland Central Services Agency for the Health and Social Services

Northern Ireland Council for the Curriculum, Examinations and Assessment

Northern Ireland Events Company Limited

Northern Ireland Fire and Rescue Service

Northern Ireland Fishery Harbour Authority

Northern Ireland Guardian ad Litem Agency

Northern Ireland Health and Personal Social Services Regulation and Improvement Authority

Northern Ireland Housing Executive

Northern Ireland Local Government Officers' Superannuation Committee

Northern Ireland Medical and Dental Training Agency

Northern Ireland Museums Council

Northern Ireland Practice and Education Council for Nursing and Midwifery

Northern Ireland Regional Medical Physics Agency

Northern Ireland Screen Commission Limited

Northern Ireland Social Care Council

Northern Ireland Tourist Board

Northern Ireland Transport Holding Company

Northern Ireland Water Limited

Office of the First Minister and Deputy First Minister

Omagh District Council

South Eastern Health and Social Care Trust

South Eastern Education and Library Board

Southern Education and Library Board

Southern Health and Social Care Trust

Sports Council for Northern Ireland

Staff Commission for Education and Library Boards

Strabane District Council

Strategic Investment Board Limited

Ulster Supported Employment Limited

Western Education and Library Board

Western Health and Social Care Trust

Youth Council for Northern Ireland

#### **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order designates bodies, for the financial year ending with 31st March 2009, for the purposes of section 15 of the Government Resources and Accounts Act (Northern Ireland) 2001. The Department of Finance and Personnel ("the Department") intends to pass the information provided by bodies designated in the Schedule to this Order to HM Treasury for use in the preparation of the Whole of Government Accounts (WGA). The designation enables the Department to require those bodies to provide financial information in relation to that year.

WGA are financial statements prepared on the basis of Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (GAAP) which will cover the whole of the public sector as far as practically possible.

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