

**Housing for All Public Service Delivery Working Group**

**Note of Key Updates/Actions**

**21<sup>st</sup> June 2023**

	<b>Item</b>	<b>Action</b>	<b>Owner</b>
1	<p>a. Presentation by ESB on connection times</p> <p>b. Update on the Planning &amp; Development Bill</p> <p>c. Update on Priority Action 9.3 – Establish a new Division of the High Court</p>	<p>Presentation by Nicholas Tarrant &amp; Alan Rossiter ESB Networks on connections times. Supply chain and recruitment plans discussed. ESB welcomed future engagement with the WG.</p> <p>DHLGH will bring the Bill to Government in September and publish thereafter. Communications surrounding publication to ensure stakeholders and public are aware of transitional process, timeline of implementation and overall objective were discussed.</p> <p>Advised Practice Direction 119 which contains a radical overhaul of the procedures to be applied in the renamed “Commercial Planning and Environmental List” was signed on 29<sup>th</sup> March and came into effect on 17 April 2023. Intention for additional High Court Judge to be assigned to the renamed “Planning and Environmental Court” when appointed.</p>	<p>ESB</p> <p>DHLGH</p> <p>DoJ</p>
2	<p>a. Update on Social Housing Delivery (DHLGH)</p> <p>b. Next steps on Social Housing Case Study Recommendations (DHLGH)</p> <p>c. Update on Affordable Housing Delivery (DHLGH)</p>	<p>DHLGH to provide social housing delivery numbers. Agreed to bring DCC into PSD Group.</p> <p>Discussion on recommendations for the 4 stage approval process. Agreed WG to be updated quarterly.</p> <p>Update on affordable housing. First Homes is proceeding well, event for the 1<sup>st</sup> annual report expected shortly. Focus of future meetings will be on LA delivery.</p>	<p>DHLGH</p>

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	d. Update on Priority Action 4.2 – DHLGH Land Strategy for LAs and AHBs to 2030 (DHLGH)	Update on Land Acquisitions Fund which was announced September 2022. First call in May 2023 was successful. AHB delivery to be a focus of future WG.	
3.	Update on State Lands & Property Sub-Group	Memo for Government is to be submitted to Government in the coming weeks.	DoT
4.	AOB	<p>Update on the Sustainable Consultation Paper. Submissions have been received. Expect to circulate shortly for a 4-week consultation process with the circular expected to be issued in September (in line with section 28).</p> <p>PSD Work programme for the 2<sup>nd</sup> half of the year to be discussed at next meeting.</p> <p>Next Meeting: Wednesday 19 July 2023, 2:30pm</p>	HfA Public Service Delivery Group

## **Attendance**

### **In Room 308:**

1. SG David Moloney (Chair), DPENDPDR
2. SG Ken Spratt, DTransport
3. A/Sec John Shaw, DOT
4. A/Sec Feargal O'Coighligh, DHLGH
5. A/Sec Caroline Timmons, DHLGH
6. A/Sec Paul Hogan, DHLGH
7. A/Sec Aine Stapleton, DHLGH
8. A/Sec Eoin Dorgan, DPENDPDR
9. Jenny Connors, DPENDPDR
10. Niamh Duff, DPENDPDR
11. Orlagh Lavelle, DPENDPDR
12. Brendan White, DHLGH
13. David Kelly, DHLGH
14. Mary Jones, DHLGH
15. Claragh Mulhern, DHLGH
16. Karen Kenny, DHLGH
17. Martin Colreavy, DHLGH
18. Conor Cleary, DJustice
19. Eamonn Waters, DJustice
20. Eileen Hearne, DOT
21. Michelle McKiernan, DOT

### **Presenters**

1. Nicholas Tarrant, ESB Networks.
2. Alan Rossiter, ESB Networks

### **By VC:**

Joe Gallagher, DECC  
Laura Behan, DHLGH  
Natasha Cray, DHLGH  
Brian Murray, DHLGH  
Patrick Malone, DOT  
Marie Clarke, DOT  
Emily Hyland, DOT

### **Apologies**

SG Graham Doyle, DHLGH  
SG O. McPhillips, DJustice

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