

Department of Social Protection

All-Island Brexit
Stakeholder
Engagement Event



Chartered Accountants House
47-49 Pearse Street, Dublin 2

Thursday, 16th February 2017
13:00 to 17:30



An Roinn Coimirce Sóisialaí
Department of Social Protection

Introduction

BREXIT - implications for pensions, social welfare rights and social insurance

Agenda

13:00 - 14.15 **Registration and luncheon**

14.15 – 14.20 **Welcome and Introductions**

Ms Simonetta Ryan, Assistant Secretary-General,
Department of Social Protection

14.20 - 14.35 **Opening Address**

Mr Leo Varadkar T.D., Minister for Social Protection

14.35 - 14.50 **Brexit: impacts in the area of social protection and an overview of the afternoon**

Ms Niamh O'Donoghue, Secretary-General, Department of
Social Protection

14.50- 16.00 **Workshop 1: Pensions**

Workshop 2: Social Insurance and social welfare rights/entitlements

Sample Questions that could be used to steer the discussions:

- Has Brexit affected you to date? If so, how ?
- What, if any, are your particular concerns with regard to Brexit ? What feedback have you received from your members ?
- Where do you see the priority issues from your perspective / sector ?
- Are there actions that you are taking or plan to take in the coming weeks, months and years to prepare for the impact of Brexit?
- What do you think are the most appropriate responses to the anticipated effects of Brexit from the perspectives of both government [central and local] and social partners?

- 16.00 - 16.30** **Tea/Coffee and networking opportunity**
- 16.30 - 17.15** **Feedback from breakout discussions to plenary and Q&A**
- 17.15 - 17.30** **Closing remarks and reflections on the discussions**

Mr Leo Varadkar, TD, Minister for Social Protection

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Venue

Chartered Accountants House is located at 47-49 Pearse Street, Dublin

2. <http://www.charteredaccountantshouse.ie/en/About-Venue/Dublin/>



Public Transportation

DART AND RAIL

Both the Dart and mainline train provide an excellent service from many parts of Dublin. Pearse St DART and rail station is directly across the street, while Connolly, Tara St and Grand Canal are all a short walk away. An option may be to park at one of the suburban DART/rail stations and, in most cases, parking is available at the various stations along the route.

Arriving at Pearse St Station you will exit onto Westland Row, turn right and at the junction of Westland Row and Pearse St and you will see the glass façade of Chartered Accountants House to your right on the opposite side of the street.

INTERCITY TRAINS

One of the capital's two mainline stations is located at Connolly Station for rail services to Belfast, Rosslare/Wexford and Sligo. Connolly station also serves DART and suburban train services to Howth and Ballbriggan in the north and Bray and Arklow in the south. Direct LUAS and bus services link Connolly with Dublin's other mainline station, Heuston. Website: www.irishrail.ie

LUAS

The nearest Luas stop is at Connolly Station, this is now the terminus for Luas Red Line services. Luas is also operating a new service directly to Spencer Dock which will leave you just a short walk across the new Samuel Beckett pedestrian bridge to Chartered Accountants House.

Website: www.dart.ie | www.luas.ie

DUBLIN BUS

Dublin Bus offers a high frequency services from all over Dublin to within a 10 minute walk of the Chartered Accountants House. Routes 1, 2, 3, all operate to Pearse Street while a range of buses including the 4, 10, 11, 46A, 145 operate to College Green/Trinity College area - a 10 minute walk to Chartered Accountants House.

Website: www.dublinbus.ie

Driving/Parking

There is NO PARKING available at Chartered Accountants House however there are a number of public car parks in the city centre area all within a 10-15 minute walk.

South City Centre:

FLEET STREET CAR PARK, TEMPLE BAR

Address: Fleet St, Dublin 2

Open: Monday to Sunday: 24 hours a day

Driving Directions: Travel over O'Connell bridge and continue up D'Olier St and on to College Street. Keep following the road around as if you were completing a circle. Take the first left off Westmoreland Street onto Fleet Street and the car park on the left hand side of the street.

Tel: (01) 671 4201 | Website: <http://www.parkrite.ie>

Special Rate: €2.50 per Hour (please remember to get your ticket stamped at CAI Reception)

€10.00 per Day/€5.00 Evening Rate*

(*6:00pm - 12:00am Midnight)

GRAND CANAL SQUARE CAR PARK

Address: Misery Hill, Grand Canal Square, Dublin 2

Open: Monday to Sunday: 7:00am - 12:00am Midnight

Driving Directions: This car park is beside the new Docklands Theatre. Driving from O'Connell Street, turn left onto Eden Quay, then take a right across Talbot Memorial Bridge. Move into the left lane and take left turn down City Quay. Then take a right onto Lime Street and a left on to Hanover Street. This will bring you onto Cardiff Lane which is to the back of Grand Canal Theatre. Take a left, then a right onto Misery Hill to access Grand Canal Square's public car park.

Tel: (01) 611 1976 | Website: <http://www.q-park.ie>

CITY QUAY CAR PARK

Address: City Quay, Dublin 2

Open: Monday to Friday: 7:00am - 8:00pm

Driving Directions: This car park is located on City Quay directly across from the Custom House. Driving from O'Connell Street, turn left onto Eden Quay, then take a right across Talbot Memorial Bridge. Move into the left lane and take left turn down City Quay. Driving from Fairview and onto Amiens St, passing Connolly Station on the left, continue over Butt Bridge veering left onto City Quay. The carpark is on the right.

Tel:(01) 542 5600 | Website: <http://www.parkrite.ie/>

North City Centre:

CONNOLLY STATION CAR PARK

Address: Off Commons St, Dublin 1

Open: Monday to Saturday: 7:00am - 10:20pm

Sunday: 8:30am - 9:30pm

Driving Directions: Travel down Custom House Quay following the River Liffey past Busaras [Central Bus Station]; Jurys Inn Custom House is located on your left hand side, turn left immediately at the hotel at the traffic lights on to Commons St continue as far as the junction with Mayor St, continue past Sheriff St junction on the right and the car park is straight ahead of you at a sharp left turn.

Website: www.irishrail.ie

NATIONAL COLLEGE OF IRELAND (NCI) CAR PARK

Address: National College of Ireland, Mayor Street, IFSC, Dublin 1

Open: Monday to Sunday: 7:00am - 11:00pm

Driving Directions: Travel down Custom House Quay following the River Liffey past Busaras, Jurys Inn Custom House is located on your left hand side, turn left immediately at the hotel at the traffic lights on to Commons St, passing Jurys Carpark on your left. At the traffic lights turn left onto Mayor St, continuing down Mayor St., turn right onto Alderman Way. The NCI car park is on your righthand side.

Tel: 1850 221 721

Website: <http://www.ncirl.ie>

JURYS INN, CUSTOM HOUSE - IFSC CAR PARK

Address: Commons St, IFSC, Dublin 1

Open: Monday to Friday: 6:30am - 10:00pm

Saturday: 8:00am - 10:00pm

Sunday: 10:00am - 10:00pm

Driving Directions: Travel down Custom House Quay following the River Liffey past Busaras, Jurys Inn Custom House is located on your left hand side, turn left immediately at the hotel at the traffic lights on to Commons St, the entrance to the carpark is before the junction on your left.

Tel: (01) 855 4789

Website: <http://www.jurysinns.com>

Special Rate: €2.00 per Hour please remember to get your ticket stamped at CAI Reception)

€10.00 per Day/€3.50 Evening Rate*

(*5:00pm - Closing)