

**Statement of Expenditure of Exchequer funding under
the Electoral Act 1997
1 January 2013 - 31 December 2013**

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Part 1. Political Party

Political Party: **Fianna Fáil**

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Part 4. Details of Funding Received

Total exchequer funding received under the Act for the period 1 January 2013 to 31 December 2013:	1,167,856
Amount of funding brought forward from 2012:	234,724
Overall total funding available for spending in 2013:	1,402,580
Total expenditure, if any, of funding in 2013:	849,263
Balance of funding carried forward to 2014:	553,317
Was any of the funding applied in connection with Dáil, Seanad, European, presidential or local election expenses or in connection with referendum expenses?	No
Was the funding applied to some or all of the purposes referred to in section 18(1) of the Act?	Yes

12. Auditor's Report

**AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE STANDARDS IN PUBLIC OFFICE
COMMISSION ON STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURE OF MONIES
RECEIVED BY A POLITICAL PARTY FROM THE CENTRAL FUND
UNDER SECTION 17 OF THE ELECTORAL ACT 1997, AS
AMENDED**

I am reporting, as required by section 20(2) of the Electoral Act 1997, on the Statement for 2013 prepared by the Appropriate Officer of Fianna Fáil pursuant to subsection 20(1) of the Act.

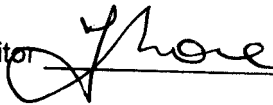
I have obtained all the information and explanations I considered necessary for the purposes of my audit.

Proper accounting records have been kept by Fianna Fáil in respect of the monies received under section 17 and their disbursement. The Statement, which is in the form directed by the Standards Commission, is in agreement with the accounting records.

In my opinion -

- the Statement properly presents the payments made in the year ended 31 December 2013 and the balance of monies not applied at that date
- payments made out of the monies received under section 17 have been applied in accordance with section 18(1) of the Act.

Signature of Auditor



Date:

20/3/2014

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Part 1. Political Party

Political Party:

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Part 4. Details of Funding Received

Total exchequer funding received under the Act for the period 1 January 2013 to 31 December 2013:

€2,281,055

Amount of funding brought forward from 2012:

€1,640,576

Overall total funding available for spending in 2013:

€3,921,631

Total expenditure, if any, of funding in 2013:

€2,778,318

Balance of funding carried forward to 2014:

€1,143,313

Was any of the funding applied in connection with Dáil, Seanad, European, presidential or local election expenses or in connection with referendum expenses?

NO

Was the funding applied to some or all of the purposes referred to in section 18(1) of the Act?

YES

Part 5. Funds applied to General Administration of the Party

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Audit fees	14,761
Bank interest and charges	3,216
Computer supplies	56,070
Professional and Consultancy Fees	153,874
Couriers, taxis, fasttrack	1,432
Purchase of Fixed Assets	63,974
Donations	8,558
Legal fees	11,749
Light and heat	4,626
Motor expenses	2,005
Newspapers, magazines, flowers	1,260
Stationery	1,920
Print office	109,480
Rent Rates and Insurance	52,562
Repairs, cleaning and security	21,869
Salaries and benefits	517,507
Staff recruitment	12,230
Telephone	22,740
Travel and subsistence	7,831
Website and Social Media	57,510
Constituency Activities including Office Cost, Printing & Media Cost	201,811
Total	€1,326,985

Part 8. Funds applied to Co-ordination of the Activities of the Branches & Members of the Party

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Computer supplies	37,380
Couriers, taxis, fasttrack	955
Legal fees	7,833
Light and heat	3,084
Motor expenses	1,337
Newspapers, magazines, flowers	840
Stationery	1,280
Print office	72,987
Rent Rates and Insurance	35,042
Repairs, cleaning and security	14,579
Salaries and benefits	266,529
Staff recruitment	8,153
Telephone	15,160
Travel and subsistence	5,221
Total	€470,380

Part 9. Funds applied to the Promotion of Participation by Women in Political Activity*

*Funding applied under this heading may already be included in any or all of headings 5 - 8 above. Whether or not this is the case, the amount and details of such funding should be shown separately under this heading.

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Meeting costs	24,291
Total	€24,291

Part 10. Funds applied to the Promotion of Participation by Young People in Political Activity*

*Funding applied under this heading may already be included in any or all of headings 5 - 8 above. Whether or not this is the case, the amount and details of such funding should be shown separately under this heading.

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Salaries	35,423
Events	17,370
Printing and Publications	15,851
Travel	5,844
Membership fees	960
Miscellaneous Expenses	1,647
Total	€77,095

11. Signature

Signature of Appropriate Officer:



Date:



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AMENDED**

I am reporting, as required by section 20(2) of the Electoral Act 1997, on the Statement for 2013 prepared by the Appropriate Officer of [*name of political party*]FINE GAEL.... pursuant to subsection 20(1) of the Act.

I have obtained all the information and explanations I considered necessary for the purposes of my audit.

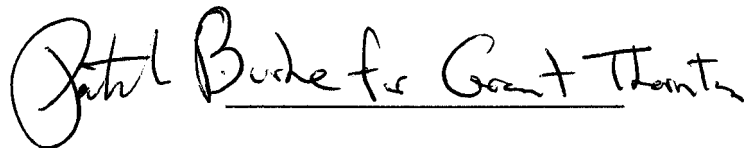
Proper accounting records have been kept by [*name of political party*]FINE GAEL..... in respect of the monies received under section 17 and their disbursement. The Statement, which is in the form directed by the Standards Commission, is in agreement with the accounting records.

In my opinion -

* the Statement properly presents the payments made in the year ended 31 December 2013 and the balance of monies not applied at that date

* payments made out of the monies received under section 17 have been applied in accordance with section 18(1) of the Act.

Signature of Auditor



Date:

31 March 2014

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Part 1. Political Party

Political Party:

The LABOUR PARTY

Part 2. Appropriate Officer

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Part 4. Details of Funding Received

Total exchequer funding received under the Act for the period 1 January 2013 to 31 December 2013:

1,287,267

Amount of funding brought forward from 2012:

1,285,643

Overall total funding available for spending in 2013:

2,572,910

Total expenditure, if any, of funding in 2013:

1,194,187

Balance of funding carried forward to 2014:

1,378,723

Was any of the funding applied in connection with Dáil, Seanad, European, presidential or local election expenses or in connection with referendum expenses?

No

Was the funding applied to some or all of the purposes referred to in section 18(1) of the Act?

YES

Part 5. Funds applied to General Administration of the Party

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Salaries and Pensions	562,483
Meetings	49,809
Stationary and Postage	21,255
Bank interest and charges	192
Consultancy	27,870
Training	28,558
Equipment leasing and Insurance	12,748
Light and HEAT	4,419
Rent and Rates	39,473
Professional Fees	14,280
Publications	53,087
Head office maintenance	14,067
Telephone	13,117
Constituency Development	37,186
RESEARCH	54,120
Miscellaneous	9,501
Total	€ 942,165 ✓

Part 6. Funds applied to Research, Education & Training

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
	NIL
Total	€ NIL —

Part 7. Funds applied to Policy Formulation

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
NATIONAL Conferences	140,514
Total	€ 140,514

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Part 8. Funds applied to Co-ordination of the Activities of the Branches & Members of the Party

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Salaries and Pensions	10,700
Employers PRSI	455
Total	€ 11,155

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I am reporting, as required by section 20(2) of the Electoral Act 1997, on the Statement for 2013 prepared by the Appropriate Officer of [name of political party]
The Labour Party.....pursuant to subsection 20(1) of the Act.

I have obtained all the information and explanations I considered necessary for the purposes of my audit.

Proper accounting records have been kept by [name of political party]
The Labour Party.....in respect of the monies received under section 17 and their disbursement. The Statement, which is in the form directed by the Standards Commission, is in agreement with the accounting records.

In my opinion -

- the Statement properly presents the payments made in the year ended 31 December 2013 and the balance of monies not applied at that date
- payments made out of the monies received under section 17 have been applied in accordance with section 18(1) of the Act.

Signature of Auditor O'Connell & Associates

Date: 26 March 2014

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31 MAR 2014

Explanatory Notes

**Statement of Expenditure
of Exchequer funding under the
Electoral Act 1997 as amended (the Act)**

The Appropriate Officer should

- refer to the Guidelines published by the Standards in Public Office Commission (the Standards Commission) in March 2009;
- request any advice on completion of the form from the Standards Commission - see telephone numbers at the end of the page.

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The Appropriate Officer should also note the following

- **specific** details must be given, under the individual headings, of the actual matters to which the funding was applied;
- funds applied to the Promotion of Participation by Women in Political Activity and funds applied to the Promotion of Participation by Young People in Political Activity must be shown under separate headings - Parts 9 and 10 of the form;
- the completed Statement of Expenditure must be accompanied by a report by a Public Auditor as set out at Part 12 of the form;
- section 19(4) of the Act provides that no further payment under the legislation will be made after 30 April in any year to a qualified political party which has not furnished a Statement of Expenditure and accompanying Public Auditor's report and a Donation Statement and Statutory Declaration to the Standards Commission.

The completed Statement of Expenditure and the Public Auditor's report, should reach the Secretary, Standards in Public Office Commission, 18 Lr. Leeson Street, Dublin 2, not later than 31 March 2014.

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Part 1. Political Party

Political Party:

Sinn Féin

Part 2. Appropriate Officer

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Part 4. Details of Funding Received

Total exchequer funding received under the Act for the period 1 January 2013 to 31 December 2013:

719,919

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Amount of funding brought forward from 2012:

14,791

✓

Overall total funding available for spending in 2013:

734,710

✓

Total expenditure, if any, of funding in 2013:

542,026

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Balance of funding carried forward to 2014:

192,684

✓

Was any of the funding applied in connection with Dáil, Seanad, European, presidential or local election expenses or in connection with referendum expenses?

No

Was the funding applied to some or all of the purposes referred to in section 18(1) of the Act?

yes

Part 5. Funds applied to General Administration of the Party

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
Wages and Salaries	100 366
Printing Costs	61 482
Website Maintenance and Development	37 602
Telephone and Internet	22 534
Insurance	23 995
Postage and Stationery	23 780
Rates	14 895
Light and Heat	9 720
Repairs and Maintenance	7 905
Bank Interest and Charges	8 830
Irish Language	7 383
Leasing	6 035
Audit and Accounts	5 000
Cleaning and Office Requisites	4 454
Total	€ 333 981



Part 6. Funds applied to Research, Education & Training

Details of Expenditure	Amount (€)
STAFF Training	1,794
Total	€ 1,794



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Proper accounting records have been kept by [name of political party] Sinn Féinin respect of the monies received under section 17 and their disbursement. The Statement, which is in the form directed by the Standards Commission, is in agreement with the accounting records.

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Signature of Auditor

John Kimella

Date:

31/3/2014

**Kinsella Mitchell & Associates
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