26th November 2014

Deputy Alan Kelly, TD Minister of Environment, Heritage & Local Government Department of Environment, Heritage & Local Government Custom House Dublin 1

Our Ref:

41187

RE:

<u>Clondalkin Area Committee Meeting of South Dublin County</u> Council held on 19th November 2014

Dear Minister.

At the meeting of the Clondalkin Area Committee held on the 19th November 2014 the following motion was passed by the Members of the Area Committee:

"Given the growing Homelessness issue in the Clondalkin area, the area committee calls for immediate action, we call for an emergency hostel to be built in Clondalkin. We also call on the Government to release funds in order to build social housing. We ask that Alan Kelly T.D Minister for the Environment, Community and Local Government be written to and that the crisis nature of the situation be expressed."

I would be obliged for your comment and response as soon as possible to enable me to revert to the Committee.

Yours sincerely,

Edel Colgan Senior Staff Officer a. Literatu





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28 November, 2014.

Ms. Edel Colgan, Senior Staff Officer, South Dublin County Council, County Hall, Tallaght, Dublin 24. Senior Executive Officer

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Dear Ms. Colgan,

I have been asked by Mr. Alan Kelly, T.D. Minister for the Environment, Community and Local Government, to acknowledge receipt of your recent letter in connection with the Clondalkin Area Committee motion. The contents and issues raised in your letter have been noted.

Yours sincerely,

Larry Kelly

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Private Secretary