

# Dromara Reformed Presbyterian Church

Northern Ireland · Charity number 106311

## Details

**Status** Received

**Registered** 2017-01-26

**Register** [View on the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland register](#)

## Contact

**Address** 90 Ardtanagh Road  
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## Activities

**Purposes:** The purpose of the RPCI is to support and advance the Christian Faith according to the Word of God and in accordance with the 'Book of Government and Order of the Reformed Presbyterian Church of Ireland'.

**What the charity does:** The advancement of religion

**How the charity works:** Religious activities

**Who the charity helps:** General public

## Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-12-31	£385,668	£385,668	£0	1
2024-12-31	£212,172	£195,949	£0	1

## Trustees

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Name	Role	Appointed
Gareth		
Mr John Alexander Bond		
Mr Joseph Gordon Bond		
Mr William George Harold Kerr		
Mr William John Gamble		
Rev Geoffrey David Allen		

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# Accounts

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**Receipts and Payments Account**  
For the Year Ended 31<sup>st</sup> December 2025

**INCOME**

Weekly Freewill Offering	46495.00	
Weekly Cash Collections	932.00	
Gift Aid	11588.90	
Ministry Collections	9662.00	
Mission Collections	8932.00	77609.90

**SPECIAL COLLECTIONS**

Revival Movement	640.00	
Revival Movement per PM	237.00	
Thanksgiving Collection	3004.00	3881.00

**OTHER INCOME**

Bank Interest	63.23	
Bible Reading Notes	144.00	
Burial Fees	100.00	
Contributions for coach to Belfast	235.00	
Commonwealth War Graves	15.00	
Donation Kerr family N'Ards (Use of Hall)	250.00	
Erection of Headstone	50.00	
Grave Registration	100.00	
In lieu of Flowers (E Barlow)	152.50	
NIE Wayleave	14.51	
Gallagher Insurance Refund	2191.04	
J A Smith (Part Payment Manse Land)	59140.00	
J A Smith (Interest)	5000.00	
Transfer from Business Inv. Account	196619.00	264074.28

Sub Total		345565.18
Balance B/F 01/01/25		40103.39
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>385668.57</b>

**EXPENDITURE**  
**PAYMENTS TO MINISTER**

Salary (Gross £34,000)	28001.81	
PAYE	5998.15	
Pension	3400.10	
Telephone, etc	600.00	38000.06
Pulpit Supplies	494.00	
Speaker/'End Times'	270.00	764.00

**MANSE EXPENSES**

Boiler Repairs	350.00	
Heating Oil	2293.19	
Rates	611.39	
Gate and Posts	279.00	
Roof and Walls cleaned	1050.00	4583.58

**CHURCH EXPENSES**

Advert & Printing	178.35	
BT	472.06	
Camp Fees	200.00	
Church Insurance (incl. Manse)	4383.08	
Church Weekend	3132.66	
Cleaners Salary	3509.88	
Five Alive Club	200.00	
Front Doors Replaced	8152.56	
Grounds Upkeep	1600.00	
Heating Oil	1608.66	
Holiday Bible Club	790.12	
McCandless Electric	120.00	
Minister's Conference/Synod Meals	292.50	
Missionary Supper	69.83	
N I Water	88.55	
Power N I	654.00	
Roof Repairs	373.00	
Rooney Coach/Psalm Sing	405.00	
Tables	392.45	

Sabbath School - Teacher/Pupil Materials	236.23	
- S S Prizes	326.92	
- Family Night	106.84	
Other Expenses	<u>591.18</u>	27883.87

**GENERAL EXPENSES**

Bank Fees	130.64	
Bible Reading Notes	146.93	
Presbyterial Accounts	187.00	
F.W.O. Envelopes	<u>133.00</u>	597.57
Transfer to Rathbones Inv. Acc.	260020.00	260020.00

**DONATIONS**

Boys' Brigade	200.00	
Dromara Connect	200.00	
Revival Movement	640.00	
Revival Movement per PM	237.00	
R P Mission	8932.00	
R P Ministry	10560.00	20769.00

Sub Total		352618.08
Balance B/F 31/12/25		33050.49
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>385668.57</b>

*Treasurer: Elma Somerville*

*Examined and found correct: Gordon Bond*

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## Receipts and Payments Account

For the Year Ended 31<sup>st</sup> December 2024

### INCOME

Weekly Freewill Offering	43354.00	
Weekly Cash Collections	561.90	
Gift Aid	10253.51	
Ministry Collections	8340.00	
Mission Collections	<u>7895.00</u>	70404.41

### SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

Go Relief Fund (Prayer Meeting)	294.00	
Revival Movement (Church Lunch)	710.00	
Thanksgiving Collection	<u>2641.00</u>	3645.00

### OTHER INCOME

Bank Interest	37.41	
Bible Reading Notes	177.00	
Burial Fees	210.00	
Church Outing	950.00	
Congregational Dinner/Halfway	760.00	
Donation - Mrs J K Corbett	100.00	
- Given Family	200.00	
- Mrs K Yeates	250.00	
Erection of Headstone	30.00	
NIE Wayleave	14.25	
Re-registration of Graves	13050.00	
Reformation Tour to Scotland	5310.00	
Scottish Widows (Pension Refund)	5866.74	
Trustees RPCI	268.00	
J A Smith (Part Payment Manse Land)	108000.00	
J A Smith (Interest)	<u>2900.00</u>	138123.40

Sub Total		212172.81
Balance B/F 01/01/24		23880.17
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>236052.98</b>

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# Receipts and Payments Account for 2023

For the Year Ended 31<sup>st</sup> December 2023

## **INCOME**

Weekly Freewill Offering	41548.02	
Weekly Cash Collections	209.70	
Gift Aid	10462.52	
Ministry Collections	8732.00	
Mission Collections	<u>8217.00</u>	69169.24

## **SPECIAL COLLECTIONS**

UFM (L&J) Building Fund per PM	405.10	
Thanksgiving Collection	<u>2672.60</u>	3077.70

## **OTHER INCOME**

Bank Interest	22.12	
Bible Reading Notes	180.00	
Burial Fees	80.00	
Congregational Dinner	900.00	
Erection of Headstones	90.00	
NIE Wayleave	12.98	
Pension Refund	516.66	
Power NI	600.00	
Transfer from Business Invest A/c	100000.00	
Trustees RPCNI	5.00	
J A Smith (Part Payment Manse Land)	12000.00	
J A Smith (Interest)	<u>1800.00</u>	116206.76

Sub Total 188453.70

Balance B/F 01/01/23 27092.89

**TOTAL 215546.59**

**EXPENDITURE**

**PAYMENTS TO MINISTER**

Salary (£32000)	25784.96	
PAYE	6215.08	
Pension	4233.36	
Telephone, etc	600.00	36533.40

Pulpit Supplies	480.00	
Evening Speaker/Thanksgiving	73.00	
Student (Kenny Stephenson)	2500.00	3053.00

**MANSE EXPENSES**

Heating Oil	1858.27	
Rates	562.20	
McCandless Electrics (Trip Switch)	186.00	
Manse Gates	912.00	
Manse Kerbs	840.00	4358.47

**CHURCH EXPENSES**

BT	412.17	
Church Insurance (incl. Manse)	2087.64	
Cleaners Salary	2934.72	
Family Night	98.75	
Five Alive Club	200.00	
Grounds Upkeep	1400.00	
Haltway House/Church Dinner	1077.00	
Heating Oil	2687.48	
Holiday Bible Club	147.73	
Kitchen Water Heater	445.00	
Minister's Conference	200.00	
Missionary Supper	166.00	
NI Water	78.64	

Power NI	638.00	
Reformation Tours Deposit	890.00	
Sabbath School Expenses	998.73	
Sabbath School Outing	163.81	
Other Expenses	270.98	14296.52

**GENERAL EXPENSES**

Bank Fees	139.30	
Bible Reading Notes	157.00	
Presbyterial Accounts	129.50	
F.W.O. Envelopes	244.00	669.80

Transfer to Progressive B S Tye Bond	100000.00	100000.00
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**DONATIONS**

Boys' Brigade	400.00	
Dromara Connect	500.00	
ENF (Portuguese College)	500.00	
Tanzania Farm Development Trust	12500.00	
Rp Mission	8980.00	
Rp Ministry Fund	8290.00	
UFM (U.S.) Building Fund	500.00	
UNF (U.S.) Building Fund per pm	405.00	29665.00

Sub Total	181000.00	
Balance CF 31/12/23	20800.00	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>201800.00</b>	

Treasurer: Ernie Somerville

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Power NI	600.00	
Transfer from Business Invest A/c	100000.00	
Trustees RPCNI	5.00	
J A Smith (Part Payment Manse Land)	12000.00	
J A Smith (Interest)	<u>1800.00</u>	116206.76

Sub Total		188453.70
Balance B/F 01/01/23		27092.89
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>215546.59</b>



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# Annual report

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## **DROMARA SESSION REPORT 2023**

Another year has passed and as a session we thank God for his help and guidance throughout the year.

The session was constituted 6 times through the year. Twice for communion and four times for normal business. Communion was on the usual dates in May and November. Session was represented at both presbytery and synod. Mr Gareth Kerr took on the role of clerk of presbytery in February. We wish him well in this office and pray that God would help him as he keeps the records for presbytery.

The annual congregational meeting was held on Friday 10<sup>th</sup> of February. Reports that had previously been published and distributed to the congregation were passed. Another treasure hunt was held at the beginning of May. An enjoyable night was had by all as we travelled around the local roads finding the answers to the clues that had been set. The closing lecture of the theological college was held in our church in April. A tent mission had been arranged by the connect group in Dromara and involved the local congregations. Each congregation took it in turn to lead the meeting each night and to provide singers or someone to give their testimony, also men to help with car parking. Our congregation led on two nights with the choir singing 2 psalms each night. Gareth led on the first night and Kenny Stevenson led on the second. Rev Allen was unable to attend as his father was gravely ill at the time. A congregational outing was held on Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> of June. We went to Kilbroney forest park, had a barbecue, followed by a scavenger hunt and some games. It was a good afternoon and was enjoyed by all who attended. There was a holiday Bible club held on Wednesday – Friday mornings the 9<sup>th</sup> to 11<sup>th</sup> of August. It was disappointing that more children didn't come along. Those who did enjoyed themselves and we had an opportunity to teach bible stories and share the Gospel. There will be no holiday bible club this year, but the 5 alive are to arrange something for children during the summer. This year we had a congregational dinner held in the Halfway House. After an excellent meal Gordon Bond put some questions to Mr John Wilkinson, former principal of Dromore high school. We found out John has had a full and interesting life and still keeps very busy in his retirement. Our annual family night was held on the first Friday in December. A lovely meal was provided by the ladies followed by the distribution of sabbath school prizes. The children were then able to pick books from the book stall, provided by the bookshop. The evening finished off with games and a visit from a seasonal character. There was no mission this year as 2024 is our 150<sup>th</sup> anniversary year and meetings to mark this occasion are to be held in February.

This year we had Mr Kenny Stevenson, a student for the ministry, with us during May and June. Kenny worked with Rev Allen doing some visitation and sharing the preaching. Kenny had a bit of extra work at this time due to fact that Rev Allen's father was seriously ill and subsequently died during his time. Kenny fitted in well with the congregation and got to know the congregation in his time with us. A presentation was given to Kenny and his wife Charlene at the end of his time with us to show our appreciation for all that he done while with us.

There was one death during the year. Mrs E Bell. Mr Nathan Hawthorne conducted the funeral as the Rev Allen was unavailable because of sickness. Mrs Bell was the oldest member of our congregation and served the congregation well as she joined when she married Bailie many years ago. As a congregation we extend our deepest sympathy to the Bell family and pray that God would uphold you in your sorrow.

The Rev Allen lost both his parents this year. His father died in June and his mother died in October. We offer Rev Allen our deepest sympathy and pray that God would be with him and his family as they deal with bereavement.

Miss Naomi Coghill joined the congregation this year on disjunction certificate from Scalpay free church of Scotland. We pray that Naomi would enjoy her fellowship with us for years to come.

A ladies Bible study group was formed in October led by Mrs Debbie Kerr. A good number of ladies have already attended and there is still room for more. The session would encourage you to attend these meetings as they are arranged.

The work of the sabbath school continues as usual. We commend this work for your prayers as this is a vital work of our congregation. A joint CY continues to meet in Dromore, Lisburn, and Dromara, about 6 of our young people attend this. The 5alive, led by Zoe Campbell, meets on a monthly basis, again this is a vital work amongst our children and worthy of our prayers.

Gareth has arranged a 2 day tour to the reformation sites in Scotland in June. See Gareth for details.

Session would like to thank you for your ongoing support for the congregation. We are aware that we have an ageing congregation and many have ongoing health issues. We thank you all, and especially to our office bearers who do a wonderful and thorough job.. Please continue to attend both sabbath services. The session is particularly encouraged that the young families of the congregation attend the sabbath evening service regularly. Please continue to pray for each other as individuals Also remember our prayer meetings on Sabbath morning at 11:15 am and Tuesday evenings at 8pm where we pray together for each other.

“Now to Him who is able to do exceedingly abundantly above all that we ask or think, according to the power that works in us, to Him be glory in the church by Jesus Christ to all generations, forever and ever. Amen. Eph 3: 20-21

Submitted on behalf of session.

Gordon Bond ( clerk )

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# Annual return

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**Independent Examiner's report to the Charity Trustees of Dromara Reformed Presbyterian Church**

I report on the accounts of **Dromara Reformed Presbyterian Church** for the year ended 31 December 2023, which are set out on pages 2-6 hereof.

**Respective responsibilities of Charity Trustees and Examiner**

As the Charity's Trustees you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the Charities Act (Northern Ireland) 2008.

It is my responsibility to:

- examine the accounts under section 65 of the Charities Act;
- follow the procedures laid down in the general Directions given by the Commission under section 65(9)(b) of the Charities Act; and
- state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

**Basis of independent examiner's report**

I have examined your Charity Accounts as required under section 65 of the Charities Act and my examination was carried out in accordance with the general Directions given by the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland under section 65(9)(b) of the Charities Act.

My examination included a review of the accounting records kept by the Charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also included consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts, and seeking explanations from you as charity trustees concerning any such matters.

My role is to state whether any material matters have come to my attention giving me cause to believe:

1. That accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 63 of the Charities Act;
2. That the accounts do not accord with those accounting records;
3. That the accounts do not comply with the accounting requirements of the Charities Act; and
4. That there is further information needed for a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

**Independent examiner's statement**

I have completed my examination and have no concerns in respect of the matters (1) to (4) listed above and, in connection with following the Directions of the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland, I have found no matters that require drawing to your attention.

Dated this 12 day of April 2024



Name: **James Hilland**  
**Chartered Accountant**

Relevant professional qualification or body: **Institute of Chartered Accountants in Ireland**  
Address: **17 Ballydrumman Road, Ballyward, County Down, BT31 9UA**

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# Accounts

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Dromara Reformed Presbyterian Church  
 Statements of Assets and Liabilities  
 Year Ended 31 December 2022

	Danske Acc	Progressive Acc 1	Progressive Acc 2	Total 2022
	Unrestricted Funds	Unrestricted Funds	Unrestricted Funds	
	£	£	£	£
<b>Funds Reconciliation</b>				
Cash at Bank as at 1 January 2022	41,985.20	80,000.00	10,000.00	131,985.20
Surplus/(Deficit) this year end	(14,892.31)	402.73	100,119.49	85,629.91
<b>Cash at Bank as at 31 December 2022</b>	<b>27,092.89</b>	<b>80,402.73</b>	<b>110,119.49</b>	<b>217,615.11</b>
<b>Cash at Bank</b>				<b>217,615.11</b>
<b>Assets retained for the charity's own use (Unrestricted Fund)</b>				
Church, Church Hall & Buildings (incl contents)				2,202,752.14
Church Manse (incl contents)				655,005.95
<b>Total Assets (All Unrestricted Funds)</b>				<b>3,075,373.20</b>
<b>Total Liabilities</b>				<b>-</b>

**RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS ACCOUNT  
 FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER 2022**

<b>INCOME</b>		<b>PAYMENTS TO MINISTER</b>	
Weekly Freewill Offering	42705.00	Salary (£31000)	24760.76
Weekly Cash Collections	311.90	PAYE	6239.32
Gift Aid	10074.75	Pension	3116.63
Ministry Collections	9499.00	Telephone etc	500.00
Mission Collections	8354.00		70944.65
Pulpit Supplies			335.00
<b>SPECIAL COLLECTIONS</b>		Evening Speaker/Thanksgiving	70.00
Asia Link per PM	243.00	Mission Speaker	600.00
Thanksgiving Collection			2733.50
Ukraine Appeal	1720.00		4696.50
Heating Oil			2264.68
<b>OTHER INCOME</b>		Rates	527.32
Bank Interest	108.31	Removal of Trees	1350.00
Bible Reading Notes			171.00
Burial Fees	240.00		
Commonwealth War Graves	15.00		
Donation/K Cunningham	40.00		
Minutes of Synod	8.00		
NIE Wayleave	11.71		
		<b>CHURCH EXPENSES</b>	
		Audio & Projector	743.98
		B T	363.33
		Boiler Refurbishment	1048.47
		Business of Synod	28.00
		<b>MANSE EXPENSES</b>	

Sale of Manse Land	99994.00	Church Insurance (incl Manse)	1900.00
Transfer from Business Invest A/c	10000.00	Cleaners Salary	2693.52
Clinghan Contracts & Field Costs			1510.00
Fire Defence			333.00
Grounds Upkeep			1300.00
Heating Oil			2296.00
Holiday Bible Club			138.43
Legal Costs			4814.30
N.I. Water			72.40
Power N.I.			224.00
Sabbath School Expenses			450.65
Other Expenses	1586.18		19502.26
<b>GENERAL EXPENSES</b>			
Bank Fees			145.41
Bible Reading Notes			171.00
Presbyterial Accounts			142.10
F.W.O. Envelopes	296.00		754.51
Transfer to Business Investment Acc	110000.00		110000.00
<b>DONATIONS</b>			
Asia Link per PM			243.00
Boys Brigade			300.00
Dromara Connect			500.00
Nantes Appeal			10000.00
RP Missions			8354.00
RP Ministry Fund			9710.00
Ukraine Appeal/RPCI			1000.00
Ukraine Appeal/CEF	1000.00		31107.00
Sub Total			186235.17
Balance B/F 01/01/22	41985.20	Sub Total	201127.48
<b>TOTAL</b>	228220.37	Balance C/F 31/12/22	27092.89
		<b>TOTAL</b>	228220.37

*Treasurer: Elma Somerville*



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# Annual report

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## DROMARA SESSION REPORT 2022

As a session we look back on another year and thank God for his provision. With covid restrictions relaxed it has been a more normal year for us as we were enabled to meet and sit together in the church building enjoying closer fellowship and singing. We thank God for this, but are still aware that many in the congregation are still contracting this virus.

The session was constituted 7 times throughout the year. Twice for communion and twice for baptism. Our communion was on the usual days in May and November. Session was also represented at presbytery and synod. At the synod in June our minister was appointed as moderator for the year from June 2022 to June 2023. We wish him well in this role and pray that God would be with him as he fulfils the work connected with this appointment.

With less restrictions we were able to hold our congregational A G M. Social distancing was still in place, but it was good to be back again to some normality. A treasure hunt was organised at the beginning of May and was well attended and enjoyed by the congregation. We had a congregational outing on the afternoon of the 2<sup>nd</sup> of July and went to Peatlands park. We had games together a twitcher treasure hunt to spot some birds and a leisurely walk and a BBQ to round off the afternoon. It was lovely weather and the afternoon was enjoyed by all. A Holiday Bible club was organised in August. Instead of the usual evenings the club was held on 3 mornings from 10:30 – 12noon on the 10<sup>th</sup> to the 12<sup>th</sup> of August. An average of 30 children attended. It was good to again engage with the children and share Gods word with them. It was also good for the congregation as many came along to help, and made the Holiday Bible club successful. It was 3 years since our last mission, but our mission went ahead on sabbath the 9<sup>th</sup> of October. Our speaker was Rev Philip Moffett from Cullybackey. His theme for the week was the gospel in Genesis and spoke from portions right through the book. These meetings are still available on our YouTube channel. The congregation attended well during the week of mission but it was disappointing that not many from outside the congregation came. The choir took part on 3 of the nights of mission and also readers from the congregation read the scripture each night. We were able again to hold a family night on the first Friday night in December. A buffet meal was organised by the catering committee followed by the distribution of sabbath school prizes. The children were then able to redeem their prize tokens at the bookstall provided by the bookshop. After that there was a time of games enjoyed by all.

Our prayer meetings continue as usual on Tuesday night at 8pm and on sabbath morning at 11:15. Please keep these meetings in mind and make an effort to attend.

There were 2 baptisms during the year. Eliana Sarah Lydia daughter of Matthew and Suzayna Greer was baptised on the 13<sup>th</sup> of February and Simon Henry son of David and Sarah Chambers was baptised on 3<sup>rd</sup> of July. We commend these and all our children to your prayers and pray that God would bless them and their families and that our children would all come to know Christ as their own and personnel saviour.

Mrs Donna Allen took up the role of Sabbath School teacher and Sonia Stafford agreed to teach full time as Lyndsey Campbell married and left the congregation. We wish Lyndsey and Mark well in their married life together and pray that God would richly bless them.

During the year Bibles were presented to two couples Wesley and Rosemary Woods and Samuel and Nan Rankin. This was to mark their 50 years of marriage. We thank God the he has preserved them and pray that they may have many happy years ahead.

Harold Kerr was appointed by presbytery as an interim elder in Bailiesmills congregation. He has already been active in helping to augment the session there in their activities.

The youtube channel continues to slowly increase in viewers. The number of average views per week remains the same but the total number of hours watched has risen from 244 to 692. The most watched service was the student preaching in January with 490 views. This continues to be a worth while means of outreach. The church now has a facebook page. If you are able you can access this from your mobile device or computer.

As a session we thank you all for your support in the work of the congregation, to those who are officebearers and keep records of all that goes on, and those who willingly give their time to help in many ways we do thank you. Please remember session in your prayers and pray that God would guide us and give us wisdom in the days ahead.

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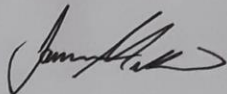
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3. That the accounts do not comply with the accounting requirements of the Charities Act; and
4. That there is further information needed for a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

**Independent examiner's statement**

I have completed my examination and have no concerns in respect of the matters (1) to (4) listed above and, in connection with following the Directions of the Charity Commission for Northern Ireland, I have found no matters that require drawing to your attention.

Dated this *20* day of *March* 2023



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