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12th April, 2019

To: Each Local Authority

The following motion was adopted at the April meeting of Waterford City and County Council held on 11th April, 2019.

"That this Council recognises the selfless commitment of the Irish Defence Forces (Navy, Army and Air Corps) to the people of Ireland in defence of the nation and in the protection of the internal security of the State. In particular it acknowledges the role played by the Defence Forces in multinational peacekeeping, humanitarian relief, maritime security and fishery protection.

This Council in its support for the campaign for <u>Respect and Loyalty</u> calls on the Government to immediately take action to resolve the issues relating to the pay and conditions of service of Defence Forces Members as they are seriously impacting retention and recruitment"

Yours sincerely,

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