

Minutes of Meeting of the Implementation Body on Tuesday 6th September 2011

Present: PJ Fitzpatrick (Chair), Colin Menton, Alan Plummer (Secretariat)

Public Service Unions: Shay Cody, Patricia King, Sheila Nunan

Public Service Management: Robert Watt, Deirdre Hanlon, Michael Errity, Oonagh Buckley

Apologies: Tom Geraghty

1. **Minutes** of the previous meeting on 20th July were agreed.
2. **Action Points:**
 - It was agreed that an opportunity to review the discussions held with sectoral managements would be provided for on the agenda of the next meeting.
3. **Updates from Chair and Secretariat:**
 - The Chair welcomed Deirdre Hanlon, Department of Public Expenditure and Reform, to the Body and updated the members on the latest Garda Implementation Body meeting.
 - The Secretariat informed the Body that work had progressed in conjunction with the Centre for Management and Organisation (CMOD) on a revamped website for the Implementation Body. The website will be available shortly.
 - The Secretariat also advised about the next planned phase of reporting under the Agreement.
 - The issue of representation on the State Agency Sector Implementation Group was discussed.
4. **Items for noting:**
 - The Body adopted the document on Service Delivery Options under the provisions set out in the Appendix to the Agreement and agreed that it should be conveyed by the Secretariat to the National Public Procurement Policy Unit in the Department of Public Expenditure & Reform.
 - Recent Labour Court rulings relevant to the Croke Park Agreement were noted and discussed.
5. **Items for decision:**
 - The approach to be taken to the reporting of savings under the Agreement in 2012 and future years was discussed and it was agreed that the matter would be considered further at a future meeting of the Group.