

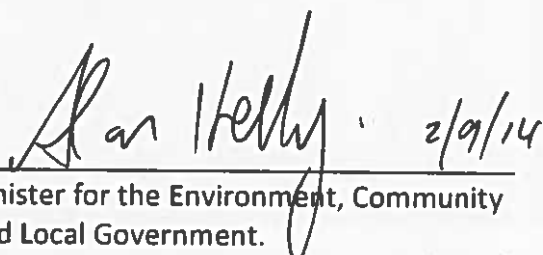
DEPARTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT, COMMUNITY AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT

**SEANAD ELECTORAL (PANEL MEMBERS) ACTS 1947 AND 1954
SEANAD BYE-ELECTION ORDER 2014**

I, ALAN KELLY, Minister for the Environment, Community and Local Government, in exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 56 of the Seanad Electoral (Panel Members) Act 1947, as amended by section 15 of the Seanad Electoral (Panel Members) Act 1954, direct and appoint as follows:

1. An election shall be held in accordance with Part V of the Seanad Electoral (Panel Members) Act 1947 to fill the vacancy in the membership of Seanad Éireann caused, pursuant to section 11(4A) of the European Parliament Elections Act 1997, by the election to the European Parliament of Senator Deirdre Clune.
2. The Panel and Sub-Panel in respect of which the said vacancy has occurred is the Oireachtas Sub-Panel of the Cultural and Educational Panel.
3. For the purposes of the said election -
 - (a) the last day for receiving nominations shall be Thursday 18 September 2014,
 - (b) the Seanad returning officer shall sit for the ruling upon nomination at Leinster House, Dublin 2 on Monday 22 September 2014,
 - (c) the day of issue of ballot papers shall be Friday 26 September 2014,
 - (d) the poll shall be closed at 11 a.m. on Friday 10 October 2014,
 - (e) the address of the Seanad returning officer shall be Leinster House, Dublin 2.
4. This Order may be cited as the Seanad Bye-Election Order 2014.

GIVEN under my Official Seal,
2 September, 2014


Minister for the Environment, Community
and Local Government.