



VOTE NO. 1  
JOHN  
KEIGHER  
INDEPENDENT  
CANDIDATE FOR  
DUBLIN  
SOUTH EAST

TO THE VOTERS OF DUBLIN SOUTH EAST.

The difficulties of the banking system in the Republic of Ireland, consequent upon a dramatic expansion of credit between the years 2000 to 2008, which led to a bail-out of Irish banks by the Government of the Republic of Ireland, and which culminated in the involvement of The European Central Bank and The International Monetary Fund in the internal affairs of the Republic of Ireland, have placed the Republic of Ireland in a perilous situation. Although the situation is serious, it can be remedied by determined action which must be taken immediately.

□ A Commission of Inquiry must be established now to find out the exact indebtedness of the banks in the Republic of Ireland, how that indebtedness arose, from whom all monies were borrowed, to whom all monies were lent and on what security, and to set out that bank indebtedness in definite and written form with exact times, dates, names and amounts, together with the location and valuation of all assets provided as security.

□ The Sovereign Debt of The Republic of Ireland must be separated completely from all indebtedness of the banks in the Republic of Ireland, and the indebtedness of the banks in the Republic of Ireland set out as a special circumstance with a separate body of administrators and a separate sinking fund established to deal with that indebtedness.

- The role of the European Central Bank in the creation of the indebtedness of the banks in the Republic of Ireland must be identified, together with the full and exact responsibility of the European Central Bank for the difficulties of the banks in the Republic of Ireland.
- When the full and exact indebtedness of the banks in the Republic of Ireland, including all potential indebtedness, has been established, financial and economic measures must be taken to terminate at the earliest possible opportunity all and any involvement of The International Monetary Fund in internal affairs of the Republic of Ireland.
- When the exact level of responsibility of the European Central Bank for the difficulties of the banks in the Republic of Ireland has been established, this responsibility of the European Central Bank must be expressed in definite monetary terms as the share of the European Central Bank in the provision of any funds to the banks in the Republic of Ireland, and the involvement of the European Central Bank thereafter in the internal affairs of the Republic of Ireland must be reduced to a minimum.
- A policy of economic development and recovery, based upon the advice and expertise of economists and business leaders in the Republic of Ireland, must be devised and implemented for the Republic of Ireland, to counteract the damage caused by the difficulties of the Irish banking system, to preserve business and employment in the Republic of Ireland, and to restore to the fullest extent and at the earliest moment the political and economic independence of the Sovereign, Independent and Democratic Republic of Ireland.

The banking and economic crisis in the Republic of Ireland must be addressed immediately and is the central issue in this General Election. Your vote is of vital importance. Vote No. 1, John Keigher, in the General Election on Friday, the 25th of February, 2011, for action to remedy the banking and economic crisis in the Republic of Ireland and to restore the political and economic independence of the Republic of Ireland.

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**FRIDAY, 25<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY, 2011.**

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