



CRA Registration for Scout Groups in the Republic of Ireland

Department: Volunteer Resource Management & Group Support Re: CRA Registration for Scout Group in the Republic of Ireland Date: 24th June 2020

Scouting Ireland has been working with the Charities Regulator Authority and can now confirm that the Authority is in a position to register Scout Groups in the Republic of Ireland. Scouting Ireland has a rollout plan in place (with consideration to COVID-19) and in the last week, has finally agreed the documentation requirements and has registered a Scout Group with the Charities Regulator using these final approved documents.

We now have their agreement to commence with the registration of all Scout Groups. We have also agreed with the Charity Regulator Authority an extension to our self-imposed September deadline for all registrations to be completed before the end of December this year as stated in our response to the Minister for Children and Youth Affairs.

Every Group Leader, County Commissioner and Provincial Commissioner will receive an email this week outlining the next steps to be taken.