

Ulster Unionist Party (UUP)

CONFIDENCE BUILDING SUB-COMMITTEE

ECONOMIC ISSUES

In order to assist in Confidence Building the following aspects relate to Economic matters.

1. The Republic of Ireland Government, should, by word and deed, act in a normal neighbourly fashion in order to assist in providing Constitutional and Institutional stability.
2. The United Kingdom Government should repudiate the United Nations Committee's Report on Economic, Social, and Cultural Rights, published 4th December 1997, related to Fair Employment. In particular, the reference to "Combating Discrimination" does not reflect the reality of the Northern Ireland Employment market.
3. Both Governments should state that cross-border economic co-operation does not require all-Ireland political institutions.