

# Public Compliance Statement (Ireland)

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As a charity seeking donations from the public the RNLI aim to comply with the Guidelines for Charitable Organisations on Fundraising from the Public

- The RNLI is committed to complying with the Guidelines for Charitable Organisations on Fundraising from the Public and has formally discussed and adopted the Guidelines at a meeting of the governing body.
- The RNLI confirms its commitment to the principles set out in the Guidelines for Charitable Organisations on Fundraising from the Public by a statement to that effect in its annual report.
- The RNLI has a Donor Charter which is consistent with the Guidelines for Charitable Organisations on Fundraising from the Public.
- The RNLI regularly monitors compliance with the Guidelines for Charitable Organisations on Fundraising from the Public and compliance reports are received regularly by the governing body.
- The RNLI considers the Guidelines for Charitable Organisations on Fundraising from the Public when planning all fundraising activity.
- The RNLI has a policy on working with third party fundraisers (if applicable).
- The RNLI provides honest, open, accountable, and transparent disclosure when fundraising from the public.
- The RNLI has appointed a member of the governing body and/or a senior member of staff to be responsible for compliance with the Guidelines for Charitable Organisations on Fundraising from the Public.
- The RNLI ensures that fundraising staff are provided with information and training on the Guidelines for Charitable Organisations on Fundraising from the Public and its implementation.
- The RNLI has a feedback and complaints procedure consistent with the Guidelines for Charitable Organisations on Fundraising from the Public. Feedback is recorded and responded to promptly and appropriately.
- The RNLI prepares financial reports consistent with the requirements of the Charities Act 2009 and the Charities Regulator which include a statement concerning the extent to which control of the organisation is independent of its funding sources.
- The RNLI ensures that all donations are tracked and recorded and complies with data protection requirements.
- The RNLI is accessible to the public through a number of readily available contact options.