

**Down GAA**  
**CUMANN LÚTHCHLEAS GAEL**



COUNTY GAA

**Declaration of Interests and Conflict Interest**  
**Return for the year 2021/2022**

To be completed by each Executive Committee member.

**GAA does not require information about activities which do not involve a potential conflict of interest.**

However, when in doubt, please disclose.

Please complete and return this form to County Secretary Sean Og McAteer. Where no interests are to be disclosed, please state 'Not Applicable'.

**Full Name** .....

**Position Held** .....

**GAA Club/County** .....

**Please see explanatory notes to assist with declaration completion.**

**1. Are you or a person connected to you retained as, or did you occupy a position in a private organisation as, a:**

**(a) Director or Partner?** Yes  No

SELF		
Type of Interest & Position Held	Details of Interest Name, Address of Organisation	Does the organisation have dealings with the GAA?

CONNECTED PERSONS		
Type of Interest & Position Held	Details of Interest Name, Address of Organisation	Does the organisation have dealings with the GAA?

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**(b) External Consultant?** Yes  No

SELF		
Type of Interest & Position Held	Details of Interest Name, Address of Organisation	Does the organisation have dealings with the GAA?

CONNECTED PERSONS		
Type of Interest & Position Held	Details of Interest Name, Address of Organisation	Does the organisation have dealings with the GAA?

**(c) Contract within any other organisation?** Yes  No

SELF		
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**4. General Declaration of Interests**

Do you, or persons connected with you have any other interests that you should report e.g.; a significant financial interest in or a contract/link with any company providing services to GAA or in a field relevant to your discipline?

(In cases of doubt as to whether you have a disclosable interest please make the disclosure).

Yes  No

If yes, please give details below:

**Declaration**

I declare that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the information I have given in this form is truthful, accurate and complete.

I undertake to notify GAA in writing of any changes to this information within 28 days of any such change.

I undertake to ensure that, subject to approval of this Declaration, the interests that I have disclosed will not detrimentally affect my ability to carry out my duties as an Executive Committee Member of GAA.

I am aware of no other connection that might compromise or influence my engagement as a member of the Executive Committee.

In making this declaration I consent to the information contained in it being available for inspection in the Register of Interests, as required by GAA.

Print Name .....

Signed .....

Date .....

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## Explanatory Notes

A The Declaration of Interests Return should be completed by:

- All Executive Committee members of Down GAA

B What is a 'relevant interest'?

An interest will be relevant if it provides scope for a public perception of a conflict with work responsibilities. Relevant interests may be broadly categorised as financial or non-financial.

Examples:

### Financial

- Paid consultancies/employment;
- Paid service on a board of directors/advisory board;
- Share/equity holdings;
- Royalty income;
- Property holdings; and
- Financial interest in contracts with GAA

### Non-Financial

- Membership of an organisation or interest group in the community; and
- Performance of services (fee is not charged).

C Connected Persons

This includes:

- Parents;
- Spouse or partner;
- Children and their spouse/partner;
- Grandchildren and their spouse/partner;
- Grandparents;
- Brothers and their spouse/partner; and
- Sisters and their spouse/partner.

D Please note, if you are unaware that an interest exists then there is no interest to declare. For example, if you do not know that your brother in law is a member of a governing body then there is no declaration to be made.

E Original forms will be stored confidentially and may be made available on request on a confidential basis to relevant parties e.g. external auditors/Sport Ireland.