

## Public Statement of Commitment to adherence to the Charities Regulator "Guidelines For Charitable Organisations on Fundraising from The Public -

- The Ireland Funds is committed to complying with the Guidelines for Charitable Organisations Fundraising from the Public (the 'Guidelines') and has formally discussed and adopted the guidelines at a meeting of the governing body.
- The Ireland Funds confirms its commitment to the principles set out in the <u>Guidelines for</u> <u>Charitable Organisations on Fundraising from the Public</u> by a statement to that effect in its annual report.
- The Ireland Funds has a Donor Charter which is consistent with the Guidelines.
- The Ireland Funds regularly monitors compliance with the Guidelines and compliance reports are received regularly by the governing body.
- The Ireland Funds considers the Guidelines when planning all fundraising activities.
- The Ireland Funds do not work with third party fundraisers.
- The Ireland Funds has a complaints and feedback procedure on fundraising.
- The Ireland Funds provides honest, open and transparent disclosure when fundraising from the public.
- The Ireland Funds prepares financial reports consistent with the requirements of the Charities Act 2009, which include a statement concerning the extent to which control of the organisation is independent of its funding sources.
- The Ireland Funds ensure that all donations are tracked and recorded and complies with data protection requirements.
- The Ireland Funds complies with all legal requirements with regard to GDPR and data protection legislation.
- The Ireland Funds has appointed a senior member of staff to be responsible for compliance with the Guidelines.
- The Ireland Funds ensures that fundraising staff are provided with information and training on the Guidelines and its implementation.