Meeting for follow-up on World Heritage Periodic Reporting for Western Europe, Dublin
December 14th-16th 2009

Monday 14th Venue: Bedford Hall, Dublin Castle

9.30 -10.00 Registration

Morning Session - Chair Brian Lucas - Department of Environment, Heritage and Local Government

10:00 – 10:30 Opening

Welcome – Mr. John Gormley, T.D., Minister for the Environment, Heritage and Local Government
Adoption of agenda, Presentation of participants – Brian Lucas, Department of the Environment, Heritage and Local Government

10:30 – 11.00 Mechtild Rossler, Chief, Europe and North America Section WH Centre - Overview on the follow-up to the European Periodic Report and Action Plan 2005-2006

11:00 – 11.30 Coffee break

11.30 – 12.30 Progress Reports (5-10 minutes) on Periodic Reporting by each State Party, including preparations for the next cycle of Periodic Reporting

12.30 – 13.00 Discussion

13:00 – 14:00 Lunch (Guard Room)

Afternoon Session: - Joint Chair - Mr Grellan Rourke ICOMOS Ireland/ Mr Pierre Galland IUCN

14:00 – 14:30 Presentation on Retrospective Statements of OUV for WH Properties inscribed before 1998 – Ms. Susan Denyer

14.30 – 14.45 UK experience on the Definition of OUV Retrospectively - Dr. Chris Young /Mr Peter Marsden

14.45-16.30 Break into working groups to develop guidance on the preparation of a statement of OUV

16:30 – 17.00 Coffee break

17.00 – 17:30 Presentation of Working Group outputs and discussion
17:30 – 18:00 Guided Tour of Dublin Castle

19:00 – 22:00 Dinner
Tuesday 16th Venue: Bedford Hall, Dublin Castle

Morning Session - Chair Joe King ICCROM

9:30 – 10:00 Training and Capacity Building

Presentation Dr Claire Cave on the World Heritage Management Programme UCD
Discussion on capacity building and training in Western Europe.

10.00 – 10.30 Tentative Lists:
Presentation Lord Donald Hankey, Chair of the Tentative List Expert Advisory Group established to oversee and carry out a review of Ireland’s Tentative List

10.30 – 11.00 Discussion and Questions

11.00 – 11.30 Coffee break

11.30 – 12.30 General Policy Development including legislation, or policy instruments/mechanisms at National Regional and Local level for WH Conservation State Parties to Update the Meeting (5-10 minutes per State Party)

12.30 – 13.00 Discussion

13:00 – 14:00 Lunch (Guard Room)

Afternoon Session - Chair Bruno Maldoner Austria

14:00 – 14:30 Presentation Isabelle Longuet Co-Operation within the Western Europe Sub-Region through Trans National Serial Nominations

14:30 – 16.30 Working Groups – exercise to develop an Action Plan to enhance future co-operation in Western Europe Sub-Region

16:30 – 17.00 Coffee break

17:00 – 17:30 Summary Report on the Meeting – Brian Lucas
- The next cycle of World Heritage Periodic Reporting -Preparations
- Retrospective Statements of Significance Boundary Changes
- Training and Capacity Building
- Tentative Lists in Western Europe Sub-Region (cooperation and harmonization, serial nomination)
- Action Plan for enhanced co-operation in Western Europe Sub-Region

Free Evening