



An Roinn Gnóthaí Eachtracha agus Trádála  
Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade

**REQUEST FOR SUBMISSIONS**

**OFFICIAL LANGUAGES ACT 2003  
PREPARATION OF A DRAFT LANGUAGE SCHEME BY the Department of  
Foreign Affairs and Trade**

The Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade proposes to draft a language scheme in accordance with the Official Languages Act 2003. The primary objective of the Act is to ensure better availability and a higher standard of public services through Irish. The Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade invites submissions in relation to the preparation of the draft scheme from any interested parties.

You may return submissions to: [Sceim](#)

**Or post to:** Compliance and Coordination Unit  
Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade  
76-78 Harcourt Street, Dublin 2  
By 5.00 p.m. on 8<sup>th</sup> July 2015

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**AIGHNEACHTAÍ Á LORG**

**ACHT NA dTEANGACHA OIFIGIÚLA 2003  
DRÉACHTSCÉIM Á HULLMHÚ  
AG AN ROINN GNÓTHAÍ EACHTRACHA AGUS TRÁDÁLA**

Tá sé i gceist ag an Roinn Gnóthaí Eachtracha agus Trádála scéim adhréachtú de réir Acht na dTeangacha Oifigiúla 2003. Is é bunchuspóir an Achta ná a chinntiú go mbeidh fáil níos mó ar sheirbhísí poiblí trí Ghaeilge agus go mbeidh siad ar chaighdeán níos airde. Tá aighneachtaí maidir le hullmhú na dréachtscéime á lorg ag an Roinn Gnóthaí Eachtracha anois ó aon pháirtithe leasmhara.

Ba chóir aighneachtaí a sheoladh chuig: [Sceim](#)

**Nó seol chuig:** An tAonad Comhordú agus Comhlíontacht  
An Roinn Gnóthaí Eachtracha agus Trádála  
76-78 Sráid Fhearchair, Báile Átha Cliath 2  
Roimh 5.00 i.n. 8ú Iúil 2015

Is féidir aighneachtaí a bheith mar chuid de thaifead buan na Roinne ar féidir a eisiúint faoin Acht Um Shaoráil Faisnéise. Agus ag cur isteach aighneacht go leictreonach, glactar leis go mb'fhéidir nach mbeidh sonraí pearsanta nó íogaire go h-iomlán slán. Is féidir go mbeidh fáil ar aighneachtaí ag [www.dfa.ie](http://www.dfa.ie)