



# Irish MEPs appointed to European Parliament committees / Jim Higgins EP Quaestor

Below is a list of the 12 Irish Members and their appointments to parliamentary committees. In addition, Jim Higgins (EPP, Fine Gael, Ireland) was elected one of the five Quaestors on 15 July in Strasbourg for a two and a half year term. The Quaestors are responsible for administrative and financial matters of direct concern to Members. The five Quaestors sit on Parliament's Bureau in an advisory capacity.

## Committee on Development

Gay MITCHELL (EPP - Fine Gael)  
*Proinsias DE ROSSA (S&D, Labour) (substitute)*

## Committee on International Trade

Joe HIGGINS (GUE/NGL - Socialist Party)

## Committee on Employment and Social Affairs

Proinsias De ROSSA (S&D - Labour)  
Marian HARKIN (ALDE - Independent)  
*Joe HIGGINS (GUE/NGL - Socialist Party) (substitute)*

## Committee on Economic and Monetary Affairs

Gay MITCHELL (EPP - Fine Gael) (substitute)

## Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Food Safety

Nessa CHILDERS (S&D)  
*Mairead McGUINNESS (EPP - Fine Gael) (substitute)*

## Committee on Industry, Research and Energy

Brian CROWLEY (ALDE - Fianna Fáil)

## Committee on the Internal Market and Consumer Protection

Alan KELLY (S&D - Labour)

## Committee on Transport and Tourism

Jim HIGGINS (EPP - Fine Gael)

## Committee on Regional Development

Sean KELLY (EPP - Fine Gael)  
*Pat the Cope GALLAGHER (ALDE - Fianna Fáil) substitute*

## Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development

Mairead McGUINNESS (EPP - Fine Gael)  
Liam AYLWARD (ALDE - Fianna Fáil)  
*Marian HARKIN (ALDE - Independent) (substitute)*  
*Alan KELLY (S&D - Labour) (substitute)*

## Committee on Fisheries

Pat the Cope GALLAGHER (ALDE - Fianna Fáil)  
*Jim Higgins (EPP - Fine Gael) (substitute)*

# Press release

## **Committee on Petitions**

Mairead McGUINNESS (EPP - Fine Gael)

Marian HARKIN (ALDE - Independent) (substitute)

Jim HIGGINS (EPP - Fine Gael) (substitute)

Joe HIGGINS (GUE/NGL - Socialist Party) (substitute)

## **Culture & Education**

Liam AYLWARD (ALDE - Fianna Fáil) (substitute)

Nessa CHILDERS (S&D - Labour) (substitute)

Sean KELLY (EPP-Fine Gael) (substitute)

## **Legal Affairs**

Brian CROWLEY (ALDE, Fianna Fáil) (substitute)

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