## Annex 6
### Neighbourhood Renewal Strategy Document
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<td>Community Capacity-Building</td>
<td>Development work, supported by the Voluntary and Community Unit of DSD, aimed at supporting individuals, groups and organisations to play an active part in the economic and social regeneration of their communities and in improving community relations within and between communities.</td>
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<td>Community Regeneration and Improvement</td>
<td>A programme funded jointly by DSD and the International Fund for Ireland. The Programme is aimed at assisting communities in the reinvigoration of the most disadvantaged towns and villages under 10,000 population.</td>
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<td>Special Programme (CRISP)</td>
<td>A collaborative initiative involving DSD, councils, local community and voluntary groups and local advice organisations that supports the provision of community centres, local advice services, resource centres, grants to community groups and the employment of staff in councils.</td>
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<td>Community Support Programme</td>
<td>Schemes promoted by DSD to secure the better planning and regeneration of certain urban areas. This normally involves a process of land acquisition, site assembly and disposal for industrial, commercial, retail and other development.</td>
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<td>Comprehensive Development Schemes (CD)</td>
<td>“Culture Can” was published in May 2003 in response to a demand for an advocacy document that would highlight the ability of Culture, Arts and Leisure to address the key issues facing society.</td>
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<td>Culture Can</td>
<td>The Department for Social Development. Responsible for urban regeneration and community development, housing, social security and child support.</td>
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<td>DSD</td>
<td>Divisions of the Urban Regeneration and Community Development Group of DSD. Divisions comprise the Belfast Regeneration Office, North-West Development Office, covering Londonderry, Strabane and Limavady, and the Regional Development Office, responsible for the regeneration of other urban areas in Northern Ireland.</td>
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<td>A Programme, funded by DSD, used mainly to improve the appearance of open spaces and the public realm in urban centres.</td>
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<td>Equality Impact Assessment (EQIA)</td>
<td>A process which involves an examination of the impact of policies on various groups as defined by Section 75 of the Northern Ireland Act 1998. It involves consideration of available data and research, consideration of measures which might mitigate any adverse impact, formal consultation and monitoring for adverse impact in the future.</td>
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<td>Executive Programme Funds (EPFs)</td>
<td>Established by the NI Executive to assist the development of new policies and programmes, and new, improved services, as well as dealing with major infrastructure projects. EPFs have regard to the Executive’s Priorities as set out in the Programme for Government and also its commitments to equality and new TSN.</td>
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<td>Heart of the City – An Integrated Urban Design Strategic Framework</td>
<td>The Heart of the City Study is one of the key proposals to emerge from the “City Vision 2020 First Plan for Progress”. It represents an integrated Urban Design Strategy for Londonderry which will facilitate and inform the future planning and urban design of key development sites, with an emphasis on high quality architecture, public open spaces and landscaped areas.</td>
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<td>International Fund for Ireland (IFI)</td>
<td>Body established as an independent, international organisation by the British and Irish Governments in 1986. The objectives of the Fund are to promote economic and social advance; and to encourage contact, dialogue and reconciliation between Unionists and Nationalists throughout Ireland.</td>
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<td>Local Strategy Partnership (LSP)</td>
<td>A committee, at council level, emerging under PEACE II, which includes representatives of key government departments, statutory agencies, the relevant local authority and social partners.</td>
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<td>Initiative to strengthen and target more effectively the efforts being made by the community, the private sector and the Government in addressing the economic, educational, social, health and environmental problems facing people living in the most disadvantaged areas of Londonderry.</td>
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<td><strong>Making Belfast Work Initiative (MBW)</strong></td>
<td>Initiative to strengthen and target more effectively the efforts being made by the community, the private sector and the Government in addressing the economic, educational, social, health and environmental problems facing people living in the most disadvantaged areas of Belfast.</td>
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<td><strong>Ministerial Group</strong></td>
<td>A cross departmental Ministerial group lead by the Minister for Social Development which will take forward the work on Neighbourhood Renewal.</td>
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<td><strong>Neighbourhood Partnership Board (NPB)</strong></td>
<td>A body, comprising representatives of a Neighbourhood Renewal Area (NRA), the providers of key public services and other key stakeholders, which will oversee the preparation and implementation of a Neighbourhood Renewal Vision Framework and related Neighbourhood Action Plans for the renewal of their NRA.</td>
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<td><strong>Neighbourhood Action Plans (NAP)</strong></td>
<td>Rolling 3 year Plans containing a list of costed initiatives, programmes and projects required to implement the Neighbourhood Renewal Vision Framework for the renewal of a Neighbourhood Renewal Area.</td>
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<td><strong>Neighbourhood Renewal Advisory Group</strong></td>
<td>A body, appointed by the DSD, to provide analysis and advice in relation to the implementation and review of the Strategy, including the development of best practice and community capacity-building. Membership includes urban regeneration and community development practitioners, academics, local neighbourhood representatives and other key stakeholders.</td>
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<td>An overarching document setting out the strategic direction for the renewal of the most deprived neighbourhood in urban areas of Northern Ireland.</td>
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<td>Neighbourhood Renewal Vision Framework <em>(NRF)</em></td>
<td>A document, to be prepared by the Neighbourhood Partnership Board following a community-led assessment of local needs, which will set out a nine year vision for the regeneration of the Neighbourhood Renewal Area.</td>
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<td>Neighbourhood Renewal Area <em>(NRA)</em></td>
<td>A deprived urban area, targeted for assistance under the Strategy, comprising a collection of area-based activities, services and facilities clustered around residential and other land uses.</td>
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<td>New Targeting Social Need <em>(new TSN)</em></td>
<td>The New Targeting Social Need Policy recognises and seeks to reduce inequalities in the life experiences of citizens in terms of poverty, health, housing, educational and economic opportunity and disability.</td>
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<td>Noble</td>
<td>Measures relative deprivation in Northern Ireland. It comprises seven ward-level domain deprivation measures; a ward level multiple deprivation measure; a supplementary ward-level child poverty measure; income and employment deprivation measures at Enumeration District (ED) level; an economic deprivation measure at ED level; six local government district level summaries of the ward-level multiple deprivation measure and two ward-level summaries of the ED level economic deprivation measure.</td>
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<td>Peace II</td>
<td>The European Union (EU) Programme for Peace and Reconciliation in Northern Ireland and the Border Region of Ireland. The Programme will address economic and social issues in the specific context of Northern Ireland’s current transition to a more peaceful and stable society.</td>
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<td>PfG is a Programme incorporating the NI Executive’s agreed budget linked to policies and programmes. It is subject to approval by the NI Assembly.</td>
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<td>Public Service/Service Delivery Agreements (PSA/SDA)</td>
<td>Agreements setting out for each Government Department its aims, objectives, programme budget allocations and key targets, and how these will be delivered.</td>
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<td>Regional Development Strategy (RDS)</td>
<td>An overarching strategy developed by the Department for Regional Development for the future development of Northern Ireland to 2025, which includes a broad framework to guide the strategy of government departments.</td>
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<td>Regional Transportation Strategy</td>
<td>A document prepared by the Department for Regional Development to address the complex transportation issues facing Northern Ireland.</td>
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<td>Structural Funds</td>
<td>Funds from the European Union agreed under the Community Support Framework for Northern Ireland 2000-2006 including 2 operational programmes: Transitional Objective One and Peace II.</td>
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<td>Town and City Centre Reinvigoration Strategy (TCR)</td>
<td>A strategic framework for the reinvigoration of NI’s towns and city centres as places for retail, service, administrative, residential, leisure and cultural uses.</td>
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<td>A Grant Programme, funded by DSD, aimed at stimulating private enterprise and investment in the most rundown parts of Belfast and Londonderry through property development.</td>
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<td>Urban Development Programme (UDP)</td>
<td>A Programme administered by DSD and funded by the International Fund for Ireland. The Programme aims to stimulate viable economic activity in the commercial area of towns and villages by offering financial assistance to owners of properties who meet the criteria for the Programme.</td>
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<td>Urban II</td>
<td>A European Union Programme, administered by DSD, which will run from 2000-2006 and will focus on disadvantaged urban areas within inner North Belfast.</td>
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<td>Urban Regeneration Strategy Directorate (URSD)</td>
<td>A Division within the Urban Regeneration and Community Development Group of DSD. Responsible, through a Neighbourhood Renewal Unit (NRU), for coordinating the implementation, development and review of the Strategy.</td>
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<td>Voluntary and Community Unit (VCU)</td>
<td>A division of the Urban Regeneration and Community Development Group of DSD which provides a focus within government on voluntary and community sector activities. It works in partnership with the sector through the Joint Government/Voluntary and Community Sector Forum, and funds regional organisations and councils in support of voluntary and community activities including local advice services.</td>
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