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Meeting of Diversity Forum – 6 December 2016

Dear Branch Secretary,

The arrangements for the next meeting of the Union's Diversity Forum are as follows:

Date 6 December 2016
Time 17.00
Venue Ballroom,
Department of Foreign Affairs & Trade
Iveagh House,
80 St Stephens Green,
Dublin 2.
Map View location map [here](#).

The theme for the forum will be ***Crisis for Refugees: Challenges for Ireland.***

It is intended to get the meeting underway by 17.00 and we will try to conclude the proceedings by 20.30. Tea and coffee will be available from approximately 16.45. The meeting will be followed by a wine reception.

Speakers at the Forum will include Yvonne O'Callaghan (SIPTU Global Solidarity), Gary Daly (Solicitor & Human Rights Activist) and Jim Clarken (Chief Executive Oxfam Ireland)

Branches are asked to nominate at least two Branch Officers to attend the meeting. The Branch Diversity\Equality Officer should, so far as is possible, be amongst those nominated to attend.

Please let Margaret Hughes (mhughes@pseu.ie) know if your Branch will be at the meeting and the number of representatives it proposes to send as soon as possible, and in any event no later than 30 November 2016.

Members of the Executive Committee, Standing Orders Committee and Solidarity Committee are also asked to let Margaret know if they will be in attendance.

Yours sincerely,

Billy Hannigan
Deputy General Secretary.

To: Each Branch Secretary
Each Member of the Executive Committee
Each Member of the Standing Orders Committee
PSEU Solidarity Committee
All HQ Staff