

**General – received 3<sup>rd</sup> August**

From: Redacted  
Sent: 03 August 2021 19:21  
To: Consultation <consultation@lgbc-ni.org.uk>  
Subject: Bilingual signs

Hello,

I am writing to you to object to the bilingual signs consultation that I only new about through a letter to the Newsletter. The area where I live would not appreciate this as we all talk English with a bit of Ulster Scots which is a dialect rather than a language. The complete waste of money that this would entail is ridiculous when only a small percentage can speak Irish in Northern Ireland. Even in the Republic it is thought that just over 100,000 claim to speak Irish everyday. All sections of the community speak English and this is the common language. If there is money to spend please spend it on something else worthwhile. Many other areas are in greater need than putting signs up in Irish.

Regards,  
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