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Mr Brendan Howlin T.D
Public Expenditure and Reform
Government Buildings,
Upper Merrion St.
Dublin 2.

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Dear Minister

One of our members Mr Liam O'Neill met with Mr George Lawlor, the current Mayor of Wexford; recently at your clinic in Coolcots Lane.

Mr O' Neill sought clarification from your office regarding the forfeiture of the first hour of his pay when doing overtime. He understands from clarification to be that under the total value of the weeks overtime is calculated that one hour is discounted i.e. the employee loss the value of one hours pay.

In this regard the employer should not multiply the 1 hour by the value of the overtime time plus one quarter or double time and impose a loss of one and one quarter at two hours pay per week.

I would welcome your formal clarification of this matter on behalf of our membership.

Yours sincerely

Mick Dixon
Chairman