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Cost of Living Coalition

COST OF LIVING CRISIS

IN UNITY AND SOLIDARITY

WE LIVE TOGETHER... WE STRUGGLE TOGETHER

WE WIN TOGETHER!

UNITED AGAINST RACISM



UNITED AGAINST RACISM IS PART OF THE COST OF LIVING COALITION.

Ireland has a diverse population with many people from different parts of the world living here and making this country their home, like many Irish people made other countries their home. Our societies are multicultural.

At times of economic crises some forces are quick to blame migrants, minorities, and refugees for problems such as housing shortage, unemployment, and poverty. These are problems caused by those ruling this country and not migrants. In fact, migrant workers contribute significantly to the Irish economy. From services to healthcare to education, migrant workers are part of the Irish workforce that keep our society going. We saw this during the lockdown.

Migrants are our fellow workers, our classmates, and neighbours in our communities. The cost of living crisis affects all ordinary decent people, including migrants and all minorities.

There will be no more affordable houses for ordinary people if migrants weren't here. Rents will not be any less without the migrants. In fact, we won't have more hospital beds without the migrants. What is more, we will have less nurses, doctors in our hospitals. We will have less GPs in our community.

Migrants did not increase the cost of energy but those for-profit companies making millions in profits from electricity and gas.

The only way we can change things for better is to put pressure on the government to act.

The Irish government is not listening and continue to ignore the needs of the people. Building this pressure requires all of us to stand together in unity and solidarity.

Scapegoating migrants and minorities only helps those at the top and their agenda. Division and hate does not build more homes or create more hospital beds. Our campaign against the rising cost of living will be stronger in unity.

Today, everywhere you go, you will see Irish and migrant workers working together, serving our society. These people suffer together from the cost of living and the only way is to stand and fight together. Anyone blaming migrants and minorities has certainly nothing to offer to solve this problem. They are only using this crisis to advance their racist and divisive agenda.

Racism never built homes... Workers do.

Division never made hospitals better places... Nurses, doctors, health workers from different parts of the world do.

Migrants do not put up the rents... Landlords do.

Let's unite and fight together against the cost of living crisis and those who created this burden on ordinary decent people.

We say:

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