

ADVANCE QUESTIONS TO IRELAND – third batch

NORWAY

- Various UN treaty bodies have expressed concern regarding the highly restrictive circumstances under which women can lawfully have an abortion in Ireland. Does Ireland have any plans to address these concerns?
- Does Ireland plan to ratify OP-CAT and to establish an independent and effective complaints and investigation mechanism for prisoners?
- What measures is Ireland prepared to take to fully eliminate the practice of “slopping out”?
- How can Ireland reduce the gender pay gap?