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Women in Northern Irish Politics: Difference Matters

The Committee recommended that the Assembly should conduct a gender survey across all Members to identify the key barriers and challenges and, based on the feedback received, develop a gender action plan with specific measures to help Members balance family life with their political career. Peace movements by Northern Irish women were also one of the earliest movements to fight all types of violence in Northern Ireland.

Putting Women in the Picture : the Impact of the Northern Ireland Women's Coalition on Northern Irish Politics

Evidence of the IRA's criminality as well as its continual refusal to give up its weapons has strained its relations not only in Northern Ireland and Britain but in the Republic of Ireland as well.

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The Democratic Unionists DUP and the Alliance Party APNI reported that 60 per cent and 50 per cent of their members respectively were women, whilst the Ulster Unionist Party UUP with 42 per cent, The Social Democratic and Labour Party SDLP with 47 per cent and Sinn Fein 47 per cent Galligan et al 1999, p170 also showed healthy membership figures amongst women. There was also an acknowledgement, by witnesses and a number of Members of the Committee, that unlike their male counterparts most women wait until they are asked or approached, usually on several occasions, before making the decision to stand. All Party Group on UN Security Resolution 1325 — Women, Peace and Security Briefing 23.

Coronavirus halts march of Northern Ireland's Orange Order

With the passing of the by the government which reduced the powers of the Lords from striking down parliamentary Bills to delaying their implementation for two years it was apparent that Home Rule would probably come into force in the next five years. Britain returned powers to the Northern Ireland Assembly on May 30, just three days after the Ulster Unionist Party, Northern Ireland's largest Protestant Party, again voted in

favor of a power-sharing arrangement with Sinn Fein. At various times the party stood and won elections on an platform.

Beyond identity lines: women building peace in Northern Ireland and the Korean peninsula

In important ways, direct rule has become government by appointed administration and public agency. Women in Northern Ireland have come at the top of research tables listing infant mortality rates, unemployment or dependency on social security Hughes 1991, p92. Photograph: Kevin McMahon THE ATTITUDE OF SOME SENIOR PARTY OFFICIALS may explain in part why so few women got involved in politics, let alone sought public office.

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