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Eastát Chaisleán Sheonach,  
Contae Loch Gorman,  
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Department of Agriculture,  
Fisheries and Food  
Johnstown Castle Estate,  
Co. Wexford,  
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To all Planners, Planning Agencies,  
Regional Inspectors, Area Superintendents  
and District Superintendents.

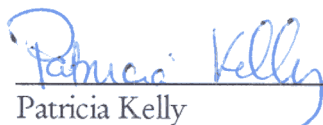
**Notification of Amendment to Circular 01/2009: Procedures and Syllabus for REPS 4 Training Courses**

Paragraph 4: Payment for Course Providers. The first paragraph of this section is amended as follows:

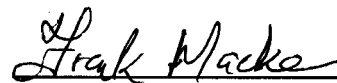
Payment for a 10-hour REPS 4 Appreciation Course is a maximum of €1,500 based on 25 participants who are current participants in a REPS scheme and are seeking payment for attending the course. When less participants successfully complete the course, the payment shall be reduced on a pro-rata basis: e.g. in a 10-hour course with 19 participants, the payment due shall be  $€1500/25 \times 19 = €1,140$ . When more than 25 people successfully complete the course the maximum rate will be applied.

Where a course provider believes that a potential participant in REPS would benefit from attending an Appreciation Course, he/she should make a submission outlining why participation is required. Submission can be made by post to REPS Training, REPS Division, Department of Agriculture, Fisheries & Food, Johnstown Castle, Co. Wexford or by e-mail to [restraining@agriculture.gov.ie](mailto:restraining@agriculture.gov.ie).

This amendment will take effect from 21st January 2010.



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