

# **CONSULTATIVE GROUP ON THE PAST**

The Consultative Group on the Past is an independent group established in June 2007 to seek a consensus across the community in Northern Ireland on the best way to deal with the legacy of the past.

The group is co-chaired by Denis Bradley, the first vice-chairman of the Northern Ireland Policing Board, and Lord Robin Eames, the former Archbishop of Armagh. The group is working towards making recommendations, by summer 2008, to the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, on steps that might be taken to support Northern Ireland society in building a shared future that is not overshadowed by the events of the past.

## **HAVE YOU A VIEW ON HOW THAT SHARED FUTURE MIGHT BE ACHIEVED?**

**The group is seeking submissions, from individuals or groups on their:**

- Perspective on the legacy of the events of the past 40 years;**
- Views on any lessons to be learned; and**
- Suggestions on the steps that might be taken to support Northern Ireland society in building a shared future that is not overshadowed by the events of the past.**

Submissions should be in writing and sent to:

**Secretary to the Consultative Group on the Past**

**20 Adelaide Street, Belfast BT2 8GD**

Or by email: [secretary@cgpni.org](mailto:secretary@cgpni.org)

**SUBMISSIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY 7 DECEMBER 2007**

**If you would like to meet with the Group please advise the Secretary to the Group by no later than 5 October 2007**

***"Independent community consultation on the past, supporting the people of  
Northern Ireland in the creation of a shared future for everyone"***