Dear Colleague,

Our friends in St Patrick’s Credit Union have been looking at the possibility of having a monthly car draw for members and whether there would be sufficient interest among the general membership to make such a venture viable.

In order to make it viable there would need to be a commitment from members to sign up to the draw in sufficient numbers to make it a viable proposition. Retired staff make up nearly 50% of the total Credit Union membership of 11,500 members so the number of sign-ups from retired staff would determine the success or otherwise of the proposed draw.

We are looking for feedback from retired staff to determine their level of interest. Please consider the following questions

***1.       Would you subscribe to St Patricks Credit Union Car Draw ?***

***2.       Would you be interested if the annual cost of the draw was about €50 ?***

***3.      Which way would you prefer to have the subscription collected?***

***(a) Once-off payment per year from shares***

***(b) Monthly/weekly deduction from shares***

The draw would be an opportunity for the Credit Union to engage more with the membership and also an opportunity for members to participate in a monthly car draw with a chance for one member to win that big prize. Nissan has been chosen as the supplier for the first 12 months because of its stakeholder involvement with ESB (E-car) and its wide selection of models. The prize would not necessarily be an electric car but the winner would have a choice of cars of the same value. There would also be an option to take a cash prize instead of the car.

Please send an email to or call Simon or Carol (address below) in the Credit Union if you are interested in participating in the draw or indicate your interest to a member of your local branch committee.

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Regards,

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