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# CIEH NORTHERN IRELAND REGION NEWSLETTER

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further details visit  
[www.cieh.org/conference\\_2007](http://www.cieh.org/conference_2007)*

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## Northern Ireland goes smoke-free

30 April 2007

The CIEH Northern Ireland Regional Management Board congratulates all those EHOs on the smoke-free environments project team and other officers in a supporting role whose hard work has ensured that workplaces in Northern Ireland have become smoke-free from 30 April 2007.

Well done to all those involved.

## Best of the Best – back to basics

15/16 October 2007

### An event for anyone practicing environmental health

In a departure from previous years, for 2007 the CIEH will no longer be holding one annual conference but two! In response to members' needs CIEH will hold a more practice based conference on 15-16 October 2007. It aims to help EHPs in their everyday work and will take place in Nottingham.

The CIEH Northern Ireland Region has a bursary to send 3 members to this conference and will cover the costs of registration fee and contribute £100 towards travel and subsistence.

If you have an expression of interest to attend this conference using this funding please contact Donna Drummond on 02890243884 or by emailing her on [d.drummond@cieh.org](mailto:d.drummond@cieh.org) by 21 September 2007.

First come, first served will apply!

## Reconditioned computer software

Faxes/Lap Top/Printers

### Take five minutes and have a look....

We are calling all members to have a look around their home for any computers, faxes, laptop or printers etc that are gathering dust and no longer in use.

Currently the CIEH Northern Ireland Region can take this hardware and have it reconditioned and shipped out to other countries that are in vital need of this type of equipment.

Contact Steve Cooper on 07721 664004 for further details.

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## Tanzania

### Study Tour

There has been an environmental health link between Northern Ireland and Tanzania dating back for many years, but particularly in the last ten years this link has been strengthened between the two professional bodies CIEH Northern Ireland Region and Chamata, The Association of Tanzanian Environmental Health Officers.

During 2007/2008 CIEH Northern Ireland hope to have a study visit to Tanzania, any member interested in using their skills regarding guest lecturing or working over a longer period of time should contact Miss Donna Drummond at our office at 123 York Street and outline what contribution you could make toward supporting our fellow officers in Tanzania.

In order to maintain this collaborative linkage we need your input and support to develop the exchange of knowledge and expertise and we look forward to hearing from members regarding their ideas.

## Membership

When was the last time you had a look?

We are asking every member with access to a computer to take five minutes of their time to register their details on the CIEH website at [www.cieh-nireland.org/centre.asp](http://www.cieh-nireland.org/centre.asp).

The CIEH Northern Ireland will be updating its site shortly, if you have any ideas or contributions for the website we would love to hear from you, especially students.

Do you have any details of members retiring, promotions or new appointments in Northern Ireland, if so why not email Nick Warburton with your news to [n.warburton@cieh.org](mailto:n.warburton@cieh.org).

## CIEH NI Regional Management Board

### Elections

Ballot papers will be posted to all members shortly please ensure you use your vote by completing same!

## Practical Drainage Training Course

5 November 2007 and repeated again on 6 November 2007

Venue, Castlereagh Borough Council  
**Starts both days 09.15 finishes 16.45**

Fees include refreshments etc and you will gain CPD accredited hours... Further details will be sent with your joining instructions, flyer attached.

## Have your say...

If you wish to make a contribution to the next magazine, we would love to hear from you...