**CIVIL DEFENCE VOLUNTEER CONSULTATION QUESTIONNAIRE**

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**Q1.** Is Civil Defence involved in activities/services that it should **NOT** be involved in and which are **NOT** consistent with the Governments 2015 White Paper on Defence?

**Q2.** Are thereactivities/services that Civil Defence is **NOT** involved in, which it **SHOULD** be involved in and which are consistent with the Governments 2015 White Paper on Defence?

**Q3.** Are the services/activities that Civil Defence currently provides, displacing other voluntary organisations (e.g. Irish Red Cross or Order of Malta), the retained fire service and/or private sector activity?

**Q4.** The 2015 White Paper talks about **community support** and the limits to the support that can be provided and states that *“in the continued development and support of Civil Defence, the White Paper places* ***emergency supports*** *as the priority task of Civil Defence”*.

Is it possible to achieve both objectives and/or could improvements be made, if so, how?

**Other Comments**

Can Civil Defence Branch put your submission in its entirety, up on the Civil Defence website [www.civildefence.ie](http://www.civildefence.ie) (please circle) Yes / No.

Completed submission forms can be:

* Placed in the box provided on the night;
* Posted to Policy & Planning, Civil Defence, Benamore, Roscrea, Co Tipperary; or
* Emailed to [cdvolsubmissions@defence.ie](mailto:cdvolsubmissions@defence.ie)

**Closing date for receipt of volunteer submissions is 14 December 2018**

**Thank you for taking the time to make a submission**