

Quarterly Report on the Screening of Policies in Accordance with Section 75 of the Northern Ireland Act 1998

Jan - Mar 2025

Policy	New / Revised Policy	Policy Aim	Brief Description	Screening Outcome
<b>Customer First Strategy</b>	New	The aim of the strategy is to provide customers with an inclusive, aspirational, unique physical and virtual library experience.	<p>The objective is to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• create a unique customer experience</li> <li>• promote brand loyalty and ensure library use becomes a 'habit'</li> <li>• increase and retain an active customer base reflective of the NI population</li> <li>• increase participation in library programming, events and activities</li> <li>• widen access to library spaces, facilities, resources and collections</li> </ul>	Screened out for EQIA without mitigation
<b>Reader and Reader Development Strategy</b>	Revised	The aim of this strategy is to foster a love of reading, to promote the benefits of reading and enhance the reading experience for people of all ages.	This document sets out Libraries NI's strategy in relation to the reading and reader development for all for the period 2024 to 2027.	Screened out for EQIA without mitigation

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<b>Freedom of Information Policy</b>	Revised	To support openness and ensure compliance with the Freedom of Information Act (2000).	Details how libraries NI will ensure an open and consistent approach to the provision of information regarding its aims and activities.	Screened out for EQIA without mitigation
<b>Filming Policy</b>	Revised	The policy aims to ensure positive media coverage to promote libraries, library services and the resources that are available.	The policy sets out Libraries NI's approach to filming in library locations and lists the conditions under which filming may be carried out.	Screened out for EQIA without mitigation

The screening documentation can be viewed in the **Equality** section of our website: [Quarterly Screening Outcome Report Jan-Mar 2025](#)

The policies can be viewed in the **Policies and Procedures** section of our website: [Policies and Procedures](#)

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