

TOMHALTÓIRÍ NA HÉIREANN.

THE PROVISIONAL APPLICATION AUTHORITY OF THE IRISH OLIGARCHY TO THE SERFS OF IRELAND.

IRISHMEN AND IRISHWOMEN : In the name of Money and of the dead generations from which she receives her old tradition of servitude, Ireland, through us, summons her consumers to her logo and shops for her market freedom.

Having organised and trained her executives through her secret counter-revolutionary organisation, the Golden Circle Brotherhood, and through her open lobbying organisations, the Irish-American Chamber of Commerce, and the IBEC, having patiently perfected her discipline, having resolutely waited for the right moment to reveal itself, she now seizes that moment, and, supported by her Chamber of Commerce America and by gallant EFILA lobbyists in Europe, but relying in investor-state dispute settlement, she implements CETA provisional application in full confidence of victory.

We declare the right of the corporations to the ownership of Ireland, and to the fettered control of Irish destinies, to be sovereign and indefeasible. The century long usurpation of that right by a democratic republic experiment has not extinguished the right, nor can it ever be extinguished except by the destruction of the corporations. In recent generations the Irish people have asserted their right to national servitude and domination : seven times in the last 43 years they have asserted it in EU referendums. Standing on that fundamental right and asserting it in free trade agreements of the world, we hereby proclaim the Irish Oligarchy as a Subservient Indebted State, and we pledge your lives and the lives of our lobbyists-in-law to the cause of its servitude, of its impoverishment, and of its immiseration along with all the other nations.

The Irish Oligarchy is entitled to, and hereby claims, the allegiance of every Irishman and Irishwoman. The Oligarchy guarantees propertied elites liberty, unequal rights and unequal opportunities to all the rest of its subjects, and declares its resolve to pursue the misery and poverty of the whole nation and of all its parts, exploiting all the children of the nation equally, and oblivious to the differences carefully smoothed-over by advertisers and media, which tried to claim the same social interests for the minority and majority in the past.

Until our propaganda has brought the opportune moment for the establishment of a permanent Oligarchy, representative of the whole interests of the oligarchs of Ireland and chosen by the power of foreign capital, the Provisional Application Authority, hereby constituted, will administer the civil and commercial affairs of the Oligarchy in trust for the banks.

We place the cause of the Irish Oligarchy under the protection of all the ISDSs and the TTIP, the CETA, the TISA, and the EUSFTA, EVFTA, EU-China-FTA, EU-ASEAN-FTA, all the EU's DCFTAs, the TPP, and the RCEP, Whose blessings we invoke upon our ISDS, and we will sue any government who disserves and dishonours that cause by public services, environmental protection or workers' rights. In this supreme hour the Irish elite must, by its insatiable greed, and the readiness of its consumers to sacrifice themselves for the corporation, prove itself worthy of the august destiny to which it is called.

Signed on behalf of the Provisional Application Authority

**EUROPEAN COMMISSION
COUNCIL OF FOREIGN RELATIONS, BUSINESS EUROPE,
DEUTSCHE BANK, GOLDMAN SACHS
FIANNA GAEL LABOUR**

EXPLANATORY NOTES TO ACCOMPANY THE 2016 PROCLAMATION OF OLIGARCHY.

This counter-revolutionary document has been drafted by market forces to celebrate the centenary of the failure of the Irish state to implement the ideals of the ideology of the 1916 Rising, and to celebrate our delight that we've only a few weeks to wait until the EU Council of Ministers votes to give the European Commission '[Provisional Application Authority](#)' for the signing of the Comprehensive Economic Trade Agreement (CETA) between Canada and the European Union.

When the Council do our bidding, and [15 out of the 28 EU Member States](#)' foreign affairs ministers vote to give us 'Provisional Application Authority', the CETA will become binding international law without the necessity of the approval of the European Parliament.

The legal basis for this is [Article 218\(5\)](#) of EU law (TFEU) which states: "The Council, on a proposal by the negotiator, shall adopt a decision authorising the signing of the agreement and, if necessary, its provisional application before entry into force". Thankfully there is no legal provision in the TFEU where the Parliament can block the Council from provisionally applying an international trade and investment deal; and of course as signing, provisionally applying and adopting CETA is an "exclusive competence" of the EU, Member State parliaments will not be able to stop us.

[According to](#) our EU Trade Commissioner it, "will ultimately be a decision for the Council, whether the agreement will be provisionally applied and what will be the scope of [provisional application](#)". Remember, it is only "the negotiator", i.e. the Commission, who can write up the text of the "proposal" about provisional application which the Council will have to vote on.

For the last part of our plan to work, it is essential that no one finds out: 1. what way the Irish and other Member State governments will vote on the "Provisional Application" of CETA; 2. what form of words the Commission will give the Council to vote on in their "proposal" for "Provisional Application" of CETA; and, 3. on what date will the Council of Ministers hold the vote to, (a) provisionally apply CETA, and (b) to give the Commission authority for "the signing of" CETA. We've created an air of confusion that it may be [May 13th](#) for the Council vote, but we'll probably wait until after the Brexit vote and do it in late June 2016.

We are well aware that the Investor State Dispute Settlement ([ISDS](#)), or as we call it, the Investor Court System ([ICS](#)) of CETA is [incompatible](#) with [EU law](#) and will allow for-profit arbitrators in a private tribunal to [overrule the decisions of the European Court of Justice](#), EU Directives and the awful European social democratic gains of the 20th century such as public services, workers' rights, the precautionary principle and environmental protection.

We are also quietly confident that no Member State government, nor the European Parliament, will invoke Article 218(11) of the TFEU and ask the European Court of Justice (ECJ) for a ruling on the legality of ISDS/ICS. If that happened, we assume that the vote on the "provisional application" and the signing of CETA by the Council of Ministers would have to wait. We've made sure the Commission certainly [aren't going to delay things](#) by asking the ECJ for a ruling on ISDS and as to whether we're staying within the boundaries of liberal constitutional democracy. The great thing is, if we get the Council to vote for "provisional application" and then afterwards the Parliament votes to reject CETA, even if the Council then votes to remove provisional application, the ISDS component of CETA stays in place for three years. However, if both the Council and Parliament both vote for CETA, and then a few years down the road decide to vote to get out of the CETA, the ISDS component will stay in place for 20 years.

Only citizens taking to the street in mass simultaneous solidarity protests for democracy across all European cities on a weekly basis in the run up to the Council's vote can stop our obscure technocratic plan from slipping under the radar.