

## **Money Mule Awareness Campaign**

Proposed by TUDSU

**An Comhairle Notes** a money mule is an individual who allows their account to be used for the transfer of other's stolen or illegal money.

**An Comhairle Further Notes** that those aged 18-24, of which many are students, are the most commonly targeted age group by organised crime gangs to act as money mules.

**An Comhairle Regrets** that penalties for this crime include a prison sentence of up to 14 years, a criminal conviction with a lifetime criminal record, extradition to the country where the predicate crime occurred, and not being permitted to open another bank account.

**An Comhairle Mandates** the VP for Welfare and VP for Campaigns to run an awareness campaign on the dangers of working as a money mule, particularly for third level students.