

# STANDARD PROFESSIONAL CONTRACT - IRISH FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION



This document is a contract of employment between the player and the club (the "Agreement"). The agreement is made up of the Player Registration Key Terms in part 1 and the Terms and Conditions in part 2 and contains a statement of the applicable terms as required by Article 33 Employment Rights (NI) Order 1996. The player and the club are defined as those that are described on page 1 below.

## PART 1 - PLAYER REGISTRATION KEY TERMS

*All fields are mandatory. No fields should be left blank. If something is not applicable, please indicate with N/A*

1 - Player Information	
Player's full name	
Player's home address	
Player's place of birth (Town, City, Country)	
Player's date of birth	
Player's email address (or Parent/Guardian email address for Under 18's)	
Club last registered for (and country)	
Club last played for (and country)	
Player's national insurance number	
2 - Club Information	
Club's name	Football Club
Club's registered name (if registered at Companies House)	
Club's registration number (if registered at Companies House)	
Club's registered address (if registered at Companies House)	
Club's home ground (name & address)	
Club's regular training ground (name & address) - if different from home ground	
Name and job title of club representative	
Club representative's email address	
3 - Player Status & Duration of Contract	
Professional Status	Part-time Professional <input type="checkbox"/> Full-time Professional <input type="checkbox"/>
Contract start date (DD/MM/YYYY)	
Contract end date (DD/MM/YYYY)	
Date first signed as a professional with your club (DD/MM/YYYY)	
Does this contract include an agreed option to extend? Option clause gives the right (but not the obligation) to extend the existing contract. Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
If yes, who holds the right to exercise the option to extend? Club <input type="checkbox"/> Player <input type="checkbox"/> Mutual <input type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/>	
The club confirms that the option to extend this contract has been uploaded to Comet as a Contract Annex. Yes <input type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/>	
The club confirms that any existing Relegation Clause has been uploaded to Comet as a Contract Annex. Yes <input type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/>	

#### 4 - Guaranteed Basic Salary *Complete one option below*

Player salary £                      gross per month     per fortnight     per week     (tick as appropriate)

Payment date	1. _____ day of each month with the first payment on _____ (DD/MM/YYYY)
	2. _____ of each month with the first payment on _____ (DD/MM/YYYY)
	3. _____ of each week with the first payment on _____ (DD/MM/YYYY)
	4. _____ of every second week, with the first payment on _____ (DD/MM/YYYY)

Payment Frequency	_____ Weeks    or    _____ Months per season	Gross Salary Per Season
Season 20____/ 20____	£_____ from (DD/MM/YYYY)_____ until (DD/MM/YYYY)_____	£_____
Season 20____/ 20____	£_____ from (DD/MM/YYYY)_____ until (DD/MM/YYYY)_____	£_____
Season 20____/ 20____	£_____ from (DD/MM/YYYY)_____ until (DD/MM/YYYY)_____	£_____
Season 20____/ 20____	£_____ from (DD/MM/YYYY)_____ until (DD/MM/YYYY)_____	£_____
Season 20____/ 20____	£_____ from (DD/MM/YYYY)_____ until (DD/MM/YYYY)_____	£_____

#### 5 - Contractual Performance Bonuses & Incentives

The examples listed below are illustrative and not exhaustive, and all bonuses and incentives must be fully detailed in this section. Type of bonus / incentive, details and amount, and date payable on or before must be included.

- Appearance fee • Win bonus • Goal bonus • Clean sheet bonus • Cup win bonus • League position bonus
- European qualification / progression bonus

#### 6 - Contractual Benefits

The examples listed below are illustrative and not exhaustive, and all other contractual benefits must be fully detailed in this section. Types of other contractual benefits, details and amount, and date payable on or before must be included.

- Housing allowance or accommodation provided • Relocation allowance • Car or car allowance • Gym or fitness club membership
- Signing on fee • Loyalty Bonus • Medical Insurance • Match tickets

## 7 - Licenced FIFA Agent

Was a licenced FIFA Agent engaged by either the club or the player in the negotiating or concluding of this employment agreement? YES  NO

Name of Player Agent	FIFA Licence Number	Player Agent signature
Name of Club Agent	FIFA Licence Number	Club Agent signature

## 8 - Declarations and signatures

### The club confirms that:

1. This contract of employment is complete, accurate, and complies with all applicable league and governing body regulations.
2. It has verified and confirmed that the player meets all necessary immigration, visa, and residency requirements as stipulated by the Home Office and other relevant authorities to legally reside and/or work in Northern Ireland.
3. All terms and conditions have been clearly explained to the player.
4. The club signing representative, as identified in Section 2 and below, is authorised to bind the club to this agreement.
5. All financial payments and contractual benefits accruing to the player from the club (excluding any discretionary benefits that may be provided under clause 24) are fully outlined in this contract of employment and no other contract between the club and player exists.
6. It is the employer and is solely responsible for compliance with employment law, including minimum wage and statutory holiday entitlement and pay.
7. It acknowledges that IFA registration of this contract does not confirm legal compliance and that the Club remains solely liable for any breach of employment law.
8. An electronic copy of the completed contract of employment (Parts 1 & 2) and any option to extend agreement and/or relegation clause will be provided to the player's email address as detailed in Section 1.

Signed by club representative	In the presence of witness
Signature	Signature
Name	Name
Position	
Date (DD/MM/YYYY)	Date (DD/MM/YYYY)

### The player confirms that:

1. I consent to be registered as a professional player by the club.
2. I have read, understood, and agree to all terms and conditions of this contract of employment.
3. All information I have provided to the club is accurate and complete.
4. I am free to enter into this contract of employment and am not bound by any conflicting contracts or registrations.
5. I have had the opportunity to seek independent advice before signing this contract of employment.
6. All financial payments and other provisions I will receive from the club are fully outlined in this contract of employment, and no other contract exists between the club and myself.
7. I have provided my current email address, as detailed in Section 1, for the purpose of receiving an electronic copy of the completed contract of employment (Parts 1 & 2), together with any option to extend agreement and/or relegation clause.

Signed by the player	In the presence of witness
Signature	Signature
Name	Name
Date (DD/MM/YYYY)	Date (DD/MM/YYYY)

## 9 - To be completed if the player is under the age of 18 on the date of signing

Parent / Guardian name	
Parent / Guardian signature	
Date (DD/MM/YYYY)	