

Information communicated by Member States regarding State aid granted under Commission Regulation (EU) No 651/2014 of 17 June 2014 declaring certain categories of aid compatible with the internal market in application of Articles 107 and 108 of the Treaty (Text with EEA relevance)

Aid number	SA.46763 (2016/X)
Member State	United Kingdom
Member State reference number	
Name of the Region (NUTS)	NORTHERN IRELAND -
Granting authority	Northern Ireland Tourist Board NITB, St Anne's Court, 59 North Street, Belfast BT1 1NB
Title of the aid measure	HMS Caroline - November 2016 revision
National legal basis (Reference to the relevant national official publication)	Tourism Development Scheme (TDS) (Tourism (Financial Assistance) Scheme 1992 (http://www.legislation.gov.uk/nisi/1992/235/contents) The European Communities Act (1972) (http://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukpga/1972/68/section/2)
Type of measure	Ad hoc aid
Amendment of an existing aid measure	Modification SA.41015
Date of granting	From 07.10.2016
Economic sector(s) concerned	Libraries; archives; museums and other cultural activities
Type of beneficiary	Only large enterprises
Overall amount of the ad hoc aid awarded to the undertaking	GBP 4 5200 (in millions)
For guarantees	-
Aid Instrument (Art. 5)	Direct grant/ Interest rate subsidy
Reference to the Commission decision	-
If co-financed by Community funds	

Objectives	Maximum aid intensity in % or Maximum aid amount in national currency	SME-bonuses in %
Aid for culture and heritage conservation (Art. 53)	100 %	

<p>Web link to the full text of the aid measure</p> <p>http://www.tourismni.com/globalassets/grow-your-business/funding-schemes/funding-hms-caroline---state-aid_03112016.pdf;</p> <p>http://www.nmrn.org.uk/exhibitions-projects/hms-caroline</p>
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