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DURKAN SUPPORTS VICTIMS' COMMISSIONERS

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SDLP Leader and Foyle MP Mark Durkan MLA has said that regardless of the rights and wrongs of moving from an advertised vacancy for one commissioner to the appointment of four, we must all give the fullest possible support to the people who are now tasked with taking the work forward.

Mr. Durkan said:

“All four newly-appointed commissioners are very worthy people who will serve well.

“While there is a danger that certain commissioners could be perceived as representing victims from particular constituencies, we must now work to dismantle that perception to ensure that those difficulties do not compound the challenge they face.

“We now need to move on for the sake of the victims. It is now time to get on with the serious business of addressing their needs.”

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