

Suggested amended RIC 5 Principles agreed at RSP meeting, 21.11.12

- 1) For the Republican Sovereignty of the People living in Scotland – Opposition to the anti-democratic UK state and its Crown Powers**
- 2) For a Constituent Assembly and a Democratic, Secular, Social, Inclusive, Environmentally Sustainable, Scottish Republic**
- 3) For equality and opposition to discrimination on grounds of sex, gender, sexuality, race, disability, or age**
- 4) For Social Justice – End to means testing, for universal social provision of health, care, education, housing, income, pensions, trade union rights , land reform and an end to environmental degradation**
- 5) For Internationalism from below - Opposition to imperialist wars, NATO and Trident and solidarity with the struggles for democracy, freedom, workers' rights, and self-determination in Wales, Ireland, England, Europe and across the world**

Existing RIC 5 Principles

We stand for a Scotland that is:

- a) For a social alternative to austerity and privatisation**
- b) Green and environmentally sustainable**
- c) A modern republic for real democracy**
- d) Committed to equality and opposition to discrimination on grounds of gender, race, disability, sexuality or age**
- e) Internationalist and opposed to war, NATO and Trident**

Amendment to proposed new 5 Principles form Glasgow RIC

"Add "ethnicity" to point 3 so that it reads:

- 3. For equality and opposition to discrimination on grounds of sex, gender, sexuality, race, ethnicity, disability, or age."**