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FUTURE GENERATIONS MUST BE PROTECTED FROM SCENES SIMILAR TO LA MON

DUP Strangford MP Iris Robinson has again sympathised with the victims of the La Mon massacre as the 30th anniversary of the horrific bombing approaches and spoke of her continued support for their needs. Following comments in the weekend press about the bombing which have been critical of the DUP, Mrs Robinson said,



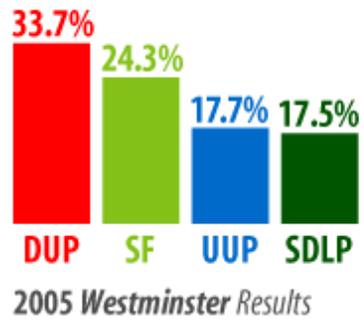
“The La Mon bombing was an absolute tragedy which has caused untold hurt for those involved.

As a political representative for the area I have raised the issue at Westminster and I also sit on Castlereagh Borough Council’s La Mon Committee which provides much needed resources for the victims including bursaries for young people in the Borough and also facilitates the memorial service each year.

The innocent victims of the Troubles have been sidelined for too long and the DUP has worked hard to redress this issue. Indeed, the establishment of a Victims’ Commission and a boost in funding for victims is a signal of our continued delivery

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for those who suffered during the Troubles.

Real closure can only be brought for the victims of La Mon when those responsible for the crime face the full rigours of our justice system and I will not relent on that case regardless of who or where the perpetrators be.

I fully respect the sensitivities of the victims and will continue to represent their needs and I certainly would not want to add in any way to the trauma on the 30th anniversary.

The great challenge for everyone in Northern Ireland is to work to ensure that today's generation and future generations never face scenes or times similar to La Mon ever again. That is the challenge and that is what I am working towards."

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