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LOUTH COUNTY COUNCIL



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(REGIONAL ROADS SPEED LIMITS)

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Louth County Council in exercise of the powers conferred on them by section 9 of the Road Traffic Act 2004 (No. 44 of 2004), and with the consent of the National Roads Authority, hereby make the following bye-laws in respect of the area comprising the administrative area of the County of Louth, including the Borough Council of Drogheda, the Town Council of Dundalk and the Town Council of Ardee.

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| Short Title | 1. These bye-laws may be cited as the County of Louth Regional Roads Speed Limits Bye-Laws, 2005. |
| Commencement | 2. These bye-laws shall come into operation on the 6th day of January, 2006. |
| Interpretation | 3. In these bye-laws:

“the Act of 1993” means the Roads Act, 1993 (No. 14 of 1993);

“the Act of 2004” means the Road Traffic Act, 2004 (No. 44 of 2004);

“built up area” has the meaning assigned to it by the Act of 2004

“distance” means distance as measured along the centre-line of a road;

“the Minister” means the Minister for Transport;

“motorway” has the meaning assigned to it by the Act of 1993;

“national road” has the meaning assigned to it by the Act of 1993;

“perimeter road” means a road on and along the roadway of which there runs the boundary of a built up area;

“road” means a public road and includes a motorway; |

4. The special speed limit for mechanically propelled vehicles on the roads and motorways specified in the First Schedule to these bye-laws shall be 50 kilometres per hour.
5. The special speed limit for mechanically propelled vehicles on the roads and motorways specified in the Second Schedule to these bye-laws shall be 60 kilometres per hour.
6. The special speed limit for mechanically propelled vehicles on the roads and motorways specified in the Third Schedule to these bye-laws shall be 80 kilometres per hour.
7. The special speed limit for mechanically propelled vehicles on the roads and motorways specified in the Fourth Schedule to these bye-laws shall be 100 kilometres per hour.
8. The special speed limit for mechanically propelled vehicles on the roads and motorways specified in the Fifth Schedule to these bye-laws shall be 120 kilometres per hour.

FIRST SCHEDULE

None

SECOND SCHEDULE

None

THIRD SCHEDULE

None

FOURTH SCHEDULE

Roads and motorways in the County of Louth in respect of which a special speed limit of 100 kilometres per hour is prescribed.

1. Dundalk to Greenore Road, Regional Road R173, between its junction with the Dublin to Belfast Road at Ballymascanlan roundabout and a point 117 northeast of its junction with Marsh Road (LS-7088-0), Bellurgan;

and

Between a point 200 metres west of its junction with Jenkinstown Road, Bellurgan and a point 55 metres west of its junction with Annaloughan Road (LT-70833-0), Jenkinstown;

and

Between a point 35 metres west of its junction with Piedmont Road (LS-7078-0) and its junction with Regional Road R175 at Bush.

2. Dundalk to Greenore Road, Regional Road R175, between its junction with Regional Road R173 at Bush and a point 490 metres southwest of its junction with Euston Street.
3. Greenore to Carlingford Road, Regional Road R176, between its junction with Regional Road R175 at St. James's Well and a point 46 metres south-east of its junction with the Coast Road (LS-7065-0) at Shilties Lough.
4. The Drogheda to Dundalk Road, Regional Road R132 between a point 50 metres north of its junction with the Tinure Road (LS-6292-0) at Monasterboice and a point 80 metres south of its junction with the Collon Road (Regional Road R169) at Woodlands

and

Between a point from its junction with Regional Road R211 at Cappoge to a point 115 metres south of its junction with the Annagassan Road (LS-6217-0) in Kilsaran.

and

Between a point from a point 220 metres north of the Celtic Memorial Cross in Castlebellingham and a point 160 metres south of its junction with the Blackrock Road (Regional Road R172) at Greengates Cross

5. Regional Road R211, between its junction with Regional Road R170 at Mooremount and its junction with Regional Road R132 at Cappoge.

FIFTH SCHEDULE

None.