

**COMHAIRLE CHONTAE LUGHAÍ**

**LOUTH COUNTY COUNCIL**



**COUNTY OF LOUTH**

**(REGIONAL ROADS SPEED LIMITS)**

**BYE-LAWS, 2006**

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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, 2006.  |
| Commencement   | 2. These bye-laws shall come into operation on the 12th day of April 2006  |
| Interpretation | 3. In these bye-laws:<br><br>“the Act of 1993” means the Roads Act, 1993 (No. 14 of 1993);<br><br>“the Act of 2004” means the Road Traffic Act, 2004 (No. 44 of 2004);<br><br>“built up area” has the meaning assigned to it by the Act of 2004<br><br>“distance” means distance as measured along the centre-line of a road;<br><br>“the Minister” means the Minister for Transport;<br><br>“motorway” has the meaning assigned to it by the Act of 1993;<br><br>“national road” has the meaning assigned to it by the Act of 1993;<br><br>“perimeter road” means a road on and along the roadway of which there runs the boundary of a built up area;<br><br>“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. The Drogheda to Dundalk Road, Regional Road R132 between a point 1052 metres south of the Borough boundary to a point 72 metres south of its junction with (LT-60321-0) at Monasterboice.

**FIFTH SCHEDULE**

**None**