



An Coimisiún Pleanála
64 Marborough Street,
Dunblin 1
D01 V902

23rd June 2026

**Re: Application for the confirmation of the:
Donegal County Council, Burnfoot Flood Relief Scheme
Compulsory Purchase Order 2026.**

Dear Sir/Madam,

Donegal County Council made the Burnfoot Flood Relief Scheme, Compulsory Purchase Order 2026 on 11th June 2026, and hereby submits this Order to An Coimisiún Pleanála for confirmation under section 76 of and the Third Schedule to the Housing Act 1966 (as amended).

I enclose the following documents:

1. The “Donegal County Council Burnfoot Flood Relief Scheme, Compulsory Purchase Order 2026” (which includes the Deposit Maps and Schedules) duly sealed and dated (2 hard copies and 1 electronic copy on enclosed USB Flash Drives).
2. Chief Executive’s Order (including Appendixes) dated 11th June 2026 approving the making of the Burnfoot Flood Relief Scheme Compulsory Purchase Order 2026, and directing that the said Order, Schedules and Deposit Maps attached be signed and affixed with the seal of Donegal County Council, and that the necessary statutory advertisements and notices be published and served, in accordance with the Housing Act 1966(as amended) 2 hard copies and 1 electronic copies on enclosed USB Flash Drives (searchable by electronic means)).
3. Newspaper Notices published pursuant to Article 4(a) of the Third Schedule to the Housing Act 1966 (as amended) in the **Inishowen Independent** dated **23rd June 2026** 2 hard copies and 1 electronic copies on enclosed USB Flash Drives).
4. Donegal County Council confirms that Notices were served on all Owners, Lessees and Occupiers of land referred to in the Burnfoot Flood Relief Scheme Compulsory Purchase Order 2026 pursuant to Article 4(b) of the Third Schedule to the Housing

Act 1966 (as amended) by registered post on **19th June 2026**. We attach a copy of the type and form of notice served and a list of all those served by registered post.

The documents listed in items 1, 2 and 3 above can also be accessed on the following website at <https://countydonegalfrs.ie/burnfootfrs/> and at Donegal County Council's offices on the **1st July 2026 until 12th August 2026** at the following locations: .

- The offices of the Local Authority, County House, Lifford, F93 Y622
- The offices of the Local Authority, Public Services Centre, Carndonagh, F93 YV1N

A copy of the Environmental Impact Assessment Report and Natura Impact Statement was submitted to An Coimisiún Pleanála by Donegal County Council on **2nd June 2026** seeking approval for the Burnfoot Flood Relief Scheme under (ACP Reference-324342-26) Section 175 of the Planning and Development Act 2000 (as amended) and submitted at the time of making that application was an application fee of €30,000. Donegal County Council through correspondence (05/06/2026) with the Local Authority Planning section of An Coimisiún Pleanála have previously confirmed that there is no fee for the submission of Compulsory Purchase Order in this instance and note it here only for completeness and to ensure the relevant waiver is applied.

Should you have any queries in relation to the enclosed documentation, please contact:

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Yours faithfully,



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