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LEITRIM COUNTY COUNCIL

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SPECIAL SPEED LIMIT BYE-LAWS 2017
Leitrim County Council, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Section 9 of the Road Traffic Act, 2004 (No. 44 of 2004) and with the consent of Transport Infrastructure Ireland in respect of special speed limits on national roads, hereby makes the following bye-laws in respect of the area comprising the administrative County of Leitrim.

1. These bye-laws may be cited as the Road Traffic (Special Speed Limits) (County of Leitrim) Bye-Laws 2017.

2. These bye-laws shall come into operation on the ___ day of ____________ 2018.

3. In these bye-laws:

   “the Act of 1993” means the Roads Act, 1993 (No. 14 of 1993);
   “the Act of 2001” means the Local Government Act 2001 (No. 37 of 2001);
   “the Act of 2004” means the Road Traffic Act, 2004 (No. 44 of 2004);
   “the Act of 2014” means the Local Government Reform Act 2014 (No. 1 of 2014);
   “built-up area” has the meaning assigned to it by the Act of 2004;
   “built-up area speed limit” and “special speed limit” have the meanings respectively assigned to them in part 2 of the Act of 2004;
   “distance” means distance measured along the centre line of the road;
   “the Minister” means the Minister for Transport, Tourism and Sport;
   “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;
   “regional road” has the meaning assigned to it by the Act of 1993;
   “local road” has the meaning assigned to it by the Act of 1993;
   “public road” has the meaning assigned to it by the Act of 1993;
   “road” means a public road as defined in the Act of 1993 and includes a motorway;
   “Administrative County of Leitrim” means the County of Leitrim.
4. The special speed limits specified in these bye-laws are:

(i) Thirty (30) kilometers per hour  
(ii) Fifty (50) kilometers per hour  
(iii) Sixty (60) kilometres per hour  
(iv) Eighty (80) kilometers per hour  
(v) One Hundred (100) kilometers per hour  
(vi) Periodic speed limit of Fifty (50) kilometers per hour  

and these shall be the speed limits for mechanically propelled vehicles on that road or those roads specified in the schedule attached to these bye-laws.

5. The schedule attached to these bye-laws contains a list of the towns and villages and other locations on public roads within the County of Leitrim to which special speed limits apply. The particular speed limit zone and its location within the town or village or other location on a public road is described within this schedule and further described on the referenced map for that location attaching to the schedule.

6. The County of Leitrim Road Special Speed Limit Bye-Laws 2010 together with all subsequent revisions (2012, 2014, 2015) are hereby revoked with effect from the date of implementation of these 2017 bye-laws.

Made and Adopted by LEITRIM COUNTY COUNCIL under the Common Seal of the

COUNCIL on the __________ day of ______________________2018.

Present when the Seal of Leitrim County Council was affixed hereto

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