

**COMHAIRLE CHONTAE LONGFOIRT
LONGFORD COUNTY COUNCIL**

**IN THE MATTER OF THE PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT ACTS
2000-2010 AND IN THE MATTER OF THE HOUSING ACT 1966, THE
LOCAL GOVERNMENT (NO 2) ACT, 1960 AND THE ROADS ACTS 1993
TO 2007**

**FORM OF NOTICE OF A COMPULSORY PURCHASE ORDER SECTION 76
OF AND THE THIRD SCHEDULE TO THE HOUSING ACT, 1966, AS
EXTENDED BY SECTION 10 OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT (NO. 2)
ACT, 1960, TO BE PUBLISHED IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE 4 (a)
OF THE THIRD SCHEDULE TO THE HOUSING ACT, 1966, AS AMENDED
BY THE PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT ACTS, 2000 - 2010.**

COMPULSORY ACQUISITION OF LAND

**LONGFORD COUNTY COUNCIL COMPULSORY PURCHASE
(CLOONFIUGH BRIDGE) ORDER, 2011**

The Longford County Council (hereinafter referred to as “the local authority”) in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by section 76 of the Housing Act, 1966, and the Third Schedule thereto, as extended by section 10 of the Local Government (No. 2) Act, 1960 (as substituted by section 86 of the Housing Act, 1966), as amended by section 6 and the Second Schedule to the Roads Act, 1993 and as amended by Section 222 of the Planning and Development Act, 2000, and pursuant to the powers conferred on it by the Planning and Development Acts 2000-2010 have made an order entitled as above which is about to be submitted to An Bord Pleanála for confirmation. If confirmed, the order will authorise the local authority to acquire compulsorily the land described in the First Schedule hereto for the purposes of realignment of N63 and bridge replacement at Cloonfiugh, Killashee, Co Longford

Owners, lessees and occupiers of the land described in the Schedule will receive individual written notice.

The Order will also authorise the Local Authority to extinguish the public right of way described in the Second Schedule hereto, by order made by them after they have acquired the land, where the said Public Right of Way is over the land so acquired or any part thereof, or over land adjacent to or associated with the land so acquired or any part thereof.

Any objections to the extinguishing of the said public right of way should be made in writing to An Bord Pleanála, 64 Marlborough Street, Dublin 1, so as to reach the Board before 4pm on Wednesday 22nd February 2012.

The Board cannot confirm

- a) a compulsory purchase order in respect of land if an objection is made in respect of the acquisition by an owner, lessee or occupier of the land, and not withdrawn,
- b) an Order which authorises the extinguishment of a public right of way if there is an objection to the extinguishment, which is not withdrawn

until it has caused to be held an oral hearing into the matter and until it has considered the objection and the report of the person who held the oral hearing.

A copy of the order and of the map referred to in it may be seen at the offices of Longford County Council, Aras an Chontae, Infrastructural Services, Roads Department, Great Water Street, Longford between the hours of 9.00 a.m. and 1:00pm and 2:00pm to 5.00 p.m. Monday to Friday from Wednesday December 21st 2011 to Wednesday 22nd February 2012, excluding Public Holidays and the holiday period between December 24th 2011 and December 29th 2011.