



**15<sup>th</sup> January 2026**

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Yours sincerely,



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**15<sup>th</sup> January 2026**

## **Notice of Significant Further Information furnished to An Coimisiún Pleanála for Approval**

**RE: Section 177AE Galbally Bridge, Moorabbey, Co. Limerick**

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Further to Notice of Significant Further Information published on the 13<sup>th</sup> November 2025 relating to rehabilitation works on Galbally Bridge at Mooreabbey in Co. Limerick, for clarification, said notice contained a number of errors that require the publication of the below updated notice of Significant Further Information.

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 177AE of the Planning & Development Act 2000 (as amended) and the requirements of the Planning & Development Regulations 2001 (as amended), notice is hereby given that Limerick City and County Council has furnished to **An Coimisiún Pleanála** with significant further information with respect to the rehabilitation works on Galbally Bridge at Mooreabbey in Co. Limerick.

The significant further information consists of:

- Built Heritage Protected Structure
  - Architectural Heritage Impact Assessment Report & JCA Architects Report
  - Punch Consulting Engineers Report
  - Punch Consulting Engineers – Drawings of Existing and Proposed Bridge Details
- Daubenton's Bats Roosts, Disturbance of Otters and Issues related to Water Quality are addressed in the following reports;
  - Appropriate Assessment Report – Prepared by Ecology Research and Solutions
  - Ecology RFI Response – Prepared by Ecology Research and Solutions
- Construction & Environment Management Plan – Prepared by Punch Consulting Engineers

A copy of the plans and particulars will be available for inspection and/or purchase at a fee not exceeding the reasonable cost of making a copy, from 29<sup>th</sup> January 2026 up to and including 20<sup>th</sup> February 2026 during public opening hours (excluding bank holidays) at the following locations;

- By Appointment at Limerick City & County Council Offices, Dooradoyle Road, Limerick, V94WV78. Appointments must be arranged in advance by emailing Matthew Clark [matthew.clark@limerick.ie](mailto:matthew.clark@limerick.ie) or by contacting 061-556000
- Plans and particulars of the proposed development will also be available for inspection online during the above timeframes at <https://mypoint.limerick.ie>.
- The offices of An Coimisiún Pleanála, 64 Marlborough Street, Dublin 1, DO1 V902

Submissions or observations may be made to **Coimisiún Pleanála** on the proposed development in relation to:

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