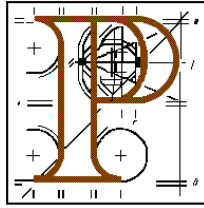


An Bord Pleanála



LOCAL GOVERNMENT (NO. 2) ACT, 1960

HOUSING ACT, 1966

PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT ACTS, 2000 TO 2016

An Bord Pleanála Reference Number: 15.CH3330

Louth County Council

APPLICATION received by An Bord Pleanála on the 2nd day of May, 2017 from Louth County Council pursuant to 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 (as substituted by section 86 of the Housing Act, 1966) and the Planning and Development Acts, 2000 to 2016, for confirmation of a compulsory purchase order dated the 6th day of April, 2017 authorising compulsory acquisition of lands and entitled **No. 17 Forest Edge, Drogheda Compulsory Purchase Order, 2017**.

DECISION

ANNUL the above compulsory purchase order based on the reasons and considerations set out below.

REASONS AND CONSIDERATIONS

Having regard to the letter on file submitted to An Bord Pleanála by the local authority dated the 9th May, 2017 seeking to withdraw the Compulsory Purchase Order, the Board considered that it would be appropriate to annul the Compulsory Purchase Order.

**Member of An Bord Pleanála
duly authorised to authenticate
the seal of the Board.**

Dated this day of 2017.