

*C. Carleton*

**Notice under Section 126 of the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended.**

ABP Case ID: 322336

**1. Section 126 Notice**

A Commission decision will not be made in this case before the expiration of the 18-week statutory objective period.

Reason: **Backlog of cases**

**Due to the necessity of the Commission to issue a notice**

A section 126 notice with a 'revised to' date of before the 10 weeks is approved subject to checking any recent correspondence not attached to file.

CO/DCA/DP/ADP/SAO *R. Jude* Date 25/8/25

**or K47 Authorisation**

A section 126 notice issued in this case setting a revised decide by date; however, a decision will not now be taken by the Commission before that revised date.

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A K47 letter is approved for issue in this case. Place a target date of \_\_\_\_\_ weeks on the database within which to decide this case subject to checking any recent correspondence not attached to the file.

CO/DCA/DP/ADP/SAO \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**2. EO: Please issue section 126 notice/ K47 letter as above to:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
SEO: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

*BP90*

**3. AA: Please prepare section 126 notice/ K47 letter as above to:**

All parties - New date before 3 November 2025

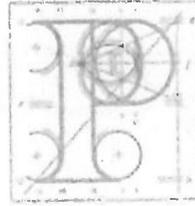
EO: *Cathy Carleton* Date 25/8/25

AA: *Lauren Murphy* Date 26-8-25



**Our Case Number:** ABP-322336-25

**Planning Authority Reference Number:** 2560055



**An  
Coimisiún  
Pleanála**

Mayo County Council  
Áras an Chontae  
The Mall  
Castlebar  
Co. Mayo

**Date:** 26 August 2025

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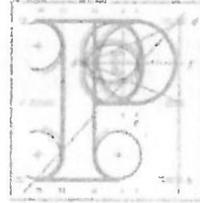
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**Your Reference:** McGraths Limestone Works Limited



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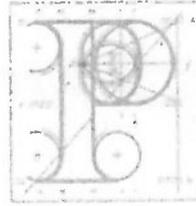
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