

30th October, 2015.

Deputy Alex White, TD Minister for Communication, Energy & Natural Resources, Leinster House, Kildare Street, Dublin 2

REF: 46307

Clondalkin Area Committee Meeting of South Dublin County Council held on RE: 21st October, 2015.

Dear Minister,

At the meeting of the Clondalkin Area Committee held on 21st October, 2015 the following motion was passed by the Members:

"That this committee write to the Minister of Communication Alex White and ask him to give a unique post code to Newcastle, Co. Dublin.

I would be obliged for your comments and responses as soon as possible to enable me to revert to the Committee.

Yours sincerely,

Staff Officer,

Operations,

Environment Water & Climate Change



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Ms. Breda Clifford,
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Tallaght, Dublin 24.

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Dear Ms. Clifford,

I refer to your correspondence of 30 October, 2015 regarding a motion passed by the members of the Clondalkin Area Committee Meeting of South Dublin County Council held on the 21st October 2015 requesting a unique post code for Newcastle, Co. Dublin.

In the case of postal addresses the routing key refers to the principal post town allocated by An Post. There is no scope in the Eircode system to change eircodes, once a routing key is assigned to a postal address it will not change. I understand the concerns of the residents in this area of Dublin but there is no scope to change eircodes. Once a routing key and eircode has been assigned to a postal address it will not change.

Yours sincerely,

Alex White T.D.

Minister for Communications, Energy and Natural Resources