



Forward Planning Section,  
Planning and Transportation Department,  
South Dublin County Council,  
County Hall,  
Tallaght,  
Dublin 24

22<sup>nd</sup> January 2026

**Re: Proposed Material Alterations to Variation No. 1 to the South Dublin County  
Development Plan 2022-2028:  
Draft Clondalkin Local Planning Framework**

Dear Sir/Madam

I refer to the above. The Department of Education and Youth wish to make the following submission to the proposed material alterations to Material Alterations to Variation No. 1 to the South Dublin County Development Plan 2022-2028.

The department has considered the above document. In reference to the proposed material amendments to the variation, the department notes the following.

**Material Alteration No. 10**

The department notes and welcomes this material alteration which proposes to insert a new Objective under CHE2: Education Facilities as follows *CHE2 Objective 4: To continue to engage with the Department of Education and Youth to support the provision of school accommodation for children and young people with special educational needs within Clondalkin as required to meet identified needs.*

The department acknowledges the crucial importance of the ongoing work of the Council in ensuring sufficient and appropriate land is zoned for educational needs. We look forward to continuing to work with you.

If you have any queries in respect of the above, please feel free to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

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