

**ROSCOMMON COUNTY COUNCIL**

**PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT ACT 2000 (as amended)**

**SECTION 5 - DECLARATION ON DEVELOPMENT AND EXEMPTED DEVELOPMENT**

**CHIEF EXECUTIVE'S ORDER**

Order No: PL/130/25

Reference Number: DED 809

Name of Applicant: Margaret Mary Gemma Holtkamp

Agent: DK Engineering

WHEREAS a question has arisen as to whether the conversion of an existing garage into a universal access wetroom and bedroom at Glenard, The Berries, Barrybeg, Athlone, Co. Roscommon, N37 X768, is or is not development and is or is not exempted development:

AND WHEREAS Roscommon County Council, in considering this application, had regard particularly to:

- (a) Sections 2, 3, 4 and 5 of the Planning and Development Act, 2000, as amended.
- (b) Articles 6 and 9 of the Planning and Development Regulations, 2001, as amended.
- (c) The record forwarded to Roscommon County Council in accordance with subsection (6)(c) of Section 5 of the Planning and Development Acts 2000 as amended.
- (d) The planning history of the site.

AND WHEREAS Roscommon County Council has concluded that:

- (a) The proposal constitutes "works", which comes within the scope of section 2(1) of the Planning & Development Act 2000 (as amended).
- (b) The proposal constitutes "development" which comes within the scope of section 3(1) of the Planning & Development Act 2000 (as amended).
- (c) The proposal is exempted development in accordance with the provisions set out under Sections 4(1)(h) and 4(1)(j) of the Planning & Development Act 2000 (as amended).
- (d) The proposed works and development, fall under a class of development listed in Schedule 2 of Part 1; Class 1 of Article 6.
- (e) The proposed development individually and in combination with other plans or projects would not be likely to have a significant effect on any European site and that the requirement for AA or EIAR does not apply with respect to the current case.

**NOW THEREFORE:**

By virtue of the powers vested in me by the Local Government Acts 1925 – 2024 and Section 5(2)(a) of the Planning and Development Act 2000 (as amended) and having considered the various submissions and reports in connection with the application described above, it is hereby declared that the said development to convert an existing garage into a universal wetroom and bedroom at Glenard, The Berries, Barrybeg, Athlone, Co. Roscommon, N37 X768, is development that is **exempted development** as defined within the Planning and Development Act 2000 (as amended) and associated Regulations.

Signed on behalf of the Council:

Signed:   
Alan O'Connell,  
Senior Executive Planner,  
Planning.

Date: 04 February, 2025.