

Electoral Area Boundary Committee
Room 2.03,
Custom House,
Dublin 1.

Re: Longford County Electoral Area Review

At present Longford has 4 electoral areas in the county as follows with the number of currently registered electors for each area shown below:

Ballymahon	6 seats	8,318 electors
Drumlish	3 seats	3,762 electors
Granard	5 seats	6,495 electors
Longford	7 seats	9,249 electors

The current levels of representation are largely balanced across each of the existing local electoral areas

With a view to the new recommendations that an area as determined should not be less than 4 or more than 7 seats and preserving natural communities (parish identity) or hinterlands of population centres **we propose the following in order to retain the parish of Mostrim as a unit within an electoral area:**

Ballymahon Area: remains the same with 6 seats

Longford Area: to remain with 7 seats

1) To lose to the Drumlish area

Cloonee (population 680, as per 2006 census)

2) To lose to the Granard area

part of Corboy which is in the parish of Edgeworthstown
(population 120, as per 2006 census).

- 3) To gain from Drumlish Area-

Breanrisk (population 711, as per 2006 census)

Granard Area: To become a 4 seater

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Lislea (population 152, as per 2006 census)

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Signed

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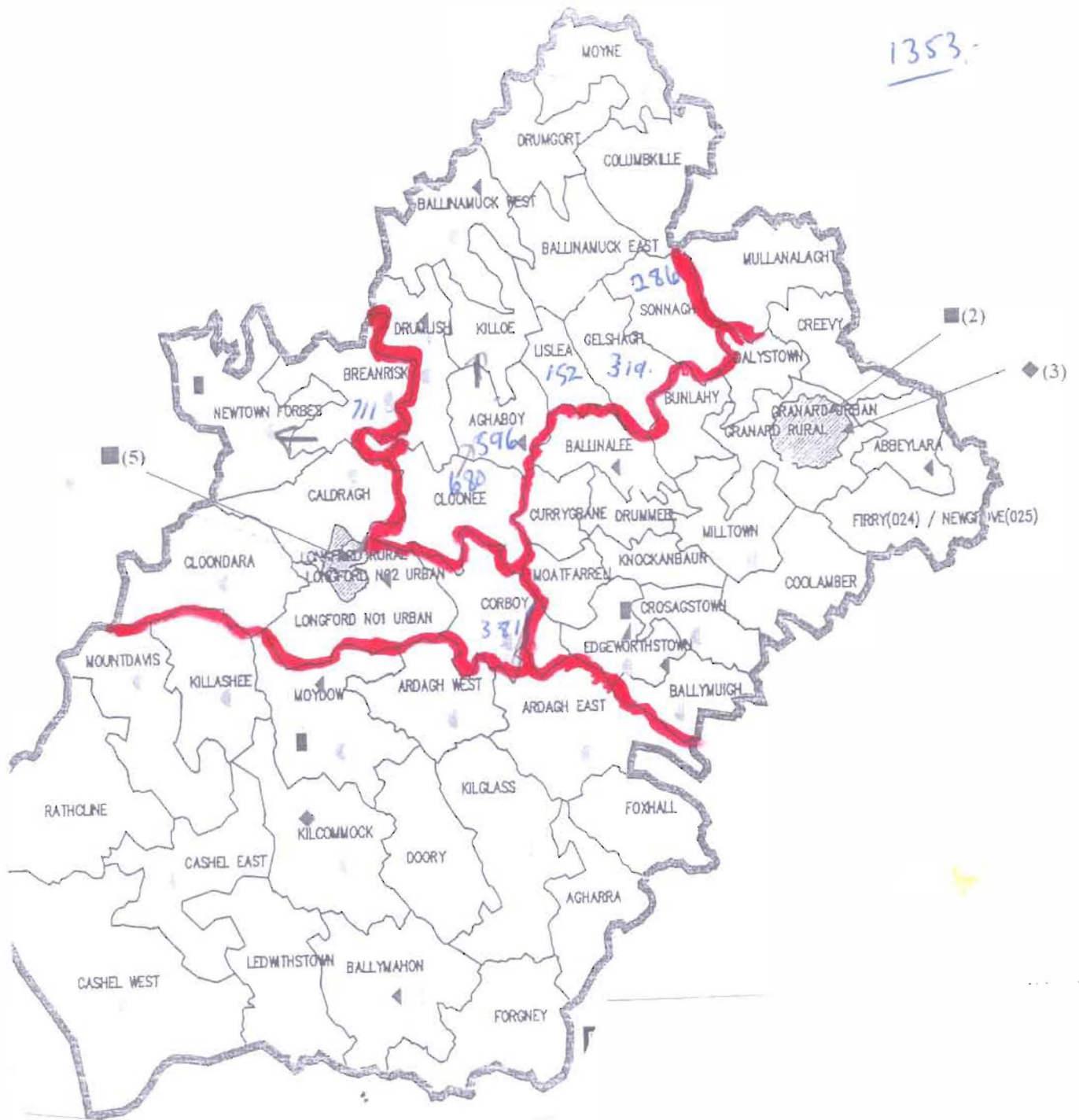
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Existing Electoral Areas

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Proposed New Electoral Areas



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