

**CONSULTATION – BOUNDARY COMMISSION FOR NORTHERN IRELAND**

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	Department for Communities	Consequential Amendments Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2018	30 June 2018
	<p>The Department is seeking views on the draft Local Government (Consequential Amendments) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2018 (the draft Regulations).</p> <p>The draft Regulations are a technical piece of legislation and will provide for the amendment of legislation that has been impacted as a consequence of local government reform legislation. In addition to a number of technical amendments being made on behalf of the Department for Communities, the Department for Infrastructure has asked that the draft Regulations also include amendments in respect of the following on its behalf:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• a change to local government representation in respect of the Drainage Council;</li> <li>• the updating of various harbour and related orders to refer to new councils, specifically: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Mid and East Antrim Borough Council;</li> <li>○ Causeway Coast and Glens Borough Council;</li> <li>○ Newry, Mourne and Down District Council;</li> <li>○ Derry City and Strabane District Council;</li> <li>○ Ards and North Down Borough Council;</li> <li>○ Antrim and Newtownabbey Borough Council</li> <li>○ Belfast City Council; and</li> </ul> </li> <li>• a technical amendment in respect of the Planning Act (Northern Ireland) 2011.</li> </ul>		

A consultation document has been placed on the Department for Communities website and can be accessed at this link:

<https://www.communities-ni.gov.uk/consultations/draft-local-government-consequential-amendments-regulations-northern-ireland-2018> .

**Note: Copies of the consultation can be obtained from Democratic Services**