

Derry City & Strabane  
District Council

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**Clean Neighbourhoods and  
Environment (Northern Ireland) Act 2011**

**The Dog Control Orders**

**(Prescribed offences and penalties, etc.)  
Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2012  
(S.R. 2012 No. 114)**

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Notice is hereby given that Derry City and Strabane District Council intends to make a Dog Control Order pursuant to part 5 of the Clean Neighbourhoods and Environment (Northern Ireland) Act 2011.

Offence: The proposed Order relates to the fouling of lands by dogs and the removal of dog faeces. It will replace the current provisions within the Litter (NI) Order 1994 in respect of permitting a dog to foul. Any person who without reasonable excuse breaches the Order shall be guilty of an offence and liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding £1,000. A person shall not have committed an offence if he can prove that the owner, occupier, or other person having control of the land has consented to his breaching the Order.

Land in respect of which the Order is to apply: The Order will apply to all land within the Derry City and Strabane District Council administrative boundary. It applies to all land which is open to the air and to which the public are entitled or permitted to have access (with or without payment).

The Order will not apply to land held by the Department of Agriculture and Rural Development for the purposes of any of its functions under the Forestry Act (Northern Ireland) 2010.

Inspecting the Order: The proposed Order, and the map outlining the area to which the Order will apply, may be inspected free of charge on Derry City and Strabane District Councils website ([www.derrycityandstrabanedistrict.com](http://www.derrycityandstrabanedistrict.com)) or at the Council Offices, 98 Strand Road, Derry, BT48 7NN or 47 Derry Road, Strabane, BT82 8DY between 9am and 5.15pm Monday- Friday.

Representations: If any person wishes to make a representation in respect of the proposed Order, then they may do so no later than 28 days after the date of the publication of this Notice.

Representations should be in writing or by email by Monday 20th July 2015 to:  
The Dog Control Service,  
Derry City and Strabane District Council Offices,  
98 Strand Road, Derry Road, BT48 7NN. Email:  
[dogcontrol@derrycityandstrabanedistrict.com](mailto:dogcontrol@derrycityandstrabanedistrict.com)

Dated this 22nd June 2015  
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Director of Health and Communities

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**[derrycityandstrabanedistrict.com](http://derrycityandstrabanedistrict.com)**  
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