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Lisburn & Castlereagh City Council seek consideration of a modification in respect of Policy TC6 (Page 58 draft Plan Strategy Part 2, SUBDOC-002).

Council Response

- Remove criteria A to Policy TC6 (Page 58 draft Plan Strategy Part 2, SUBDOC-002).
- Second last paragraph of Policy TC6 amend as follows:
 'An exception may be permitted for proposals on the trunk road network in the countryside, subject to compliance with the above policy criteria and where it is demonstrated a clear need for the facility exists that cannot be provided within a defined settlement limit.'
- Addition of a footnote to Policy TC6 to clarify the definition of the trunk road network. Suggested footnote to read 'The trunk road network is defined in the Regional Strategic Transport Network Transport Plan (RSTNTP) 2015 or as amended.'

Dfl Response

The Department has no objection to this amendment. We would however seek a change to the footnote to read: *As designated by virtue of Article 14 of The Roads (Northern Ireland) Order 1993. Details of Trunk Roads can be obtained from the Department for Infrastructure - Eastern Roads Division.

We seek this change as there may, or may not, be changes in the Trunk Road Network from the publication of the forthcoming RSTNTP 2035 and the LDP review. These would not be reflected in point in time maps/text.