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Hello .... I wish to make comment regarding the Local Electoral Area review which is currently being undertaken.

May I seek to draw your attention to the townlands of Ballyfoyle Upper and Ballyfoyle Lower, Tullogher, Co.Kilkenny which are currently in the East Kilkenny Constituency.

The citizens of these townlands is approx 22 in number and all their adjoining townlands of Ballyneale, Brownsford and New Grove are in the Piltown Electoral Area and it would seem logical that Ballyfoyle Upper and Ballyfoyle Lower be returned to their natural home base.

It is the strangest situation having the said townlands of Ballyfoyle being attached currently to the Kilkenny East Constituency.

Both of these townlands had been in the Piltown Electoral area until they were taken out of that electoral area and put into the Kilkenny East Constituency.

When you look at the maps you will be observing that the very wide River Barrow is dividing the said townlands with the land based Kilkenny East.

In conclusion may I please seek to have the townlands of Ballyfoyle Upper and Ballyfoyle Lower, Tullogher, Co.Kilkenny returned to the Piltown Electoral Area of the Carlow Kilkenny Constituency following the review which is being carried out at this time.

With regards,

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