## KILMALEY MEITHEAL CO. LTD.

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27th Jan. 2018.

The Secretary,

Local Electoral Area Boundary Committees

Re: Electoral Boundaries in the parish of Kilmaley

Dear Sir/Madam,

I am writing to you on behalf of Kilmaley Meitheal, the voluntary development group for the entire parish of Kilmaley to express our dissatisfaction with the current electoral boundaries drawn up for our parish. At the moment we have three different electoral areas representing our parish, some districts over fifty miles away.

As a community development group, whose sole interest is in the welfare of our parish, we would like our parish to be presented as one electoral unit, adhering to existing parish boundaries.

On a daily basis we hear through the media, the political interest in the welfare of rural Ireland and local communities, and while this is a laudable aspiration, Kilmaley Meitheal feel that disjointed representations hinders rather than enhances development in the parish. A parish is an entity in itself and as such should be treated as a single electoral area

We look forward to witnessing a positive response from our recommendation.

Yours faithfully,

