

26th March 2018

Mr Eamon McConville
Secretary of the Boundary Commission
The Bungalow
Stormont House
Stormont Estate
Belfast
BT4 3SH

Dear Mr McConville,

Re: The Boundary Commission NI 2018 Review

I refer to the above Review and wish to express in the strongest possible terms my objections to the proposals put forward in respect of my locality, Dungiven. Dungiven is a small town with a population of 3,286 (NISRA, 2015). Your current proposals recommend that this small town and its rural hinterland are divided between three Parliamentary Constituencies. I wish to register my opposition to our small rural community being split in this way and request that your original proposal for a Glenshane constituency is revisited within your considerations.

Whichever constituency Dungiven is located in, I request that the entire Dungiven area is kept together – our town, our rural hinterland and all the wards, respecting the existing historical links, protecting local ties and reflecting geographical boundaries.

Yours faithfully,

Eithne Burke

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