

AN BILLE UM THRÁCHT AR BHÓITHRE AGUS UM BÓITHRE, 2021 ROAD TRAFFIC AND ROADS BILL 2021 LEASUITHE TUARASCÁLA REPORT AMENDMENTS

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Leasuithe Amendments

*Government amendments are denoted by an asterisk

- *1. In page 17, line 19, to delete "each of the persons to whom paragraph (a) applies" and substitute "each person who is to be named in particular 6 of the certificate of insurance".
- *2. In page 19, line 41, to delete "Insurance" and substitute "Insurers".
- *3. In page 20, line 34, to delete "each of the persons to whom paragraph (a) applies" and substitute "each person named in particular 6 of the certificate of insurance".
- *4. In page 21, line 17, after "name" to insert "and address".
- 5. In page 22, lines 40 and 41, to delete "(or is likely to be driven or used)".
 - —Senators Lynn Ruane, Alice-Mary Higgins.
- *6. In page 40, line 7, to delete "paragraphs" and substitute "paragraph".
- 7. In page 47, line 27, after "bicycle" to insert ", or cargo bicycle,".
 - —Senators Lynn Ruane, Alice-Mary Higgins.
- **8.** In page 47, line 29, after "bicycle" to insert ", or cargo bicycle,".
 - —Senators Lynn Ruane, Alice-Mary Higgins.
- 9. In page 48, line 2, after "tricycle" to insert ", or cargo tricycle,".
 - —Senators Lynn Ruane, Alice-Mary Higgins.
- 10. In page 48, line 4, after "tricycle" to insert ", or cargo tricycle,".
 - —Senators Lynn Ruane, Alice-Mary Higgins.
- 11. In page 58, lines 34 and 35, to delete "and other data-gathering devices".
 - —Senators Lynn Ruane, Alice-Mary Higgins.
- *12. In page 58, line 35, after "devices" to insert ", or cause cameras or such devices to be set up and operated,".
- *13. In page 58, lines 35 and 36, to delete ", other than a national managed road,".
- *14. In page 59, between lines 3 and 4, to insert the following:
 - "(2) A road authority shall obtain the written consent of the Authority

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before it sets up or operates cameras or other data-gathering devices, or causes cameras or such devices to be set up or operated, on a national managed road.".

- *15. In page 59, line 4, to delete "(2) The Authority" and substitute "(3) The Authority".
- 16. In page 59, lines 4 and 5, to delete "and other data-gathering devices".
 - —Senators Lynn Ruane, Alice-Mary Higgins.
- *17. In page 59, line 5, after "devices" to insert ", or cause cameras or such devices to be set up and operated,".
- *18. In page 59, line 5, to delete "national" and substitute "public".
- *19. In page 59, between lines 6 and 7, to insert the following:
 - "(4) Before the Authority sets up or operates cameras or other data-gathering devices, or causes cameras or such devices to be set up or operated, on a road other than a national road, it shall obtain the written consent of the road authority in whose functional area the road is situated.".
- *20. In page 59, line 7, to delete "(3) The Minister" and substitute "(5) The Minister".
- *21. In page 59, line 9, to delete "subsection (2)" and substitute "subsection (3)".
- *22. In page 59, line 14, to delete "(4) Each" and substitute "(6) Each".
- *23. In page 59, line 14, after "of" to insert "such".
- *24. In page 59, line 15, after "devices" to insert "as the Minister may prescribe that are".
- *25. In page 59, line 20, to delete "(5) The Authority" and substitute "(7) The Authority".
- *26. In page 59, line 20, after "of" to insert "such".
- *27. In page 59, line 21, after "devices" to insert "as the Minister may prescribe that are".
- *28. In page 59, line 25, to delete "(6) The Minister" and substitute "(8) The Minister".
- **29.** In page 59, line 26, to delete "and other data-gathering devices".
 - —Senators Lynn Ruane, Alice-Mary Higgins.
- *30. In page 59, line 40, to delete "(7) Regulations under subsection (6) may" and substitute "(9) Regulations under subsection (8) shall".
- *31. In page 59, line 40, after "that" to insert "personal".
- *32. In page 60, line 1, to delete "(8) Regulations under subsection (6)" and substitute "(10) Regulations under subsection (8)".
- *33. In page 60, line 9, after "2018" to insert the following:
 - "or Article 35 of Regulation (EU) 2016/679 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 27 April 2016".

- **34.** In page 60, between lines 25 and 26, to insert the following:
 - "(8A) Cameras operated by or on behalf of a road authority under this section shall not be equipped with facial recognition technology, and no data obtained using such cameras shall be processed by the road authority using facial recognition technology, or be passed to third parties for processing with facial recognition technology.".
 - —Senators Lynn Ruane, Alice-Mary Higgins.
- *35. In page 60, line 26, to delete "(9) The Minister" and substitute "(11) The Minister".
- 36. In page 60, line 26, to delete "may" and substitute "shall".
 - —Senators Lynn Ruane, Alice-Mary Higgins.
- *37. In page 60, line 33, to delete "(10) The Minister may" and substitute "(12) The Minister shall".
- 38. In page 60, line 33, to delete "may" and substitute "shall".
 - —Senators Lynn Ruane, Alice-Mary Higgins.
- *39. In page 60, line 33, after "safeguard" to insert "personal".
- **40.** In page 60, after line 40, to insert the following:
 - "(aa) limitations on the types of technology permitted to process data, including but not limited to, restrictions on use of facial recognition technology.".
 - —Senators Lynn Ruane, Alice-Mary Higgins.
- *41. In page 61, line 16, to delete "(11) The Minister" and substitute "(13) The Minister".
- *42. In page 61, line 20, to delete "(12) The Minister" and substitute "(14) The Minister".
- *43. In page 61, line 23, to delete "(13) Nothing" and substitute "(15) Nothing".
- *44. In page 66, line 19, to delete "and".
- *45. In page 66, line 21, to delete "bye-laws"." and substitute the following:
 - "bye-laws", and
 - (g) by the insertion of the following subsection after subsection (12):
 - "(13) Where—
 - (a) a speed limit specified in bye-laws under this section is the speed limit on a road for mechanically propelled vehicles, and
 - (b) the Minister designates such road or a part thereof as a national managed road,

the speed limit specified in bye-laws under this section in respect of the road shall continue to be the speed limit on that road for mechanically propelled vehicles until the National Roads Authority makes bye-laws under section 9A specifying a speed limit for mechanically propelled vehicles in respect of that national managed road or part thereof.".".