

# **Privacy Notice – Consultation on Office of the Planning Regulator (OPR) Strategy Statement 2026-2031**

## **Data Controller**

For the purpose covered by this privacy notice, the data controller is the Office of the Planning Regulator (OPR).

## **Purpose for processing**

Our purpose in processing your personal data is to compile a range of opinions regarding our strategy statement for the period 2026 – 2031.

## **Lawful basis for processing**

The lawful basis for processing your personal data is the performance of a task carried out in the public interest (article 6.1 (e) of the GDPR).

Section 550 of the Planning and Development Act 2024 provides that the Planning Regulator shall prepare a strategy statement for the Office within 6 months of the commencement of the section.

## **Data that we use**

In order to analyse the range of views submitted as part of this consultation, we require your first and last name, email address and if relevant, the organisation that you work in, which will be process along with the views you have provided.

## **How we collect your data**

We collect the data when you submit your response to the consultation.

## **How we use your data**

We use your data to analyse the range of views submitted as part of this consultation. As part of this analysis, a thematic paper providing an overview of the range of views submitted may be published.

## **Do we share personal data with any third parties?**

The OPR may share your personal data with an external consultant who will assist us in preparing a thematic paper providing an overview of the range of views submitted.

## **How long we keep your data**

The OPR will only retain your personal data for as long as it is necessary for the purposes for which they were collected and subsequently processed, and in line with certain statutory requirements, where relevant. When the personal data that we collect is no longer required, we destroy or delete it in a secure manner.

## **Your rights**

Rights you have as a data subject include right of access, right to rectification, right to erasure, right to restriction of processing and right to object.

You also have the right to complain to the Irish Data Protection Commissioner ([www.dataprotection.ie](http://www.dataprotection.ie)) if you consider that your rights under GDPR have been infringed, and you have the right to seek a judicial remedy.

### **Contacting Us**

If you require further information, please contact the OPR's Data Protection Officer, details below:

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