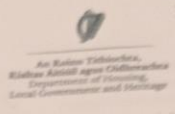


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Licence



European Communities (Birds and Natural Habitats) Regulations 2011

Application for a Licence to Exclude Bats from Domestic Dwellings

- This form should be completed by the home owner or occupier.
- Please complete this application form using **dark ink** and **BLOCK CAPITALS**.
- Please ensure that you answer questions fully in order to avoid delays.
- NPWS will aim to determine whether a licence should be issued within 15 working days of receipt of a completed application.
- If you experience any problems filling in this form, please contact the Wildlife Licensing Unit (details opposite).

Wildlife Licensing Unit,  
Department of Housing, Local  
Government and Heritage  
National Parks and Wildlife  
Service  
Wildlife Licensing Unit, R. 2.53  
50 North King Street  
Smeefield  
Dublin 7 D07 N7CV  
Email:  
wildlicence@housing.gov.ie

I have received advice about bats roosting in my house from TERENCE O'CONNOR  
(insert the name of NPWS officer)  
Having carefully considered this and discussed alternative solutions, I wish to apply for a licence under  
Section 54 of the European Communities (Birds and Natural Habitats) Regulations 2011.

Part A. The Applicant: Personal details

These questions relate to the owner or occupier, or a person acting on their behalf, who will be the named licensee. As the licensee you will be responsible for ensuring compliance with the licence and its conditions, even though you may employ another person to act on your behalf.

1. (a) Name of applicant

Title (Mr/Ms/Ms/Ms)	Forename(s)	Surname
Ms	Aideen	McCormick

(b) Address

Town	Gortnalamp Mohill Dromod
County	Co Leitrim
Tel number	08 071 963 2856
Mobile number	085 1202 949
Email address	macormaca013@gmail.com

(c) Address where works are to be carried out if different from (b) above

Town	
County	

**Part B. The Application:**

2. **Species of Bat.** Please indicate which species is affected by the proposed works.  
COMMON PIPISTRELLE (*Pipistrellus pipistrellus*)   
SOPRANO PIPISTRELLE (*Pipistrellus pygmaeus*)   
Other (Please specify)

3. **Satisfactory alternatives:**  
The continuing presence of bats in my property is intolerable for the reason given below and there is no satisfactory alternative solution other than to safely exclude the bats, thus destroying the roost.

4. **Activity to be licensed:**  
Damage or destroy a breeding or resting place of bats.  Deliberately disturb bats during the course of exclusion.

5. **Purpose of licence**

Public health	The bats are causing intolerable smell or noise within the property which is affecting the resident's health or the health of their family.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	The resident of the property finds the presence of the bats disturbing to the extent that it is threatening their health or the health of their family.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Serious damage	Continued bat access is causing damage to the property and this is likely to continue for as long as the roost is present.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Conservation	Bats are entering the living-area of my property from their roost area and endangering themselves. Excluding the bats is the only way to prevent this occurring.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

**Part C. Declarations.**

6. I understand that this licence application will be considered by the Wildlife Licensing Unit in conjunction with the report submitted by the NPWS representative named above.

I understand that the deliberate killing, injuring, capturing or disturbing of bats, or damage or destruction of their roosts is illegal without a licence and that it is a legal requirement to comply with the conditions of any licence I may be granted following this application. I understand that NPWS may visit to check compliance with a licence.

I authorise employees of NPWS to enter the site which is the subject of this application for the purpose of monitoring and inspecting the permitted works where a prior appointment has been agreed.

Signature of the Applicant  Date

Name in BLOCK LETTERS

PRIVACY STATEMENT

Please note that under Data Protection legislation Department staff may only discuss licence applications with the applicant, and not with any third party. See Privacy Statement at [www.npws.ie/licences](http://www.npws.ie/licences)

To whom it may concern,

Please note the house is the sole residence of a disabled lady with Cerebral Palsy, Epilepsy and Maud 10, who is of anxious disposition, and her carer, who has mobility issues and is a senior citizen. Consequently the attic space needs to be safely ventilated, in the very near future, and accessible not just as a storage space, which it is now, but as a living space, complete with bathroom & bedroom for carer's p.a. It is presently in a very unhygienic state and the presence of a roost would be very detrimental to the hygienic care of above disabled lady, now & in the future. There are nearby barns & derelict properties and it is my intention to provide a suitable habitat on a large tree in the garden, away from the house & road & cats where it is safe for the bats.

Yours etc

St McCornick

**Dr. Annette Rogers  
Dr. Nuala Hardiman**

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Dept of Housing local Government  
& Heritage

15/11/2024

**RE:** Aideen Mc Cormick Gortnalamp, Mohill, Co. Leitrim  
DOB - 04/04/1956 TEL: 0719632856 353851202949

Dear Sir/Madam

The above name lady is just home from hospital barely and electrician tells her there is bats in the attic, not there now but may come back ? This is damaging her health with the pungent odour and droppings etc. She needs access to attic that is safe for her since she broke hip and her daughter is disabled. She needs this attic space to be accessible to be turned into living space for a carer

Yours Sincerely,



Dr. Nuala Hardiman MCN: 277108

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[nuala.hardiman@healthmail.ie](mailto:nuala.hardiman@healthmail.ie)

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