



COMHAIRLE | CLARE
CONTAE AN CHLÁIR | COUNTY COUNCIL

12th September, 2023.

Our Ref: September23 - 27/AR/AC

Dear Meetings Administrator,

At the September meeting of the Council the members passed the following resolution:

“I am calling on the Minister for Transport Eamon Ryan to address the chaos being caused to members of the public by the incompetent service currently in operation by the National Car Test Company. This arrangement with a company operating on a monopoly basis is not fit for purpose and should be discontinued with a view to opening up a tendering process for accredited garages in Ireland similar to the DOE process that currently provide a quality service to the public for testing commercial vehicles. The carrying out of a car test on private vehicles over 4 years is mandatory and the government have a duty of care to the public to make adequate provision in the delivery of this service. This proposal would also have the potential to provide employment at local level for many people and provide enhanced opportunities for apprenticeships.”

Yours sincerely,

Ann Reynolds,
Senior Executive Officer,
Corporate Services Department,
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