

## **Inspection of works, 14-17 Moore St.**

**16 March 2017**

An inspection of the ongoing Essential Works being carried out at 14-17 Moore St. and as approved by the High Court, was undertaken on 16 March 2017.

The following were in attendance:

- The chief archaeologist, senior archaeologist, a senior architect and APO from the Department of Arts, Heritage, Regional, Rural and Gaeltacht Affairs.
- The project conservation architect and site conservation architect.
- The project manager

Work continues at roof level. The structural work is complete, the slating is well advanced, the slate vents are all in place and the roof lights are being fitted. The roof on the building at the rear of no.14 is complete and a temporary weather-proofing is being put on the flat roof of the extension between this building and no.14. The temporary pointing of the parapets has been completed.

Work on the removal of the overroof and the scaffolding will commence during the week of the 20<sup>th</sup>.

The floorboards and joinery have all been returned to the rooms from which they were removed and where they are being stored for eventual reinstatement.

The main electricity board has been installed and the connection made. A temporary cable is to be run (overground) to the cellars to provide light and fire alarm coverage.

Once work on the roofs of nos.14 – 17 is complete, render repairs and weather-proofing of the rear façade will take place, the roof of the building to the rear of no.16 will be slated and the partition isolating no. 17A and no. 18 will be completed.

The photographic recording of the project is ongoing.

There has been no change to the current programme schedule.



Completed roof of building at rear of no. 14 and temporary works on flat roof (Photo: P. Walsh)



Slating on roof of no. 17 (Photo: P. Walsh)



Example of temporary pointing on parapets (Photo: P. Walsh)

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