

Inspection of works, 14-17 Moore St.

2 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 2 March 2017.

The following were in attendance:

- The chief archaeologist, senior archaeologist and two senior architects 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. All the steel is now in place and good progress has been made with the slating. The slated vents have been procured and many are already in place. The new roof lights are on site ready to be fitted. The roof on the building at the rear of no.14 is very near completion. The temporary pointing of the parapets is continuing.

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

The ESB is on site making the necessary connections.

The design of the temporary (fireproof) partition required at the boundary of the Minister's property in no.17A is at an advanced stage.

The photographic recording of the project is ongoing.

There has been no change to the current programme schedule.



Roof of building at rear of no. 14 near completion (Photo: P. Walsh)



Slating in progress on nos. 15, 16. Note vents in place (Photo: P. Walsh)



Steel beam (dark red) and steel ties in place in no. 16 (Photo: P. Walsh)

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