Housing, Community & Emergency Services Department South East Area Office

To the Chairperson and Members of the South East Area Committee

Naming proposal for the building formerly occupied by the Central Bank of Ireland at 44 – 45 Dame Street, Dublin 2 and associated plaza to the south.

1 An Plaza Láir / 1 Central Plaza An Plaza Láir / Central Plaza

A request has been received from Virtus Project Management, 5th Floor, The Glass House, 11 Coke Lane, Smithfield, Dublin 7 to rename the building formerly occupied by the Central Bank of Ireland at 44 – 45 Dame Street, Dublin 2 and to name the associated plaza to the south of that building.

The applicant has chosen the names "1 Central Plaza" and "Central Plaza" for the following reasons:

- "...it is respectfully submitted that the proposed name, 1 Central Plaza, has particular significance having regard to the central location of the site, its association with the former use (Central Bank of Ireland), and the prominence and importance of the building..."
- "...it is respectively submitted that the proposed name Central Plaza, has particular significance having regard to the central location of the site and its association with the former use of the building to which the plaza relates (Central Bank of Ireland)."

The development is indicated on the drawing R.M. 36859.

The Heritage Officer considers the proposed names appropriate and accordingly the scheme is recommended for approval.

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