Housing and Residential Services Department South East Area Office

To the Chairperson and Members of the South East Area Committee

Naming and numbering proposal for new development at Church Avenue, Church Gardens, Rathmines, Dublin 6

Whitfield Grove/Garrán Whitfield

A request has been received from PA Architects, Suite 141, The Capel Building, Mary's Abbey, Dublin 6 to name and number a new development at Church Avenue / Church Gardens, Rathmines, Dublin 6.

The applicant seeks approval to name the site being developed as Whitfield Grove / Garrán Whitfield. The rationale for the name is that "Philip Whitfield Harvey, editor of the Freemans Journal, lived in Grove House, Rathmines who had family links to Henry Grattan. The applicant proposes to number his parts of the development 1, 3-6, and 11 19 Whitfield Grove. Two other developers will each apply separately to number their units, the remaining ones, within the overall scheme. All three developers have agreed to the name proposed.

The development is indicated on the drawing R.M. 36631.

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

Rose Kenny Area Manager

