

## Board Direction PL18 CD3039

Ref: 18.CD3039

The submissions on this file and the Inspector's report were considered at a Board meeting held on 8<sup>th</sup> December, 2017.

The Board decided, to grant consent to the compulsory acquisition of the site generally in accordance with the Inspector's recommendation, and based on the reasons and considerations set out below.

## **REASONS AND CONSIDERATIONS**

## Having regard to:

- (a) The derelict condition of the site,
- (b) The neglected, unsightly and objectionable condition of the site, and
- (c) The submissions on file and the report and recommendation of the person assigned to report on the matter.

it is considered that the site detracts to a material degree from the amenity, character and appearance of land in the neighbourhood and, therefore, comes within the definition of a derelict site as defined in section 3 (a) and (b) of the Derelict Sites Act, 1990, as amended, and that the acquisition of the site by the local authority is necessary in order to render the site non-derelict and to prevent it continuing to be a derelict site. It is also considered that the objection made cannot be sustained having regard to that said necessity.

Board Member:		Date: 08.12. 2017
	Terry Prendergast	