

HERITAGE, IDENTITY AND DIVERSITY -A NORTHERN IRISH PERSPECTIVE

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OUTLINE

- The Environment and Heritage Service (EHS)
- Heritage, Identity and Diversity: general principles
- Identity and Diversity in Northern Ireland
- EHS's response – I General Policies
– II Key Projects
- Conclusions

ENVIRONMENT AND HERITAGE SERVICE- I

- **Key characteristics**

- an agency within Central Government
- covers protection of historic heritage, environmental protection and nature conservation

- **Resources**

- in EHS: people 700 money £68m
- in Built Heritage: people 120 money £7.5m

EHS - II

- **Responsible for**
 - Listing
 - State Care Monuments
 - Grant-aid to owners
 - Monitoring buildings and sites at risk

- **Not responsible for**
 - Listed Building Consent
 - Conservation Areas
 - enforcement

HERITAGE, IDENTITY AND DIVERSITY – GENERAL PRINCIPLES

- The ‘value’ of heritage
- The importance of ‘identity’
- Diversity: an obstacle or an opportunity?

IDENTITY AND DIVERSITY IN NORTHERN IRELAND

- Heritage and division
- Heritage and consensus?

EHS RESPONSE – I. GENERAL POLICIES

- Protecting the heritage













EHS RESPONSE – I. GENERAL POLICIES

- Protecting and heritage
- Conservation and restoration
- Raising awareness
- Working with NGOs
- Facilitating diversity

EHS RESPONSE – II. KEY PROJECTS

- Ebrington Barracks







EHS RESPONSE – II. TWO KEY PROJECTS

- Ebrington Barracks
- The Maze Prison site

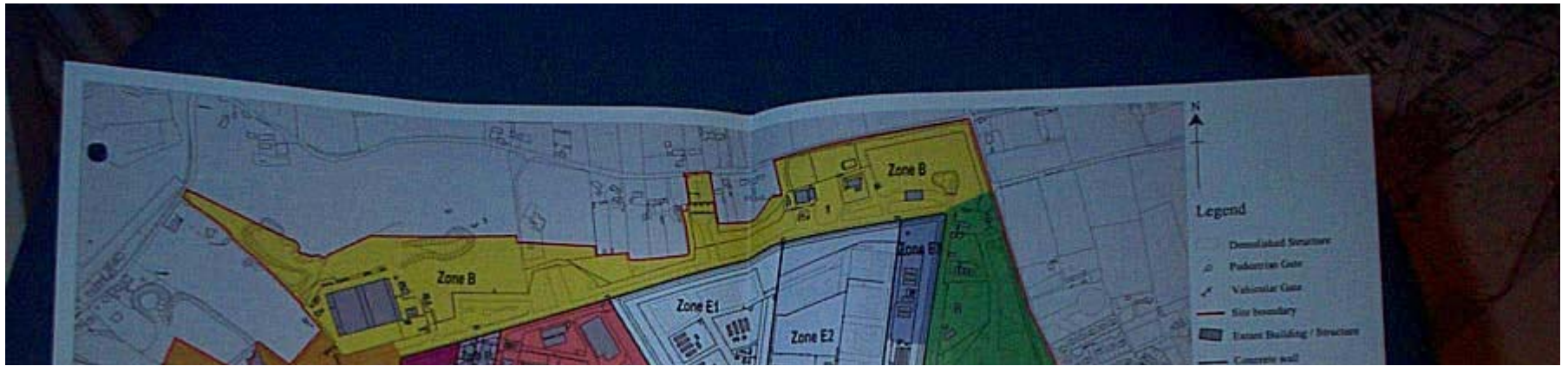


Legend

- Demolished Structure
- Pedestrian Gate
- Vehicular Gate
- Site boundary
- Existing Building / Structure
- Concrete wall

CgMs
 Figure 3
 Maze Zones
 Identification Plan
 Scale 1:5000

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Photosheet 7, Zone B



Building B/40 showing height chart



Building B/40 with B/21 behind



Building B/40, interior



Building B-8, 1st floor bar area to the southwest



Building B-8, west range



Building B-8, two storey section of west extension



H6 southwest exercise yard, view from roof



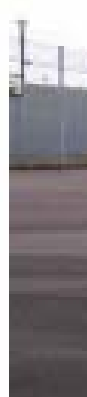
Passage to exercise yard from southwest wing



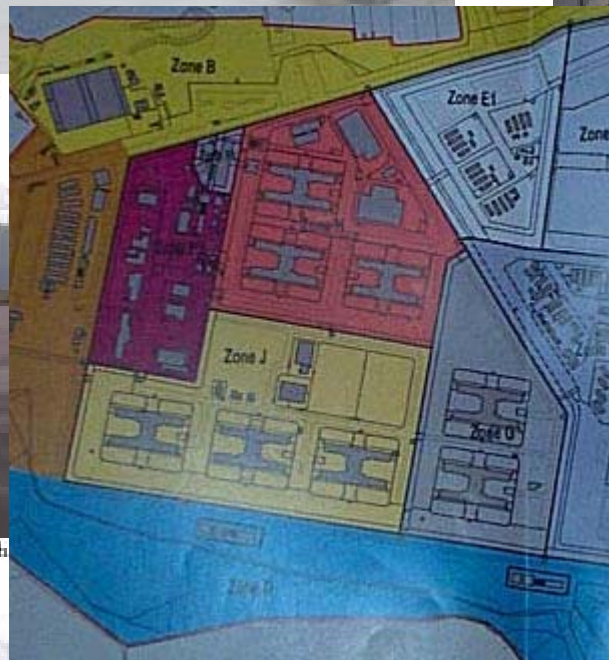
H6 southeast wing, end air lock, view from exercise yard



H6, entrance to passage to exercise yard, end of southwest wing



H6, south



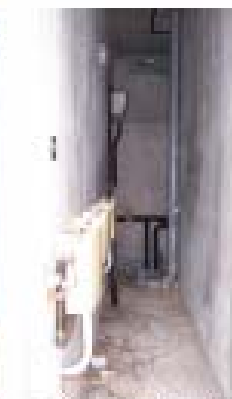
H6, southeast exercise yard, view from southeast corner towards circle



H6, southeast wing, turnstile to exercise yard (from exercise). Note the guard box and wire cage above



H6, south central elevation (external wall of filtration blocks)



H6, service duct, south elevation



General view, Compound 8, view from northwest corner



Buildings E8/1 & 2 from southwest, Buildings E8/4 & 5 behind



Building E8/4 from west with E8/3 behind



Building E8/5 from west



Building E8/6 from south



Interior, Building E8/6

CONCLUSION

What helps us understand who we are, and where we come from....., and where we are going to?



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