Inventory No. 1135

Name of memorial: Newgate Prison 1798 Memorial

Place: Halston Street/Little Britain Street corner

Address and map reference: Halston Street/Little Britain Street corner, Dublin 7

Map reference: O 151 346 (Sheet 50) Co-ordinates: N 53.3493°; W 6.2713°.

Access: daylight hours. Parking: adjacent streets. Disabled access: yes.

Position: in the middle of the park.

Description and dimensions: statue of Hibernia(?) on a square pedestal.

Stone relief medallions of H. Sheare, Lord Edward Fitzgerald and J. Sheare. Height: appx. 400cms. Width: appx. 100cms. Depth: appx 100cms.

Recorded by: Edward Bourke 20 March 2018.

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WITHIN THIS PARK ONCE STOOD

NEWGATE PRISON

ASSOCIATED IN DARK AND EVIL DAYS

WITH THE DOING TO DEATH OF

CONFESSORS OF IRISH LIBERTY,

WHO GAVE THEIR LIVES TO VINDICATE

THEIR COUNTRY'S RIGHT TO

NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE.

THIS MEMORIAL IS ERECTED

TO PERPETUATE THEIR MEMORY,
TO HONOUR THEIR MOTIVES AND
TO INCULCATE A GRATEFUL REVERENCE
IN İRISH MINDS
FOR SACRIFICES THUS NOBLY MADE
FOR FREEDOM
AND TO PROCLAIM İRELAND'S FIDELITY
TO THE PRINCIPLES OF THE MEN
WHOSE NAMES ARE HEREON INSCRIBED
İN THE BELIEF THAT
THESE WILL YET REDEEM
AND REGENERATE OUR FATHERLAND
FROM SUBJECTION.