2 DRUMLITHIE PLACE - CHILDREN'S PLAYGROUND (AN259-2007)

Reference is made to Article 2 of the November 2006 Committee when it was agreed to the modernisation of the existing Drumlithie Place Playground in Brackens at a cost of £17,600. Prior to the report being submitted to the Committee, consultation on the proposed works had taken place through St. Mary's Association of Residents & Tenants Group (SMART) who had agreed to the proposals.

Work commenced in February 2007 on modernising the playground after which the Department received a number of enquiries/complaints concerning the proposed modernisation works. The Department then put on hold all of the works and carried out further discussions with the residents surrounding the playground. The majority of local residents do not favour the upgrading of the playground, and Committee is now asked to agree that the area be grassed over.