



## Kevin Street Garda Headquarters, Dublin

Kevin Street Garda Station, Dublin is the Divisional Headquarters for An Garda Síochána in the south inner city. It was designed by the OPW as a civic quality building responding to the specific site context and its historic surroundings.

The development consists of a 2-3 storey building with flat roofs along the west boundary; a 5 storey building with flat roof and curved street elevation along the east boundary and a connecting glazed atrium with a mono-pitch glass roof. The accommodation provided includes offices, canteen, public reception, meeting rooms with cell containment areas, interview rooms, doctors' rooms, garda welfare facilities, specialist review rooms, conference facilities, vehicular testing, garage/workshops, stores, prisoner processing areas, plant, ESB sub-station, landscaped roof terrace and associated ancillary spaces.

JJ Rhatigan's construction management excellence is showcased in this landmark project through both the scale and complexity of the build and the quality of materials and craftsmanship. One of the most impressive architectural and structural elements is a spectacular curved and cantilevered granite stair, spanning the full height of the atrium. Another extensive element of the construction is the joinery detail, 8,630 linear meters of solid ash was used in the atrium fittings and louvre framework and the oak brise soleil feature runs the length of the curved corridors on all floor levels.

CLIENT

OPW

ARCHITECT

OPW

VALUE

£25.2 million

