

Building boost soon for city schools

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BUILDING projects

for two school projects in the city have been given the go-ahead by the Government.

Deputy Jim Kemmy today announced that St Gabriel's Special School, at St Joseph's Street, and

Milford Grange National School are to be included in a phased programme for 1994.

The finance will be allocated under the funding for the national school capital programme for the year.

"They will be included in a phased programme for 1994," he explained, "and are subject to completion of the necessary planning and tendering process."

"A contract will be placed for the projects in the course of the year," Education Minister Niamh Breathnach told Deputy Kemmy.

The chairman of the boards of management are being informed accordingly, and an information document on the planning and construction process is being forwarded which outlines the steps necessary before a contract can be placed.

"Not all these steps are within the Department's control," explained the Minister.

"Should there be a delay in the placing of the contract for the school, because of technical difficulties outside of the Department's control, the project will not lose its place in the priority listings."

Deputy Kemmy today welcomed the news as "another great boost for Limerick" and said it was a great New Year's boost for Limerick.

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