

Gardai happy with outcome of Det McCabe investigations

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GARDAI at Henry Street have confirmed that a man in his early 20s, being held there under Section 30 of the Offences Against the State Act, will be held for another 24 hours.

The man, who was arrested on Sunday morning in Borris-on-Ossory, County Laois, was the fifth person to be detained in Limerick over the weekend in connection with the investigation into the murder of Detective Garda Gerry McCabe in

Adare in June 1996.

The other four have all been released at this stage but garda sources confirmed this morning that a file has been sent to the DPP with a view to having prosecutions brought against a number of those people.

A man and woman were arrested on Saturday morning in Dublin, and another man and woman were arrested in County Offaly, also on Saturday morning.

Both women and one man were released late on Sunday night from Henry

Street, when their detention had been extended to 48 hours.

And one man was released last night from Roxboro Garda Station, where he too had been held for 48 hours.

But, despite the releases, gardai at Henry

Street this morning said: "We are delighted with the outcome of our investigations over the weekend."

The spokesman for the gardai also stated that: "It certainly added another piece to the jigsaw in the investigation into Gerry McCabe's murder."

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