

Planning authority: Kerry County Council,

Unique identity number: RPS KY-069-001

Address: Kimego, Cahersiveen

Description: Stone tower approx 10 metres high
with two louvred openings in the roof

Ordnance Survey Map:

National Grid co-ordinates: 45405 ; 82775

Special interest: Architectural, historical, technical

Site features: Walled enclosure

Location Map (not to scale)



Appraisal: One of the only upstanding structures apart from the boundary walls surviving from what was once a hive of activity on this now isolated hillside. Peat briquettes were produced here, commencing in the 1850s, using a mechanism devised by a Messrs Gwynne & Hayes. This is a significant surviving piece of industrial architecture in this part of the county and should be included in the RPS.