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**PRINCESS OF WALES'S ROYAL REGIMENT (PWRR) AND QUEEN'S REGIMENT MUSEUM -  
OP REVITALISE - UPDATE NUMBER 2**

Reference:

A. PWRR Op REVITALISE 1/1 dated 29 Jul 15.

1. This is an update on Reference A, which explained what Op REVITALISE is, the revitalisation of the PWRR and Queen's Museum in Dover Castle, and appealed for objects and ideas on how to take the issue forward. Some objects have been passed to Henry Thomas, so thank you. This is the current situation, as we continue to ask for your support:

- a. **Objects.** Objects are still needed to reflect the Regiment's service in Northern Ireland, the Cold War, the Balkans, Iraq and Afghanistan. Also, we need to reflect other activities, such as the support to the 2012 Olympics and success in sports and adventure training. We also need stories to go with objects. Objects could include items of equipment, clothing, maps, photos, aide memoires etc.
- b. **Plan.** A more detailed plan is under construction, which costs the Op REVITALISE project and provides an outline of how the Museum space in Dover Castle will be laid out in the future. The target date of completion is now 2019.
- c. **Raising Funds.** Op REVITALISE can only happen if appropriate funds can be raised. Currently, our target is £200K. £8K has been raised in 2016, which is a great start, but larger sums will have to be found more quickly to meet the target! Both the Queen's Regiment Association and the PWRR are being asked for their financial support. In addition, many external potential donors are being approached for assistance. We need your help when raising funds; a lot of charity-raising goes on by the Regiment and individuals, please consider focussing some of that effort towards your own Regimental Museum. If you are able to contribute financially, then please direct funds/cheques to the
- d. **'PWRR and Queen's Museum' fund** and Mr Jim Reynolds at Area HQ at the Canterbury address below.
- e. **Volunteers and Ideas.** We need volunteers prepared to do something to make this Project work, rather than just talk about it. If you can help at the Museum, assist with fund-raising or just want to contribute some ideas, please contact Henry or me.

2. The point of contact for objects, volunteering or ideas is:

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Thank you, again, for your support.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Patrick T Crowley', written over a horizontal line.

Colonel (Retd) P T Crowley (Patrick)