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# "Shoubra", house including interior

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## Location

6 Keram Crescent, HIGHTON VIC 3216 - Property No 231065

## Municipality

GREATER GEELONG CITY

## Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

## Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO232

## Heritage Listing

Greater Geelong City

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## Statement of Significance

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### STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The earliest section of the suburban villa 'Shoubra' in Highton was erected in c 1857 for A. Chambers, then Secretary to the recently formed Geelong Gas Company. Prominent Geelong Solicitor, William Higgins, made extensive alterations in 1868 to picturesque villa designs by local architect J.L. Shaw. Alterations in 1920, and more recently, have latered the original architectural character, but the building remains as an historically significant early Geelong villa with close associations with William Higgins, the first President of the Shire of South Barwon.

## References

See attached citation sheet

Heritage Study/Consultant	Greater Geelong - Greater Geelong Outer Areas Heritage Study Volumes 1, 2 & 4, Authentic Heritage Services Pty Ltd, 2000;
Heritage Act Categories	Registered place,
Hermes Number	21323
Property Number	

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