Yarraville Railway Station Complex



B6261 Railway Station Complex

Location

Anderson Street, YARRAVILLE VIC 3013 - Property No B6261

Municipality

MARIBYRNONG CITY

Level of significance

State

Victorian Heritage Register (VHR) Number

H1028

Heritage Listing

National Trust

Statement of Significance

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The Yarraville railway station complex is of State technical significance and of Regional architectural and historical significance. It is of technical significance at a State level as the only surviving example of multiple sector interlocked wheel-operated railway gates in Victoria. These types of gates were once quite common in Victoria, but are now rare. The Yarraville railway complex is also historically significant at a Regional level for its associations with nationally significant manufacturing works of the late 19th and early 20th centuries in the Williamstown railway corridor. The complex has architectural significance in that it represents a rare collection of

railway buildings and works, comprising of a brick station building and platform, a timber station building and platform, signal box, interlocked wheel operated level crossing gates, disused siding gates, station master's residence and the remains of an important public siding with extensive pitched bluestone cartways. The complex has social significance at the Regional level for the role it has played as an entrance to the Yarraville shopping centre and in shaping the suburb's commercial development.

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