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Location

Long Forest Road,, LONG FOREST VIC 3340 - Property No T11282

Municipality

MOORABOOL SHIRE

Level of significance

State

Heritage Listing

National Trust

Statement of Significance

Last updated on - June 16, 2008

Horticultural value
Rare or localised

This disjunct Mallee community, dominated by the Bull Mallee (*Eucalyptus behriana*), is the only true southern Australian Mallee known to grow anywhere in Australia east of the Great Dividing Range. The nearest Mallee communities are some 180 km north west. The existence of this vegetation so distant from all other Mallee communities is of exceptional interest as it throws light on the patterns of vegetation across southern Australia. The stand is approximately 2048 ha. and is surrounded and buffered by low woodland, comprised of Red Box, (*E. polyanthemos*) Grey Box (*E. moluccana*) and Yellow Gum. (*E. leucoxylon*), Specimens were collected by Mueller from this area. and the area is classified by the National Trust Landscape Register.

The stand is located on Long Forest Road, north and south of the Western Highway alongside Djerriwarrah Creek.

Measurements: 10/1983 (typical)

Spread (m): 3.6

Girth (m): 0.55

Height (m): 7.5

Estimated Age (yrs): 100

Condition: Good-Fair

Measurements: 06/05/2011

Spread (m): 5.0

Girth (m): 1.0

Height (m): 8.0

Estimated Age (yrs): 100

Condition: Good-Fair

Access: Restricted

Classified: 28/04/1983

Other Names Bull Mallee,

Hermes Number 70786

Property Number

This place/object may be included in the Victorian Heritage Register pursuant to the Heritage Act 2017. Check the Victorian Heritage Database, selecting 'Heritage Victoria' as the place source.

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