Queen of the West

Location

126 Pakington Street, GEELONG WEST VIC 3218 - Property No 203613

Municipality

GREATER GEELONG CITY

Level of significance

Incl in HO area contributory

Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO1634

Heritage Listing

Greater Geelong City

Statement of Significance

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STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The Queen of the West Hotel is a good example of an Edwardian Style hotel based on the traditional Victorian for,. It is of local significance.

POLICY/RECOMMENDATIONS:

G.R.P.S.

Reinstatement of the roof decoration would greatly enhance the character of this building as would controlled advertising signs.

REFERENCES

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Physical Description 1

DESCRIPTION

The two storey brick building has a hipped and gabled roof clad in corrugated iron. It resembles the Barwon Club Hotel in Moorabool Street as it follows much the same form and has some similar details. The projecting gables and the red bricks and rough cast upper floor of the walls give the building a slightly less Victorian feeling than its overall form imparts. Decorative details include the ridge decoration (only a little of this has remained), the bow and bay windows, the parapet on the angled corner, the string course and the cement rendered voussoirs and window hoods. There is a recent addition of the east and another to the north.

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