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## A.N.Z. Bank interior (former)



2 Malop St, Geelong

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### Location

2 Malop Street, GEELONG VIC 3220 - Property No 215152

### Municipality

GREATER GEELONG CITY

### Level of significance

Registered

### Victorian Heritage Register (VHR) Number

H0191

### Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO1638

HO5

### Heritage Listing

Greater Geelong City

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### Statement of Significance

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## STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The A.N.Z. Bank on the corner of Gheringhap Street and Malop Street, Geelong, was erected in 1859/60 for the Bank of Australasia. Melbourne architects, Purchas and Swyer, designed this two storey bank with a conservative classical facade of Barrabool sandstone and full height banking chamber.

The stone facade was refaced in brick in September 1956, the interior altered.

The Banking Chamber which has been preserved intact is an interesting example of a mid nineteenth century bank interior most notable for the proportions and classical ornamentation.

## RECOMMENDATIONS: PROTECTIVE MEASURES

Geelong Regional Commission Register

Historic Building Council Register

## REFERENCES

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Heritage Act Categories	Registered place,
Hermes Number	19421
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