Victorian Heritage Database Report

House at 357 Geelong Road





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Location

357 Geelong Road FOOTSCRAY, Maribyrnong City

Municipality

MARIBYRNONG CITY

Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO41

Heritage Listing

Maribyrnong City

Statement of Significance

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Architecturally, a well preserved brick bungalow which possesses some unusual and precise detailing.

Heritage Study/Consultant Maribyrnong - City of Footscray Urban Conservation Study, Graeme Butler, 1989;

Hermes Number 28261

Property Number

Physical Description 1

Californian Bungalow in form, the house retains its smooth and rough-cast stucco and unpainted red brick walls. Aligned with this use of natural finishes, are the Marseilles pattern terra-cotta tiles used on the roof, Not unlike a stripped version of Pebbles (q.v.), further east in Geelong Road, this house has limited but precise detailing, including the ox-bow arched gable vent, the porch stair and balustrade, terra-cotta scotias, and formed brackets set under the window bay eaves.

The bay itself provides a minor geometric volume in an interplay of gabled forms. The side porch hints at the cruciform plan of some early Bungalows and the Eastern-style fretted brackets to the deep eaves are details carried over from the previous Queen Anne.

Integrity

External Integrity

Generally original, except for a new fence (c1940 ?) and garden walling. Some aspects of the garden survive, including the asphalt two-wheel driveway.

Physical Description 2

Streetscape

Adjoins recent unrelated housing

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