40 Snowdon Avenue



40 Snowdon Avenue Caulfield, August 2000

Location

40 Snowdon Avenue CAULFIELD, Glen Eira City

Municipality

GLEN EIRA CITY

Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO139

Heritage Listing

Glen Eira City

Statement of Significance

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The house at no. 40 Snowdon Avenue, Caulfield South was built in 1921 by the builder/developer Charles Stephenson. It is aesthetically significant and compares with the similar house, presumably also built by Stephenson at no. 36.

It is aesthetically significant (Criterion E) as the most dominant house in Snowdon Avenue due largely to its prominent position and also as an archetypal Arts and Crafts bungalow having a cross ridged gable and picturesque facade treatment that are highly expressive of the Mode. This significance is enhanced by the high

level of integrity of the place including the garden setting with palm tree and crimped wire fence.

Physical Description 1

A prominant and picturesque Arts and Crafts Bungalow adopting the characteristic cross-ridged gable form with attic floor. The favade is characterised by a picturesque balance between the elements consisting of a tall and dominant chimney, recessed porch, pressed metal clad gable end to simulate shingles and curved balconette (flower box?), small lead lit windows depicting marine scenes and rough cast walls with red brick enrichment. There is a dominant terra cotta tiled roof.

Physical Description 2

Integrity: High, includes crimped wire fence and mature palm tree in front garden.

Physical Description 3

Condition: sound

Historical Australian Themes

Caulfield as a pre-eminent Inter-War suburb.

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