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# BRUNSWICK RAILWAY STATION, SIGNAL BOX & GATES

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## Location

VICTORIA STREET, BRUNSWICK, MORELAND CITY

## Municipality

MERRI-BEK CITY

## Level of significance

Incl in HO area indiv sig

## Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO180

## Heritage Listing

Merri-bek City

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## Statement of Significance

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Brunswick Railway Station is of local historical and architectural significance. The station is a substantially intact example of a relatively ornate late 19th century railway building which is an important heritage element in central Brunswick.

Heritage Study/Consultant	Moreland - Keeping Brunswick's heritage: A Report on the Review of the Brunswick Conservation Study, Context Pty Ltd, 1990; Moreland - City of Moreland Heritage Review, Allen Lovell and Associates, 1999;
Architect/Designer	Sims, George W,
Hermes Number	59129
Property Number	

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## Physical Description 1

Brunswick Railway Station (east) is a single storey building. Walls are of red brick with a bluestone base, with moulded string course and dressings to openings rendered. The building has a hipped corrugated iron roof with bracketed eaves. On the east elevation, a parapeted gable with rendered copings and delicate iron finial has a trefoil opening within a circular moulding above the main pointed arched doorway. The west (platform) elevation has a wide curved-profile verandah with cast iron columns, corrugated iron roof and latticed end panels.

All the window openings have been bricked up.

Key Architectural Elements: symmetrical red brick building with rendered dressings  
hipped and gabled corrugated iron roof with bracketed eaves  
wide cast iron verandah to platform

Conservation Guidelines: reinstate original window openings

Comparative Examples: Jewell Railway Station, Brunswick  
Moreland Railway Station, Coburg  
Coburg Railway Station, Coburg

Principal Historic Themes: significant phases in the development of towns and suburbs; 19th century speculative building activity  
significant phases in the development of towns and suburbs (urban settlement); 19th century speculative subdivision patterns  
early 20th century suburban

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