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## Former New Zealand Loan & Mercantile Agency



B4096 Fmr NZ Loan Co



B4096 Security Building

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### Location

538 Collins Street, MELBOURNE VIC 3000 - Property No B4096

### Municipality

MELBOURNE CITY

### Level of significance

Local

### Victorian Heritage Register (VHR) Number

H0478

### Heritage Listing

National Trust

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### Statement of Significance

Last updated on - April 8, 2008

Erected in 1909/10 for the New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Company Limited, this building is an excellent example of the architectural styling of the period with the then move from Art Nouveau towards more conservative motifs indicated on the various details of the elevations. The loss of the original entrance doorway is regretted but other features are intact and the stone dressings about windows and oriels are particularly elegant. The later extensions of 1960 at the rear of the site facing King Street are not included.

Classified: 06/03/1980

Other Names      Security House,

Hermes Number   64680

Property Number

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