HOUSE

Address: 137 Strangways Terrace

Certificate of Title: 5793/248

Use: Residence

Hill Street

PA1 **Policy Area:**

North Adelaide Historic (Conservation) Zone

Heritage Status: LHP

Other Assessments: Townscape 1993





HISTORY AND DESCRIPTION:

This house is an excellent example of an 1890s-1920s Edwardian mansion constructed during the Federation period. It retains important stylistic elements including bluestone walls, brick quoining and window and door surrounds, tall brick chimneys, elaborate gable ends, decorative timber verandah elements. The house was constructed in 1897-8 for Miss R B Andrews, and was designed by architects Garlick Jackman and Garlick.

This area of North Adelaide was subdivided in the 1880s and subsequently developed during the decades following. This house remains an important indication of the type of residences constructed at that time, and the use of design sources from Europe and Britain including Queen Ann, Arts and Crafts, and art nouveau often resulting in a distinctly Australian 'Federation' type.

STATEMENT OF HERITAGE VALUE:

This house is an important example of the type of residences constructed in North Adelaide during the 1890s-1920s, and reflects the design, details and building materials commonly in use at that time.

The significant number of stone and brick residences, like this house, constructed between 1890 and 1920 throughout this section of the city, are an important element of the distinctive historic residential character of North Adelaide.

RELEVANT CRITERIA (under Section 23(4) of the Development Act, 1993):

- This house displays historical and social themes that are of importance to North Adelaide as it (a) represents the continued construction of residences on recently subdivided Town Acres, particularly during the 1890s-1920s.
- (d) This house displays aesthetic merit and design characteristics of significance to North Adelaide as it is a typical Edwardian residence displaying consistent use of typical materials such as bluestone masonry walls, brick quoins, window and door surrounds and highly decorative timber elements.

EXTENT OF LISTING:

The external form, materials and details of this 1897 two storey Edwardian/Federation period bluestone and brick residence, including the walls and roof form associated with the house style.

NOTE: The 'Description of Place and Elements of Heritage Value' listed in the Adelaide (City) Development Plan for this property is as follows:

Two storey Edwardian/Federation period bluestone and brick residence. Excludes northern/rear wall.

This is the legally recognised listing and should be used for the purposes of development application assessment

REFERENCES

- ACC Rate Assessments
- Smith Survey 1880