HOUSE

Address: 73 Margaret Street

Certificate of Title: 5784/202

Use: Residence

Margaret Street

Policy Area: PA6

North Adelaide Historic (Conservation) Zone

Heritage Status: LHP
Other Assessments: LHP(T)
Conservation Reports: Nil



HISTORY AND DESCRIPTION:

This house is an excellent example of an 1890s-1920s red face brick residence. It retains important stylistic elements including brick walls, tall brick chimneys, hipped and gabled corrugated iron roof, decorative timber verandah brackets and bullnose verandah roof profile.

The Smith Survey shows that Little Margaret Street, as this northern end was known, as being well built up by 1880. The outline of an earlier building is visible on this allotment in Town Acre 824 at that time. These houses remain an indication of the type of residences constructed as replacement development in 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 Arts and Crafts, and Art Nouveau.

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):

- (a) This house displays historical and social themes that are of importance to North Adelaide as it 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 of a transitional design, displaying consistent use of typical materials such as brick masonry walls, and decorative timber elements.

EXTENT OF LISTING:

Original external form, materials and details of this asymmetrical Edwardian transitional masonry residence, including walls, verandah 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:

House

Frontage and side wall returns visible from the street

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

REFERENCES

Smith Survey 1880