HOUSE

Address: 89 Kingston Terrace

Certificate of Title: 5390/810

Use: Residence

Kentish Arms

Policy Area: PA11

North Adelaide Historic (Conservation) Zone

Heritage Status: LHP

Other Assessments: Townscape Initiative

1993

Conservation Reports: Nil



HISTORY AND DESCRIPTION:

This house is an excellent example of late Victorian symmetrically fronted bluestone residence. It retains important stylistic elements including brick quoins and facings to windows and doors, verandah and eaves brackets.

Town Acre 1032 was undeveloped at the time of the Smith Survey in 1880 but was subsequently developed during the decade following. This house remains an important indication of the type of residences constructed at that time, and the use of South Australian bluestone as a building material.

STATEMENT OF HERITAGE VALUE:

This house is an important example of the type of residences constructed in North Adelaide during the 1880s-1890s, and reflects the design, details and building materials characteristic of that time.

The significant number of stone and brick residences, like this house, constructed between 1870 and 1890 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 1880s and 1890s.
- (d) This house displays aesthetic merit and design characteristics of significance to North Adelaide as it is a typical 1880s Victorian residence displaying consistent use of materials such as masonry walls and brick quoins and facings.

EXTENT OF LISTING:

External form, materials and details of this late Victorian symmetrically fronted 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:

House

Victorian symmetrically fronted residence

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

REFERENCES

Smith Survey 1880