

REGISTER OF HERITAGE PLACES Interim Entry

1. **NUMBER** 1461

NAME Mick Omedi's Camp
 LOCATION Tower St., Gwalia

4. DESCRIPTION OF ELEMENTS INCLUDED IN THE ENTRY (GENERAL)

A corrugated iron clad, timber framed miner's hut and workshop with filter cloth linings and homemade lighting system constructed to be operated from an automobile battery. The hut contains two rooms and a very small bathroom and has a small verandah. Constructed circa 1940 by Mick Omedi. The hut was blown over in a storm in 1987 and is substantially reconstructed.

5. LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREA Leonora

6. OWNER

7. STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE OF PLACE (ASSESSMENT IN DETAIL)

The place has been assessed by the National Trust of Australia (WA) and has been entered in the Register held by that body as a classified building with the following statement of significance:

Significant for its illustration of the historical development of the goldfields and associated social conditions and architectural improvisation.

The place has also been assessed by the Australian Heritage Commission and has been entered in the Register of the National Estate with the following statement of significance:

Significant for its illustration of the historical development of the goldfields and associated social conditions and architectural improvisation.

8. REGISTER OF HERITAGE PLACES (DATE OF GAZETTAL)

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9. CONSERVATION ORDER

10. HERITAGE AGREEMENT

11. REFERENCES

National Trust Assessment Exposition Register of the National Estate