



**HERITAGE  
COUNCIL**  
OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA

## **REGISTER OF HERITAGE PLACES REMOVED ENTRY**

The interim registration of this place was not made permanent and therefore lapsed on the 20 May 1993. The Notice of this under the *Heritage of Western Australia Act 1990* appeared in the Government Gazette on 21 February 2017.

1. **NUMBER** 0303
2. **NAME** *Broome Historical Museum*
3. **DESCRIPTION OF ELEMENTS INCLUDED IN THE ENTRY (GENERAL)**

A single storey building with formed concrete walls and timber framed corrugated iron clad roof. Built circa 1890 as the Queen's Warehouse and subsequently used by customs, the building has recently been converted for use as a museum for the local history society.

4. **LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREA** Broome
5. **LOCATION** 67 Robinson Street, Broome  
Lot 4 C/ T 1727/480
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:

An interesting example of the development of the Broome house form into larger public buildings. The early use of in-situ concrete is also significant.

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

Historically significant for its associations with Broome's extensive trade in pearl shell and Asian goods, for which activities this building served as customs house from 1889. Architecturally the building is an early example of formed concrete construction.

8. **REGISTER OF HERITAGE PLACES (DATE OF GAZETAL)**

Interim Entry 19/ 5/1992

Removed 21/2/2017

9. CONSERVATION ORDER

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10. HERITAGE AGREEMENT

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11. REFERENCE

National Trust Assessment Exposition  
Register of the National Estate