



REGISTER OF HERITAGE PLACES

Permanent Entry

1. DATA BASE No. 2513
2. NAME *Midland Post Office* (1913)
3. LOCATION Cnr Helena Street & Great Eastern Highway, Midland
4. DESCRIPTION OF PLACE INCLUDED IN THIS ENTRY
Swan Location 5867 being the whole of the land comprised in Certificate of Title Volume 1194 Folio 290.
5. LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREA Shire of Swan
6. OWNER Australian Postal Commission
7. HERITAGE LISTINGS

Register of Heritage Places:	Interim Entry	30/08/1994
	Permanent Entry	11/08/1995
National Trust Classification:		21/10/1980
Town Planning Scheme:		09/12/1985
Register of National Estate:		21/10/1980
8. CONSERVATION ORDER

9. HERITAGE AGREEMENT

10. STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE
Midland Post Office has cultural heritage significance for the following reasons:

it is a fine and rare example of civic government buildings constructed for large regional centres;

it is aesthetically linked with civic buildings within the historic civic precinct of Midland;

it is a fine example of the civic architecture of Hillson Beasley, Principal Government Architect, 1897-1905;

it is an important part of the streetscape of the town centre;

the building represents the development of telecommunication services in the State and particularly, to the growth of railway and industrial centres in the early 1900s; and,

the attached residence is a demonstration of a particular way of life of the postmaster in society at the time.

Outbuildings associated with the Post Office are assessed as having little cultural heritage significance at this time.