



REGISTER OF HERITAGE PLACES

Permanent Entry

1. **DATA BASE No.** 3357
2. **NAME** *Dalgety House* (1901; c. 1970)
3. **LOCATION** Cnr of Anderson & Wedge Streets, Port Hedland
4. **DESCRIPTION OF PLACE INCLUDED IN THIS ENTRY**
 Port Hedland Lot 264, being the whole of the land comprised in Certificate of Title Volume 1390 Folio 916.

 Port Hedland Lot 74, being the whole of the land comprised in Certificate of Title Volume 466 Folio 37A.

 Port Hedland Lot 462, being the whole of the land comprised in Certificate of Title Volume 1926 Folio 114.
5. **LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREA** Shire of Port Hedland
6. **OWNER** Port Hedland Regional Maritime Historical Society Inc.
7. **HERITAGE LISTINGS**

• Register of Heritage Places:	Interim Entry	26/02/1999
	Permanent Entry	14/05/1999
• National Trust Classification:		-----
• Town Planning Scheme:		-----
• Municipal Inventory:	Adopted	31/12/1996
• Register of the National Estate:		-----
8. **CONSERVATION ORDER**

9. **HERITAGE AGREEMENT**

10. **STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE**
Dalgety House, a single storey, timber and corrugated iron residence in the north-west vernacular style, has cultural heritage significance for the following reasons:

 the place is a rare extant example of a relatively intact residence in the north of Western Australia dating from the early twentieth century, designed in response to local climatic influences. It represents a type of vernacular architecture, fast disappearing, which

had an influence on the development of contemporary building styles in the region;

built to house employees of the Dalgety Company, the place is associated with the historic development of Port Hedland. The Dalgety Company provided essential shipping, stock and merchandising agencies, as well as communication services, to the north-west settlements;

as one of the few residential buildings remaining in the commercial environment of the town centre, the place is an important element in the Port Hedland townscape which contributes to the variety and interest of the town centre and is a modest landmark; and,

the place is representative of company housing provided for employees in rural, mining and forestry districts.

The concrete outbuildings are considered to have little cultural heritage significance.