

REGISTER OF HERITAGE PLACES Permanent Entry

1. **NUMBER** 1142

2. NAME Dominican Convent (Former)

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

Simple stone residential building with verandahs on the east and south sides and a large chapel on the north. It has a corrugated iron roof. The verandahs have a timber floor and square cut posts. The door to the Chapel has a semi circular brick arch and a circular motif above. It housed the Dominican sisters who arrived from New Zealand in 1899 to open the convent and school.

4. LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREA Greenough

5. LOCATION Clinch Place, Greenough

Lot 3 D 55014 1527/706

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:

Important for its architectural character as a convent, and socially significant for its role in the religious and educational life of the rural community.

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 architectural character as a convent and socially significant for its role in the religious and educational life of the rural community.

8. REGISTER OF HERITAGE PLACES (DATE OF GAZETTAL)

Interim Entry 17/7/1992

Permanent Entry 9/7/1993

- 9. CONSERVATION ORDER
- 10. HERITAGE AGREEMENT

11. REFERENCES

National Trust Assessment Exposition Register of the National Estate