



REGISTER OF HERITAGE PLACES

Permanent Entry

1. **DATA BASE No.** 06291
2. **NAME** *Beverley Judicial Complex (1897 & 1911)*
3. **LOCATION** Bartram Street, Beverley
4. **DESCRIPTION OF PLACE INCLUDED IN THIS ENTRY**
 Beverley Lot 367, being Crown Reserve 21307 and being the whole of the land comprised in Crown Land Record Volume 3018 Folio 374.

 Beverley Lot 368, being Crown Reserve 6614 and being the whole of the land comprised in Crown Land Record Volume 3018 Folio 376.
5. **LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREA** Shire of Beverley
6. **OWNER** The State of Western Australia.
Shire of Beverley
7. **HERITAGE LISTINGS**

• Register of Heritage Places: • National Trust Classification: • Town Planning Scheme: • Municipal Inventory: • Register of the National Estate:	Interim Entry Permanent Entry Adopted	14/12/2001 30/08/2002 ----- ----- 26/04/1996 -----
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8. **CONSERVATION ORDER**

9. **HERITAGE AGREEMENT**

10. **STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE**
Beverley Judicial Complex, a group of three single-storey red brick buildings in the Federation Free Classical and Federation arts and Crafts styles and a simple brick stable, has cultural heritage significance for the following reasons:

the place is an integral part of the important historic townscape of Beverley;

the place is evidence of the development of law and order in the Beverley locality. The courthouse functioned as such from 1897 to 1980 and the police station and quarters from 1911 to 1983;

the place forms a precinct of Federation Free Classical and Federation Arts and Crafts buildings which complement each other in architectural style, construction materials, and function;

the courthouse is a distinctive example of an important civic building in Federation Free Classical style, and its scale, detail and prominent corner location give it landmark qualities;

the former Police Station and Quarters is a fine example of a terrace building designed for both residential and civic use;

the place was constructed under the direction of Colonial Architect George Temple Poole (1891-1897) and Chief Architect Hillson Beasley (1905-1917); and,

the places reflects the development of the Beverley district and Avon Valley area and the evolution of the justice and police system of Western Australia.

The 1967 brick toilet block and store at the rear of the courthouse, and the timber frame and weatherboard laundry and brick bathroom buildings at the rear of the police quarters building, are of little significance.