



REGISTER OF HERITAGE PLACES

Permanent Entry

1. DATA BASE No. 3212
2. NAME *Point King Lighthouse Ruin* (1858)
3. LOCATION King Point, Albany
4. DESCRIPTION OF PLACE INCLUDED IN THIS ENTRY
That portion of Albany Lot 1005, being part of Crown Reserve 27068 and being part of the land in Crown Land Record Volume 3009 Folio 2, as is defined in HCWA drawing number 3212 prepared by Steffanoni Ewing and Cruickshank Pty Ltd.
5. LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREA Town of Albany
6. OWNER Town of Albany
7. HERITAGE LISTINGS
 - Register of Heritage Places: Interim Entry 28/06/1996
 - Permanent Entry 13/12/1996
 - National Trust Classification: -----
 - Planning Scheme: -----
 - Municipal Inventory: -----
 - Register of National Estate: 15/04/1992
8. CONSERVATION ORDER

9. HERITAGE AGREEMENT

10. STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE
Point King Lighthouse Ruin, of local limestone, has cultural heritage significance as an archaeological site for the following reasons:
 - the place has important historical associations with shipping in Australia, and with the development of the Port of Albany as the first port of call for shipping from Europe and Africa;
 - the place has important associations with coastal navigation services in Australia, both as the remains of the first navigational lighthouse for the south-west coastline dating from 1858, and as the second lighthouse on the Western Australian coast;

the place is socially significant for its association with former lighthouse keepers and for contributing to the Albany's sense of place and importance; and,

the place is aesthetically important for its simplicity and the sophisticated utilisation of local material in a natural environment.

The alterations made to the south east section of the place, during World War Two, are considered to be of low significance.