HERITAGE COUNCIL OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA

REGISTER OF HERITAGE PLACES

PERMANENT ENTRY

1. DATA BASE No. **3583**

2. NAME *Bridgetown Roads Board Office (fmr)* (1908)

FORMER NAME Nelson Roads Board Offices (1908 -1917)

OTHER NAMES Bridgetown Roads Board

3. LOCATION 17 Steere Street, Bridgetown

4. DESCRIPTION OF PLACE INCLUDED IN THIS ENTRY

Portion of Lot 21 on Diagram 74158 being part of the land contained in Certificate of Title Volume 1813 Folio 767 as shown on HC Curtilage Map P3583-0.

5. LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREA Shire of Bridgetown-Greenbushes

6. OWNER

Noel Desmond Holdsworth and Beverley June Holdsworth

7. HERITAGE LISTINGS

• Register of Heritage Places:	Interim	07/11/2017
	Permanent	17/04/2018
• National Trust Classification:		----------
• Town Planning Scheme:		----------
• Municipal Inventory:	Adopted	31/08/1996
• Register of the National Estate:		----------

8. CONSERVATION ORDER

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9. HERITAGE AGREEMENT

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10. STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

Bridgetown Roads Board Office (fmr), a former Roads Board Office constructed of brick and iron in the Federation Free Classical style built in 1908, has cultural heritage significance for the following reasons:

the place is a fine intact and ornate example of a Roads Board building in the Federation Free Classical style and was reportedly the most elaborate and substantial Roads Board Office in the south-west when completed in 1908;

the place was designed by well known architect P. W. Harrison and is a fine example of his design work in the Federation Free Classical style, and,

the place was built in 1908, and is associated with the development of the Bridgetown district which was flourishing due to the growth of the timber trade and fruit growing industry following the opening of the railway in 1898.