

Premises (Surgery), 15 Brunswick St, Fitzroy, VIC, Australia

Photographs:



List: Register of the National Estate

Class: Historic

Legal Status: [Registered](#) (21/03/1978)

Place ID: 4886

Place File No: 2/11/020/0035

Statement of Significance:

This is an interesting example of late boom classicism as characterized by the elaborated and distorted features and the use of segmental arches. The facade is typically composed; the squat Ionic pilasters and heavy cornice mouldings are distinctive features. The intact first floor and the painted signs on the exposed side facade are notable. The building is an essential feature of the Brunswick/ Gertrude Street Precinct.

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Official Values: Not Available

Description:

The premises at 15 Brunswick Street were erected in 1903. The two storey brick structure is composed of a pier and stilted segmental arch system on the ground floor. The first floor has piers and semi circular arches and a heavily moulded entablature supported on Ionic pilasters at each end of the facade. A pedimented name-plate bearing the date (A1903D) is located centrally on the parapet.

History: Not Available

Condition and Integrity:

The building is generally intact, however the ground floor facade has been painted and the contrasting effect of brickwork walls and rendered mouldings has been lost. There have been some alterations to the ground floor windows.

Location:

15 Brunswick Street, Fitzroy.

Bibliography:

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