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## Former London Stores



B6561 London Stores

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### Location

349 - 357 Bourke Street,, MELBOURNE VIC 3000 - Property No B6561

### Municipality

MELBOURNE CITY

### Level of significance

Regional

### Heritage Listing

National Trust

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### Statement of Significance

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A reinforced concrete and steel emporium built to the then Melbourne height limit of 132 feet (40 metres) the London Stores was built in 1925 to a design by the architects H W and F B Tompkins. The building is in the same tradition of cubic classical revival forms expressed by others such as the Nicholas and Port Authority buildings, is one of the major emporiums built in Bourke Street in the period 1910-30 and is a significant landmark marking, together with the Post Office, the entry to the Bourke Street shopping centre.

Classified: 06/06/1994

Hermes Number 64457

Property Number

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