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Heritage Statement

Site/Property: Bull and Gate, 389 Kentish Town Road, London, NW5 2TJ.

Schedule Ancient Monument

N/A.

Archaeologically Sensitive Area

N/A.

Listed Building

Built in approximately 1871, this grade two listed building has many astounding features: Victorian pub in the Gin Palace tradition with exuberant internal and external detailing and a well surviving quality pub interior. Advanced ground floor houses the public rooms and main entrances with a curved return to the north where second door, large windows with decorative transoms have been replaced, and a pair of wide arches over the 2 main openings, that to the left with some later infill (formerly a shop). All of this is richly detailed, including heads and leaves in the ionic capitals over the marble pilasters, the name of the pub spelled out prominently in the frieze and an eponymous bull and gate relief above the main entrance. Behind this are two further storeys of the building, of red brick with rendered detailing to rusticated pilasters and frieze, of five window bays with a central elongated Palladian style window under a half-moon shape plaque announcing 'Bull & Gate 1871'. The first floor windows have semi-circular shells over each one, and the brick is curved at both corners. Plaque to north side with date, architect and builder names is heavily painted. Side and rear elevations much plainer and more altered, including inserted 20th century windows to rear.

Conservation Area

N/A.

Historic Parks and Gardens

N/A.



