

## THE STRUCTURE OF THE GAZETTEER

This volume contains the gazetteer for the Conservation Plan Area (the Royal Ordnance Depot's Storehouse Enclosure and land to the west between the Storehouse Enclosure and Magazine Enclosure), the intention being that one can take the volume to any component part of the site (building or area) and find an entry giving basic details about its elements, or one can use the document off-site. Only surviving component parts and elements are considered here. Inevitably the gazetteer can not be comprehensive. New information may be forthcoming which requires entries to be added and updated.

Entries in the gazetteer are presented in the following order: buildings, following the ascending numbering system adopted in the last period of the Depot's military use and also used by the RCHME report for the site (see Menuge and Williams 1999) and with the original use of the building in parenthesis; then other buildings and areas, which were not allocated a number in the military or RCHME schemes; and finally key vistas and views (see Contents, above). It therefore follows that entries are not presented either in order of date of construction or particular part of the site. In some cases there are entries for a group of component parts preceding the entries for the constituent individual component parts of that group – for the surviving parts of the original Storehouse Enclosure, the storehouses and the bastions. The entries for groups of component parts differ from those covering the individual component parts in that the former include information about the form of these component parts as originally constructed, their uses and significance as a group, but they do not contain information about alterations or survival of elements. The subsequent entries for the individual component parts do not reiterate information about the form of the buildings as constructed so that lengthy repetition is avoided. Group entries should therefore be consulted before and in conjunction with the related entries for the individual component parts. Where there is no group entry, the individual entry for a component part contains summary information under some or all of the following headings:

- Component name (and original use)
- Designation (e.g. whether listed and its Grade or curtilage-listed, Building at Risk)
- Date of construction
- Former land use
- Form as constructed
  - Plan & size
  - No. of storeys
  - Roof cover
  - Rainwater goods
  - Walls
  - Interior
  - Roof structure
- Alterations
- Uses
- Overall significance
- Survival of elements
  - Exterior
  - Roof cover
  - Wall materials
  - Each elevation (basement moving upwards, by element or group of elements)
  - Interior
  - Each floor level (basement moving upwards, by room, by element or group of elements)
  - Roof structure
  - Sources
- Historic plans and drawings, and photographs taken in 2004.