

## Kerepehi Power Substation



**Location:** Kerepehi Town Road, Kerepehi

### Heritage Status

**Historic Places Trust Registration Number:**

**Historic Places Trust Category:**

**HDC Heritage Category:** C - Heritage Item. Local or Neighbourhood Significance

**Other:**

**Physical Description:** 2 storey purpose built building

**Other known names:** Thames Valley Power Board substation

**Notable features:**

**Style:** Inter-war Georgian Revival

**Materials:** Concrete

**Date of Construction:** 1922

**History:** In 1918 the Government purchased the Hora Hora power station from the Waihi Gold Mining Company. The line from Hora Hora to Waihi was then rerouted via Paeroa, later extending across the Hauraki Plains, with Kerepehi receiving power in 1922.

**Architect:**

**Designer:**

**Builder:**

**Engineer:**

**District Plan Schedule**

**Number:** HAU428

**Heritage Category:** C

**Heritage Type:**

- Wahi Tapu
- Cultural Landscape
- Building
- Group of Buildings
- Structure
- Monument
- Historic Place
- Archaeological Site
- Other

**Date Period:**

1911 - 1940

**Significance:**

- Archaeological
- Architectural
- Cultural
- Historic
- Scientific
- Technological

**Thematic Context**

- Maori
- Early Settlement
- Industry
- Extraction
- Forestry
- Agriculture
- Transport
- Communication
- Commerce
- Residential
- Social/Cultural
- Civic
- Health
- Educational
- Church/yard
- Other

# Historic Heritage Inventory



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District Plan Schedule

Number: **HAU428**

Heritage Category: C

**History of changes:**

**Condition:** Good

**Integrity:** Substantially intact.

**Current Uses:** Electricity substation

**Former Uses:** Electricity substation

**Registered owner:** PowerCo Limited

**Legal Description:** Sec 1 SO 24446 Blk VII Kerepehi Town

**Reference Source:** Ken Clover (2007) – Taming of the Hauraki Swamp

**Associated Pictures:**