

National Inventory of the Cultural Property of the Maltese Islands

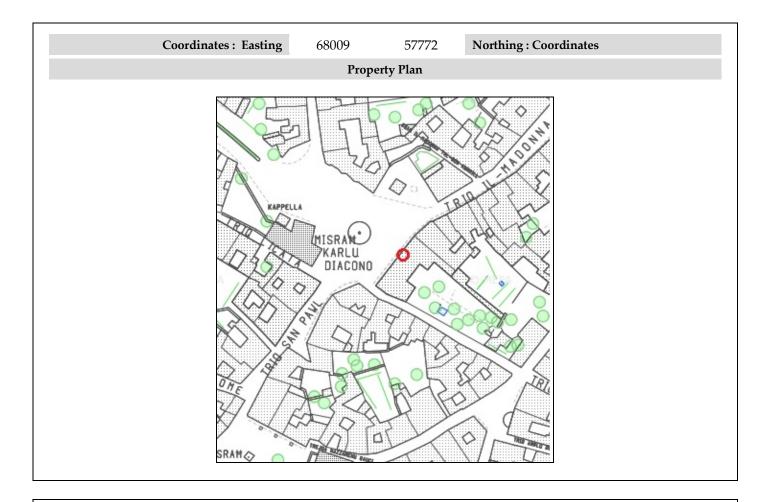
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Property Name	Niche of Prophet Daniel				
Address	Misrah Carlo Diacono				
Town Name	Zejtun	Toponym		Local Council Zejtun	
Property Owner		Managing Body	Private Owner		
Guardianship Deed					
Period	Modern (16th to 20th Century AD)				
Phase	Unknown				
Cultural Heritage Type & Value	Artistic Architectural Social		Cultural Heritage Property Value Assessment	High	
Property Function	Religious		Conservation Area		
Outline Description	Prophet Daniel				
Property Description	The niche consists of a semicircular recess crowned by a scallop. The recess stands on a moulded sill, supported by two corbels representing a lion which are in turn flanked by head of lion. The recess is framed on either side by double plain pilasters which support an architrave and a pediment. A cherub decorates the space within the pediment while the symbol of the Eucharist decorates its apex. The statue, which represents the Prophet Daniel holding a scroll in his left hand and a raised right arm, is set on a low plinth with three lion heads. A coat-of-arms is centrally placed under the plinth between the lion corbels. A marble plaque with the name of the prophet is set underneath the coat-of-arms.				
Scheduled by MEPA	Degree	of Protection	G.N. No	G.N. Date	
Recommended Bibliography					



Property Images

