SUPPLEMENTARY LISTING RECORD

NRIS Reference Number: 97001592  Date Listed: 1/9/98

Santo Domingo Indian Trading Post  Sandoval  NM
Property Name  County  State

Route 66 Through New Mexico MPS  
Multiple Name

This property is listed in the National Register of Historic Places in accordance with the attached nomination documentation subject to the following exceptions, exclusions, or amendments, notwithstanding the National Park Service certification included in the nomination documentation.

[Signature]
Signature of the Keeper

8/19/98
Date of Action

Amended Items in Nomination:

The correct level of significance is "State."

This was verified by Mary Ann Anders of the NM SHPO.

DISTRIBUTION:
National Register property file
Nominating Authority (without nomination attachment)
United States Department of the Interior
National Park Service

National Register of Historic Places
Registration Form

This form is for use in nominating or requesting determinations for individual properties and districts. See instructions in How to Complete the National Register of Historic Places Registration Form (National Register Bulletin 16A). Complete each item by marking "x" in the appropriate box or by entering the information requested. If an item does not apply to the property being documented, enter "N/A" for "not applicable." For functions, architectural classification, materials, and areas of significance, enter only categories and subcategories from the instructions. Place additional entries and narrative items on continuation sheets (NFS Form 10-900a). Use a typewriter, word processor, or computer, to complete all items.

1. Name of Property __________________________________________________

historic name ________________________________________

2. Location

street & number ____________________________ □ not for publication

city or town ____________________________ □ vicinity

date: ____________________________

state: New Mexico code: NM county: Sandoval code: 043 zip code: 87052

3. State/Federal Agency Certification

As the designated authority under the National Historic Preservation Act, as amended, I hereby certify that this □ nomination □ request for determination of eligibility meets the documentation standards for registering properties in the National Register of Historic Places and meets the procedural and professional requirements set forth in 36 CFR Part 60. In my opinion, the property □ meets □ does not meet the National Register criteria. I recommend that this property be considered significant □ nationally □ statewide □ locally. (□ See continuation sheet for additional comments.)

□ Enter, □ Remove, □ Other (explain: )

Signature of certifying official/Title Date

State of Federal agency and bureau

In my opinion, the property □ meets □ does not meet the National Register criteria. (□ See continuation sheet for additional comments.)

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State or Federal agency and bureau

4. National Park Service Certification

I hereby certify that the property is:

[ ] entered in the National Register.
[ ] See continuation sheet.

[ ] determined eligible for the National Register.
[ ] See continuation sheet.

[ ] determined not eligible for the National Register.

[ ] removed from the National Register.

[ ] other, (explain: )

Signature of the Keeper Date of Action

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### 5. Classification

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**Number of contributing resources previously listed in the National Register**

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**Name of related multiple property listing**

*Hist. & Arch. Resources of Rt. 66 through NM*

**Current Functions**

**Historic Functions**

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### 6. Function or Use

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### 7. Description

**Architectural Classification**

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**Materials**

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<th>walls: stucco</th>
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| roof: metal                  |

| other: wood                  |

**Narrative Description**

*(Describe the historic and current condition of the property on one or more continuation sheets.)*
8. Statement of Significance

Applicable National Register Criteria
(Mark "x" in one or more boxes for the criteria qualifying the property for National Register listing.)

- A Property is associated with events that have made a significant contribution to the broad patterns of our history.
- B Property is associated with the lives of persons significant in our past.
- C Property embodies the distinctive characteristics of a type, period, or method of construction or represents the work of a master, or possesses high artistic values, or represents a significant and distinguishable entity whose components lack individual distinction.
- D Property has yielded, or is likely to yield, information important in prehistory or history.

Criteria Considerations
(Mark "x" in all the boxes that apply.)

Property is:
- A owned by a religious institution or used for religious purposes.
- B removed from its original location.
- C a birthplace or grave.
- D a cemetery.
- E a reconstructed building, object, or structure.
- F a commemorative property.
- G less than 50 years of age or achieved significance within the past 50 years.

Areas of Significance
(Enter categories from instructions)

- transportation
- architecture

Period of Significance
1926–1932

Significant Dates
1926

Significant Person
(Complete if Criterion B is marked above)
N/A

Cultural Affiliation
N/A

Architect/Builder
Seligman family

Narrative Statement of Significance
(Explain the significance of the property on one or more continuation sheets.)

9. Major Bibliographical References

Bibliography
(Cite the books, articles, and other sources used in preparing this form on one or more continuation sheets.)

Previous documentation on file (NPS):
- preliminary determination of individual listing (36 CFR 67) has been requested
- previously listed in the National Register
- previously determined eligible by the National Register
- designated a National Historic Landmark
- recorded by Historic American Buildings Survey
- recorded by Historic American Engineering Record

Primary location of additional data:
- State Historic Preservation Office
- Other State agency
- Federal agency
- Local government
- University
- Other

Name of repository:
Santo Domingo Indian Trading Post

Name of Property

Sandoval County, NM

County and State

10. Geographical Data

Acreage of Property less than one acre

UTM References
(Place additional UTM references on a continuation sheet.)

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See continuation sheet

Verbal Boundary Description
(Describe the boundaries of the property on a continuation sheet.)

Boundary Justification
(Explain why the boundaries were selected on a continuation sheet.)

11. Form Prepared By

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Additional Documentation
Submit the following items with the completed form:

Continuation Sheets

Maps

A USGS map (7.5 or 15 minute series) indicating the property's location.

A Sketch map for historic districts and properties having large acreage or numerous resources.

Photographs

Representative black and white photographs of the property.

Additional items
(Check with the SHPO or FPO for any additional items)

Property Owner
(Complete this item at the request of SHPO or FPO)

name

street & number

telephone

city or town

state

zip code

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Sandoval County, New Mexico

7. Description

The Santo Domingo Indian Trading Post complex consists of three adjoining buildings. The northernmost building that served as a trading post from its construction in 1922 until it closed in 1995 is a two-story building with a corrugated metal roof. Hipped at the rear of the building, it is pitched at the front, forming a broad gable end articulated by a mixtilinear parapet suggestive of the Mission Revival Style. The foundation is concrete and rubble, and the walls consist of roughly-textured stucco over adobe. An interior brick chimney is at the rear of the building. The building is rectangular with a shed addition on its north side.

A large sign extends across the facade above the second story one-over-one double-hung windows and below a grouping of louvered wood ventilators. Additional small fixed windows appear along the second-story portions of the side walls. The first-story facade is symmetrical. Patterns of Indian blankets flank large fixed commercial windows. The interior third of these windows are recessed at an angle, leading to a large wood-framed commercial door with a transom. The width of the facade is lined by a one-story shed portal with a concrete floor. The portal is supported by stucco-covered post with portals, and a sign advertising the trading post rests along the edge of the shed roof.

A single pump island with two gas pumps and a pole supporting a sign is located about twenty-five ft. in front of the building. The interior is marked by an open two-story space in the middle of the building. Wood stairs lead to the balcony surrounding the open space with wood posts at intervals supporting the balcony and roof. Adjoining the store to the south are a one-story warehouse and a one-story residence. The warehouse has a stone rubble foundation, a gray stucco front over adobe bricks, and a flat roof with a parapet across the front facade. A sliding metal door for shipping is located at the
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Description (continued)

north side of the facade, and an entry with a wood door at the center. Adjoining the warehouse to the south is a residence with stucco walls and a corrugated metal shed roof. Windows are metal casement, and the door is metal framed. A screened porch extends along much of the building's front.

8. Significance

The trading post portion of the building was constructed in 1922 by the Seligmans, a mercantile family with stores in other railroad communities including Bernalillo. It succeeded an earlier store, built in 1880, adjoining it to the south which was then converted to a warehouse. Until its closing in 1995, the trading post served a variety of clientele including Santo Domingo Indians, people travelling the Santa Fe Railroad which stopped at the nearby Domingo depot, and motorists travelling the Santa Fe-Albuquerque highway which passed directly in front of the store. In 1926, the road became part of the alignment of the newly designated Routes 85 and 66, serving as such until the roadway was realigned some two miles to the east in 1932. Because of this historic association with early automobile tourism along Route 66, the property is eligible under Criterion A. It is also eligible under Criterion C as a good early example of the location, setting, design and materials of the property type of roadside trading posts. Most notable is the building's use of a California Mission Revival Style facade. First popularized by the AT&SF Railroad in its depots, the style continued to appear in commercial facades through the 1920s when it was gradually replaced by the Spanish-Pueblo Revival Style as a more authentic expression of the region's architectural heritage.
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9. Bibliography


Thompson, Fred, store operator from 1946 until his death in 1995. Interview with David Kammer, 3/10/92. NMSHPO

Verbal Boundary Description

A rectilinear parcel measuring approximately 150 x 75' which is located immediately west of the Domingo-Santo Domingo Road where it intersects former Rt. 66 at the AT&SF Railroad crossing at Domingo.

Boundary Justification

The boundary includes only the rectilinear portion of the lot that has historically been a part of the Santo Domingo Trading Post and a ten-foot buffer surrounding the building.