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Statement of Reasons - Australian War Memorial Early Works Approval [SEC=OFFICIAL]

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The National Capital Authority (NCA) refers to your request for a statement of reasons for the decision of the NCA made on 4 June 2021 to approve early works associated with the Australian War Memorial (AWM) redevelopment.

The NCA attaches the statement of reasons for that decision. Due to the broad public interest in the AWM redevelopment, the statement of reasons is also being published on the NCA's website <https://www.nca.gov.au/consultation/block-3-section-39-campbell-australian-war-memorial>.

The statement sets out the delegate's findings of facts, a reference to the evidence or other material on which those findings were based, and the delegate's reasons for the decision.

To the extent that your submissions to the NCA raised matters relevant to whether the proposed works are not inconsistent with the Plan, the delegate considered those matters in reaching their decision to approve the works, as set in the statement of reasons. To the extent that your submissions raised other matters against approval of the works, the delegate considered that they were not reasons to refuse works approval, as set in the statement of reasons.

In providing this statement of reasons the NCA does not accept that you are entitled to a statement of reasons or that you would have standing as an 'aggrieved person' to seek review of the NCA's works approval decision under the *Administrative Decisions (Judicial Review) Act 1977* (Cth) (ADJR Act). It is recommended that you seek independent legal advice regarding this matter.

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