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Submitted to **Review of the Aboriginal Heritage Act 1972 - Phase Two consultation**
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Introduction

What is your name?

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NA

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Yes

Proposal 1

Will the proposal deliver the desired outcome?

Yes

If no, why not?:

What changes would you suggest and why?:

Proposal 2

Will the proposal deliver the desired outcome?

Yes

If no, why not?:

What changes would you suggest and why?:

The "criteria" for places and objects to be protected under the Act should emphasise values that are important to Aboriginal people. These values might not be the same as those reflected in, say the Burra Charter. Similarly, archaeological sites that reveal evidence of use or occupation by Aboriginal people are not necessarily "valued" by Aboriginal people.

The Northern Territory's "Aboriginal Sacred Places Act" is a good example of legislation that is concerned with the values of Aboriginal people, rather than archaeologists, the Burra Charter, etc. That Act does not even use the word "heritage" which is, after all, an imported European concept, not a traditional indigenous Australian concept.

Proposal 3a

Will the proposal deliver the desired outcome?

Yes

If no, why not?:

What changes would you suggest and why?:

Proposal 3b

Will the proposal deliver the desired outcome?

Yes

If no, why not?:

What changes would you suggest and why?:

Proposal 3c

Will the proposal deliver the desired outcome?

Yes

If no, why not?:

What changes would you suggest and why?:

Proposal 3d

Will the proposal deliver the desired outcome?

Yes

If no, why not?:

What changes would you suggest and why?:

Proposal 3e

Will the proposal deliver the desired outcome?

Yes

If no, why not?:

What changes would you suggest and why?:

Proposal 4

Will the proposal deliver the desired outcome?

Not Answered

If no, why not?:

What changes would you suggest and why?:

Proposal 5

Will the proposal deliver the desired outcome?

Yes

If no, why not?:

What changes would you suggest and why?:

Proposal 6

Will the proposal deliver the desired outcome?

Yes

If no, why not?:

What changes would you suggest and why?:

Proposal 7

Will the proposal deliver the desired outcome?

Yes

If no, why not?:

What changes would you suggest and why?:

Proposal 8

Will the proposal deliver the desired outcome?

Yes

If no, why not?:

What changes would you suggest and why?:

Proposal 9

Will the proposal deliver the desired outcome?

Yes

If no, why not?:

What changes would you suggest and why?: