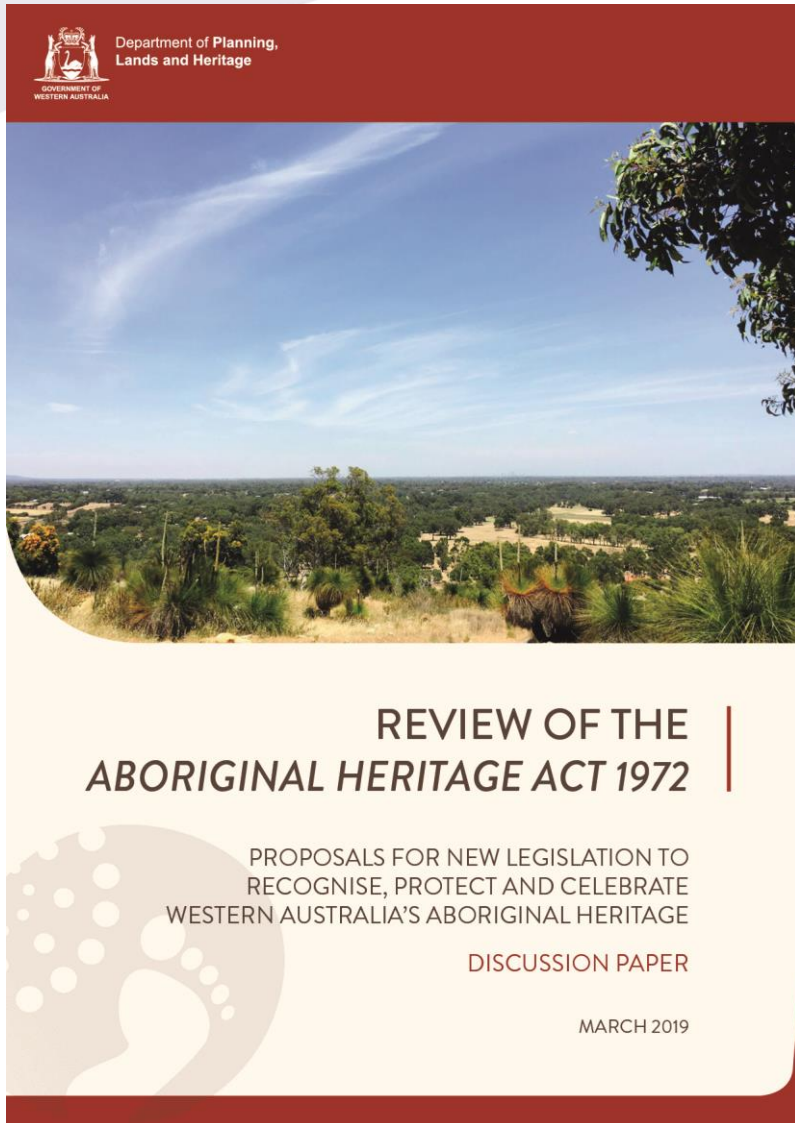




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**AHA REVIEW PHASE 2 WORKSHOPS**  
**WARBURTON – 8 MAY 2019**  
*Facilitator Report*

## PHASE 2 CONSULTATION WORKSHOP - WARBURTON

DATE: 8 May 2019

VENUE: Warburton College

ATTENDANCE: 25

### MEETING PROCESS:

- Welcome to Country
- Introduction by Facilitator
- Presentation by DPLAH
- Facilitated Discussion (throughout presentation)

### FACILITATOR AND STAFF:

- Facilitator – Graham Castledine
- DPLAH – Vaughan Davies, Tracey Ninnette and Ceonie Clinch

### FEEDBACK ON KEY THEMES:

1. What will be protected
  - Women's culture and men's culture need protection.
2. Management of Information
  - Some sites/stories cannot be talked about – but still need protection.
3. Local Aboriginal Heritage Service
  - This should be a Council of Tribal Elders made up of men and women;
  - Will need help from the Dept. to set up the corporation.
4. Aboriginal Heritage Council
  - All members should be Aboriginal.
5. Land Use Proposals
  - Need to stop 'back door' deals – proponents to consult with Elders first;
  - Minister should be required to meet with LAHS representatives before making any decision on land use that would impact heritage.

## GENERAL OBSERVATIONS:

Participants were generally supportive of the proposal, especially the increase in penalties and options for compensation and restoration. However, for this to work, the Register will need to contain enough information to alert proponents (eg mining companies) to the need to engage the processes in the new Act.