

Ministerial Determination of Interim Heritage Order request for Camden Town Centre

Since May 2015, the Office of Environment and Heritage received submissions requesting the Minister for Planning to intervene and stop the Camden Town Centre enhancement works.

The Office of Environment and Heritage has reviewed the submissions and based on information provided, the Minister for Heritage has determined ***not to make an Interim Heritage Order for Camden Town Centre*** therefore has decided not to interfere in Council's Town Centre Enhancement Works.

The Ministerial Determination is attached.



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Dear Mr Moore

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I advise that the Minister for Heritage, the Hon. Mark Speakman SC MP, has considered the Interim Heritage Order requests received for Camden Town Centre.

Under the *Heritage Act 1977*, Interim Heritage Orders can be made if the Minister considers that an item or place may, on further inquiry or investigation, be found to be of state or local heritage significance. It is noted that the Camden Town Centre Conservation Area has already been assessed and included on the Camden Local Environmental Plan 2010 as an area of local heritage significance.

The Minister considers that, as further investigation is unlikely to reveal heritage values that would meet the threshold for listing on the State Heritage Register, he has determined not to make an Interim Heritage Order for Camden Town Centre.

Thank you for your interest in the heritage of NSW and should you have any enquiries regarding this matter, please contact Lucy Hampton, Heritage Officer at the Heritage Division, Office of Environment and Heritage, on 9873 8535.

Yours sincerely

25 August 2015

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