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Dear Sir/Madam

Inquiry into the Administration of the National Memorials Ordinance 1928

## We submit that:

- Membership of the Canberra National Memorials Committee should have a wide range of people including citizens and experts, to comment on proposals for memorials.
- Transparency in the administration of the ordinance should be improved.
- There should be an increased level of public participation in the development of proposed national memorials. We believe that the current lakeside world war memorials proposal has had inadequate public consultation.

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Yours sincerely

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Long term residents of the ACT

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