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## MEDIA RELEASE

### **Garden Island wharf under scrutiny**

The Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works will hold a public hearing in Sydney on Thursday to examine the Department of Defence's proposed Garden Island (East) Critical Infrastructure Recovery Program.

The project proposes to provide a fully functioning wharf that will provide for both current and future requirements at the north-west end of the Garden Island Defence Precinct in Sydney. The estimated cost of the project is \$213.4 million, excluding GST.

**NB** *the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works is neither involved in the tendering process nor the awarding of contracts. Enquiries on those matters should be addressed to the Department of Defence.*

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**Public hearing details: 2:30 pm – 3:30 pm, Thursday, 4 May 2017, Garden Island Defence Precinct, Juanita Nielsen Community Centre, Woolloomooloo, Sydney**

2:30 pm – 3:30 pm: Department of Defence

3:30 pm: *Close*

The hearing will be broadcast live at [aph.gov.au/live](http://aph.gov.au/live)

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