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Appendix B – List of hearings, witnesses and inspections

Fit-out of New Leased Premises for the Department of Education, Employment and Workplace Relations at Block 9, Section 31, Canberra, ACT

Friday 6 June 2008 – Canberra

Site inspection

Canberra City, cnr Rudd, Marcus Clarke and Alinga Streets

DEEWR building, Mort Street, Braddon

In-camera hearing

Four witnesses

Public hearing

Department of Education, Employment and Workplace Relations

Mr Bill Burmester, Deputy Secretary, DEEWR

Mr Craig Storen, Chief Finance Officer, DEEWR

Mr Mark Cuthbert, Project Director, DEEWR

Mr Paul Wilkin, Project Consultant, Xact Project Consultants

Australian Pavilion at the Shanghai World Expo 2010

Wednesday, 6 August 2008 - Canberra

In-camera hearing

Two witnesses

Public hearing

Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade

Mr Peter Tesch, Commissioner-General for Australia, Executive Director, Shanghai World Expo 2010

Mr Peter Sams, Pavilion Director, Shanghai World Expo 2010

Bridging of Kings Avenue over Parkes Way at the Russell Roundabout, ACT

Wednesday, 6 August 2008 – Canberra

Site Inspection

Russell Roundabout, Canberra, ACT

In-camera hearing

Seven witnesses

Public hearing

National Capital Authority

Ms Annabelle Nicole Pegrum, Chief Executive, NCA

Mr Andrew Douglas Smith, Acting Managing Director - Projects, NCA

Mr Philip Anthony Waite, Director-Construction & Procurement, NCA

Mr Mark Henry de Jager, Director & Cost Planner, WT Partnership (consultant to NCA)

Dr Khaled Abbas Sayed, Principal Transport Planner, SMEC Australia (consultant to NCA) Mr Adrian Duncan Pilton, Consultant Technical Team Director & Architect, Johnson Pilton Walker Pty Ltd (consultant to NCA)

Ms Jennifer Hill, Heritage Specialist, Architectural Projects Pty Ltd (consultant to NCA)

Mr Lindsay Kristian Jacobsen, SMEC (consultant to NCA)

ACT Government

Mr Tony Gill, Director, Roads ACT

Walter Burley Griffin Society Incorporated

Mr Brett Odgers, Chair, Walter Burley Griffin Society Incorporated (Canberra Chapter)

Professor James Weirick, President, Walter Burley Griffin Society Incorporated

Construction of New Warehousing Facilities at Wadsworth Barracks, East Bandiana, Vic

Thursday, 7 August 2008 - Albury

Site Inspection

Gaza Ridge Barracks (North Bandiana)

Wadsworth Barracks (East Bandiana)

In-camera hearing

Seven witnesses

Public hearing

Department of Defence

Brig William Grice, Director General, Infrastructure Asset Development

Mrs Jacqueline Bestek, Project Director, Infrastructure Asset Development

Mr Michael James Ross, Senior Project Manager, Arup Pty Ltd

Colonel Simon John Tuckerman, Commander, Wadsworth Barracks, Bandiana, Vic

Mr Wayne Cleggett, Regional Estate Development Manager, Defence Support – Riverina Murray Valley

Mr Warwick David Tempany, Design Consultant (Director), GHD Pty Ltd

Mr Rick Zentelis, Director, Heritage and Biodiversity, Estate Planning, Infrastructure Division

Community statement session

Two participants