

# Heritage (Decision about Provisional Registration of the Former Patent Office Building, Barton) Notice 2013

Notifiable Instrument NI2013—334

made under the

***Heritage Act 2004* s34 Notice of decision about Provisional Registration**

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**1. Name of instrument**

This instrument is the *Heritage (Decision about Provisional Registration of the Former Patent Office Building, Barton) Notice 2013*.

**2. Commencement**

This instrument commences on the day after notification.

**3. Notice of Decision**

Pursuant to Section 32 of the *Heritage Act 2004* the ACT Heritage Council has decided not to provisionally register the Former Patent Office Building, Barton to the ACT Heritage Register.

**Jennifer O'Connell**  
**A/g Secretary** (as delegate for)  
**ACT Heritage Council**

**25 July 2013**



ACT Heritage Council

**STATEMENT OF REASONS**

**DECISION NOT TO PROVISIONALLY REGISTER  
FORMER PATENT OFFICE BUILDING  
(Block 1 Section 3, Barton)  
IN THE ACT HERITAGE REGISTER**

**Assessment**

The Council has decided, at this stage, not to enter the Former Patent Office Building, Barton, in the ACT Heritage Register because:

1. The place is located on National Land in a Designated Area, and as such the *Heritage Act 2004* does not have direct effect;
2. The place's heritage values are recognised and protected in the Commonwealth Heritage List (Place ID. 105454), and the details of any listing are included on the ACT Heritage Database, providing public access to information about the ACT's heritage.

Duplication of listing on the ACT Heritage Register therefore would provide no additional legal protection to the place, nor would it provide additional information to the public about the heritage of the ACT.