



ACT Heritage Council

Entry to the ACT Heritage Register

Heritage Act 2004

20116. Aboriginal Places – Pialligo

Road reserve, Pailligo Avenue

Pialligo

This entry which was previously part of the old heritage places or the old heritage objects registers (as defined in the *Heritage Act 2004*), as the case may be, is taken to be registered under the *Heritage Act 2004*.

Conservation Requirements (including Specific Requirements), as defined under the *Heritage Act 2004*, that are contained within this document are taken to be Heritage Guidelines applying to this place or object, as the case may be.

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**AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY
INTERIM HERITAGE PLACES REGISTER**

For the purposes of s. 58(2) of the *Land (Planning and Environment) Act* 1991, an interim listing for the following place has been prepared by the ACT Heritage Council, for the purpose of including the:

Aboriginal Places, CMPE-AS1 and CMPE-AS2, Pialligo, District of Majura, ACT.

In an interim Heritage Places Register.

Copies of the listing are available for inspection at ACT Public Libraries and at all ACT Government Shopfronts.

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INTERIM HERITAGE PLACES REGISTER

LOCATION OF PLACE:

The Aboriginal sites are located within Pialligo District of Majura, ACT,

Note. The Minister has declared that information about the location or nature of this place is to be restricted information under s.82 of the *Land (Planning and Environment) Act 1991*.

FEATURES INTRINSIC TO THE HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE OF THE PLACE.

The features intrinsic to the heritage significance of the place are:

- Two sites of Aboriginal flaked stone artefacts, (CMPE-AS1 and CMPE-AS2)
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STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE:

Sites CMPE-AS1 and CMPE-AS2 represent a traditional way of life no longer practised in the ACT, particularly in their illustration of the procurement and working of stone for use in artefact manufacture. The surface artefacts at the sites have scientific and educational potential for the study of Aboriginal stone technology. Information about these sites complements the considerable body of archaeological research that exists for the Pialligo area. There is potential for undisturbed and significant parts of the sites to extend south of their reported locations.

The sites are of significance to the Ngun(n)awal community due to their association with traditional Ngun(n)awal culture.

SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS:

In the National Capital Plan, the land which contains the artefacts is specified as a Designated Area under the provisions of s.10(1) of the *Australian Capital Territory (Planning and Land Management) Act 1988* and work carried out is subject to the approval of the National Capital Authority.

In accordance with S.54(1) of the *Land (Planning and Environment) Act 1991*, the following requirements are identified as essential to the conservation of the heritage significance of this place. These requirements apply to works undertaken by the Territory and in circumstances where the Territory is the approving authority. The Territory's conservation policy for the place is:

1. Information about the nature and location of this place is 'restricted information' as declared under the provisions of s.82(1) of the *Land (Planning and Environment) Act, 1991*. Publication of restricted information without approval may constitute an offence.
2. That subsurface disturbance to the locations of CPME-AS1 and CPME-AS2 be permissible within a zone of 25 metres width.
3. That subsurface disturbance within this zone be accompanied by archaeological monitoring in consultation with relevant Aboriginal organisations.
4. That any proposed excavation works within the road reserve but outside this zone be preceded by archaeological investigation.
5. The artefacts which have been collected and are currently on site, should either be left on site, in an undisturbed location away from impact, or be salvaged and appropriately archived at the discretion of, and following consultation with, the three Aboriginal organisations.