



ACT Heritage Council

Entry to the ACT Heritage Register

Heritage Act 2004

20146. Aboriginal Places – Pierces Creek Forest

Block 12

District of COTTER RIVER

Blocks 47, 143, 219, 320, 322, 323 and 324

District of PADDYS RIVER

Block 491

District of STROMLO

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**AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY
INTERIM HERITAGE PLACES REGISTER**

For the purposes of s. 68(2) of the *Land (Planning and Environment) Act* 1991, a listing for the following places has been prepared by the ACT Heritage Council, for the purpose of including:

Aboriginal Places in Pierces Creek Forest, ACT.

- **Aboriginal Places in Pierces Creek Forest (195)**

In an interim Heritage Places Register.

Copies of the listing are available for inspection at ACT Public Libraries and at all ACT Government Shopfronts. For further information please contact:

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IDENTIFICATION OF THE PLACES

The places comprise 195 Aboriginal sites located in Pierces Creek Forest within:

- Block 12, District of Cotter River (n=70)
- Block 219, District of Paddys River (n=2)
- Block 320, District of Paddys River (n=70)
- Block 322, District of Paddys River (n=42)
- Block 323, District of Paddys River (n=6)
- Block 324, District of Paddys River (n=2)
- Block 47, District of Paddys River (n=1)
- Block 143, District of Paddys River (n=1)
- Block 491, District of Stromlo (n=1)

The Canberra 1:10 000 scale Adjusted Grid Co-ordinate (CMG) locations for the places are held within a database of ACT site locations. The CMG grid co-ordinates are restricted information under s.82 of the *Land (Planning and Environment) Act 1991*.

FEATURES INTRINSIC TO THE HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE OF THE PLACES

The places comprise locations where Aboriginal stone artefacts (n=131) and isolated stone artefacts (n=64) have been recorded, and their individually specified site buffer zones (as described in Schedule 2).

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The ACT Aboriginal community considers all archaeological evidence of the past occupation of the ACT by Aboriginal people to be significant. Aboriginal places have the capacity to demonstrate and provide information about ways in which Aboriginal people lived in the past. These places are part of a regional body of evidence that has potential to reveal information about patterns of past Aboriginal land-use and settlement. Details of the site locations and descriptive information about them builds upon and complements the considerable body of archaeological research that exists for the Canberra region.

These places are all part of the physical evidence of a traditional way of life that is no longer practised within the ACT. The presence of artefact scatters in these localities demonstrates past occupation and use of these places by Aboriginal people. Stone was an extremely important element of Aboriginal culture, essential to their day-to-day living. Stone artefacts thus constitute an enduring record of Aboriginal technology and settlement patterns. The individual artefacts at the sites also have significance due to their potential to contribute to research about Aboriginal stone technology.

CONSERVATION POLICY AND SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS

The Heritage Council promotes a *general conservation policy* for all Aboriginal heritage sites. This policy states that Aboriginal sites are to be conserved appropriately in accordance with their individual heritage significance, taking into account their Aboriginal and archaeological heritage values. Aboriginal sites and their components form an integral part of the landscape. The spatial relationships between sites, as well as their geographic relationship to land, constitute significant information with potential to inform about past cultural practices. The maintenance of records about sites and their geographic location is essential for the conservation of this information. Areas that have potential to contain Aboriginal heritage sites, including areas in which archaeological survey has not yet been undertaken, are to be managed in a way that permits the identification, significance assessment and conservation, where appropriate, of the Aboriginal cultural heritage resource.

In addition to the general conservation policy, the Heritage Council has developed a series of *specific requirements* to provide direction for conservation of the heritage significance of Aboriginal heritage sites. The specific requirements have been prepared to implement conservation policies and objectives developed for the places. Any actions that affect the conservation of the heritage significance of the places constitute 'development' for the purposes of the Act and approval will be required prior to undertaking the action. To undertake development without approval may be an offence.

The specific requirements for conservation of Aboriginal heritage places are set out in Schedule 1. This is preceded by general information about the different types of Aboriginal heritage places that can occur and their conservation objectives.

Artefact Scatters

Artefact scatters constitute identifiably dense occurrences of stone artefacts and represent geographic foci of Aboriginal occupation related to a range of activities. Scatters may form as a result of single intensive occupation events or build up over hundreds or thousands of years due to repeated use or occupation of an area. The current appearance and structure of an artefact scatter site will depend upon the impact of events, termed *formation processes*, that have affected the artefacts during and after their deposition. Formation processes include both natural and cultural factors such as soil erosion and deposition, other natural disturbances, reuse of places by Aboriginal people and later European land-use practices. The heritage values of artefact scatters are based upon their Aboriginal and archaeological significance.

All artefact scatters are considered to be significant by the Aboriginal community. Aboriginal people generally express the desire for all such sites to be left *in situ* wherever feasible. Their significance to Aboriginal people is primarily based on their provision of evidence of the occupation of land by their ancestors. Artefact scatters thus comprise a demonstrable link to place for contemporary Aboriginal people.

The archaeological significance of artefact scatters stems both from their physical representation of past cultural practices and for their potential to yield information through research that will increase our understanding of the past. The potential research value accorded to sites depends in turn on a range of factors including the individual quality and quantity of artefactual content, the condition and integrity of the site structure, whether the artefacts occur *in situ* within cultural deposit, and whether original relationships between artefacts are likely to be discernible and meaningful.

The significance of artefact scatters may be thus ranked from low to high according to their value to Aboriginal people, their archaeological value and their condition and integrity. **Their significance to Aboriginal people may not necessarily, however, relate to or accord with archaeological significance assessments.** The criteria for ranking artefact scatters into either low, medium or high categories of significance and their associated conservation objectives are detailed as follows:

- **Artefact scatters of Low Conservation Value**

Artefact scatters identified as having low conservation value are those sites with very few artefacts, with artefacts of a common type, with no associated cultural deposit and/or sites that have already been highly disturbed and where there is negligible potential for them to provide further information. Such sites may either be conserved *in situ* or be the subject of a program of archaeological investigation and salvage as recommended by the Heritage Council, after consultation with the relevant Aboriginal organisations.

Generally, the conservation objective for this site type is to record and retain where feasible, otherwise salvage.

- **Artefact scatters of Medium Conservation Value**

Artefact scatters identified as having medium conservation value include sites with high artefact numbers and/or density and/or with identified or potential associated deposit. They are also sites of common type and character. Sites of medium conservation value may either be conserved *in situ* or be the subject of a program of archaeological investigation and salvage. The investigation and salvage may include collection of artefacts, subsurface testing, excavation or other investigative techniques as recommended by the Heritage Council, after consultation with the relevant Aboriginal organisations.

Generally, the conservation objective for this site type is to record and retain, where feasible, or salvage.

- **Artefact scatters of High Conservation Value**

Artefact scatters identified as having high conservation value include sites with high artefact numbers and/or density, with rare, or representative artefacts, and/or with identified or potential associated deposit. They may also be sites of good preservation and condition where the original site structure and contents have survived. Sites of high conservation value are to be conserved *in situ* in an appropriate setting, where feasible. However site investigations for the purposes of improving their conservation or research may be permitted, provided that the relevant Aboriginal organisations have been consulted about any proposed works and agree to their occurrence.

The identification of appropriate conservation actions may require preparation of a Conservation and Management Plan. Actions that propose impact upon their identified heritage values will be considered on a case by case basis by the Heritage Council in consultation with the relevant Aboriginal organisations, and with reference to the applicable Conservation and Management Plan or Research Plan, if prepared.

Generally, the conservation objective for this site type is to record, retain and actively conserve.

Schedule 1: Specific Requirements for the Conservation of Aboriginal Heritage Places

- 1 Information regarding the description and specific location of the place shall be held in a database of ACT Aboriginal heritage sites.
- 2 Actions that would affect the conservation of the heritage significance of the place require the agreement of the Heritage Council in consultation with the relevant Aboriginal organizations.
- 3 Works that improve or benefit the conservation of the heritage significance of the place are permitted. Proponents of such works shall advise the Heritage Council and consult with the relevant Aboriginal organisations about the proposal. The agreement of the Heritage Council must be obtained prior to works being undertaken.
- 4a The land manager shall be aware that the presence of an Aboriginal heritage site(s) within a development area may impose constraint upon the development. The nature of the constraint will vary according to the assessed significance of the site(s) and the potential heritage impact of the development. For *artefact scatters* assessed as being of *low conservation value* (LCV) the development constraint may range from nil constraint to a requirement to undertake further survey or investigation of a place, further recording of a place and/or collection of artefacts or other cultural materials.
- 4b The land manager shall be aware that the presence of an Aboriginal heritage site(s) within a development area may impose constraint upon the development. The nature of the constraint will vary according to the assessed significance of the site(s) and the potential heritage impact of the development. For *artefact scatters* assessed as being of *medium conservation value* (MCV) the development constraint may range from nil constraint to a requirement to undertake further survey or investigation of all or part of the place, further recording of a place and/or collection of artefacts or other cultural materials, subsurface testing, monitoring during development or salvage excavation, or a requirement to conserve a representative part of the site whilst carrying out further works on the remainder.
- 4c The land manager shall be aware that the presence of an Aboriginal heritage site(s) within a development area may impose constraint upon the development. The nature of the constraint will vary according to the assessed significance of the site(s) and the potential heritage impact of the development. For *artefact scatters, Aboriginal stone arrangements or rockshelters* assessed as being of *high conservation value* (HCV) the development constraint may range from nil constraint to a requirement to undertake investigation of a place, prepare and/or implement a Conservation and Management Plan for the place, to an inability to undertake part or all of the development within the affected area(s).
- 5 The ACT Heritage Council shall advise the proponent of the degree of constraint, based upon the nature of the development and its potential heritage impact and the significance assessment of the site(s) and consultation with the relevant Aboriginal organisations.
- 6 Artefacts (including scarred trees) and/or any other identified significant fabric or components of the site shall not be removed, damaged, altered or disturbed without the prior agreement of the Heritage Council, and consultation with the relevant Aboriginal organisations.
- 7 Any further investigation of sites and/or collection of artefacts and/or salvage of site fabric or other cultural materials agreed to by the Heritage Council shall be undertaken by a qualified archaeologist in consultation with the relevant Aboriginal organisations, in accordance with a proposed methodology provided to and endorsed by the Heritage Council.
- 8 Salvaged or collected materials shall be archived by the Heritage Unit, pending establishment of an appropriate storage facility.
- 9 If the Heritage Council advises collection or salvage then, following completion of salvage works as advised by the Heritage Council only Specific Requirement No. 1 shall apply to the identified place.
- 10 The place may not be promoted for public use, interpretation or visitation without approval from the Heritage Council in consultation with the relevant Aboriginal groups. Any proposed educational and presentational uses of the place shall be considered by the ACT Heritage Council and relevant Aboriginal organisations on the basis of whether sufficient information is provided about their impacts and potential impacts upon the place.

- 11 Any proposed research that may potentially impact upon the heritage significance of the place shall be conducted in accordance with a research proposal which provides for consultation with the relevant Aboriginal organisations and which is endorsed by the Heritage Council.

Schedule 2: List of Aboriginal heritage places

GENERAL SITE DESCRIPTION	LOCATION	SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS (refer to Schedule 1)
<p>Pierces Creek 1</p> <p>A scatter of at least 8 stone artefacts located on a saddle between two hills.</p> <p>Recorder – Flood 1980, Dal Santo & Kuzmanoski 2004</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>Murray's Corner 1</p> <p>A scatter of at least 4 stone artefacts located on a forestry road on a flat next to Paddy's River.</p> <p>Recorder – Dal Santo & Kuzmanoski 2004</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF1</p> <p>A scatter of at least 34 stone artefacts located on a track at the head of a dam.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF2</p> <p>A scatter of at least 2 stone artefacts located on a track crossing a knoll at the edge of a dam.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF3</p> <p>A scatter of at least 4 stone artefacts located on a track along a ridge above the Cotter River gorge.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF4</p> <p>A scatter of at least 5 stone artefacts located on a tack on a ridge above the Cotter River gorge.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF5</p> <p>A scatter of at least 2 stone artefacts located near the base of a spur above river flats.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF6</p> <p>A scatter of at least 34 stone artefacts located on a track intersection on a ridge above the Cotter River Gorge.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF7</p> <p>A scatter of at least 3 stone artefacts located on a track on the slope of a ridge above Cotter River gorge.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF8</p> <p>A scatter of at least 2 stone artefacts located on a track along a ridge above Cotter River gorge.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF9</p> <p>A scatter of at least 2 stone artefacts located on a small flat on the ridge above Cotter River gorge.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF10</p> <p>A scatter of at least 2 stone artefacts located on a track on a spur crest.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF11</p> <p>A scatter of at least 3 stone artefacts located on a track curving around a knoll.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF12</p> <p>A scatter of at least 2 stone artefacts located on a track on a hilltop.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF13</p> <p>A scatter of at least 2 stone artefacts located on the crest of a spur above a creek confluence.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF14</p> <p>A scatter of at least 13 stone artefacts located on a track descending a spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF15</p> <p>A scatter of at least 4 stone artefacts located on a track on a low flat-topped rise.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF16</p> <p>A scatter of at least 2 stone artefacts located on a track on a low flat-topped rise.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF17</p> <p>A scatter of at least 3 stone artefacts located on a track on a steep bank above a small creek.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF18</p> <p>A scatter of at least 7 stone artefacts located on a track down a bank to a track intersection.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF19</p> <p>A scatter of at least 4 stone artefacts located on a track across a spur top.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF20</p> <p>A scatter of at least 2 stone artefacts located on a track across a spur top.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF22</p> <p>A scatter of at least 7 stone artefacts located on a track on a broad ridge top.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF23</p> <p>A scatter of at least 5 stone artefacts located on a track on a broad ridge top.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF24</p> <p>A scatter of at least 4 stone artefacts located on a track on a ridge spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF25</p> <p>A scatter of at least 3 stone artefacts located on a track on a ridge spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 324 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF26</p> <p>A scatter of at least 5 stone artefacts located on a track on a ridge.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF27</p> <p>A scatter of at least 7 stone artefacts located on a track on a ridge.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF28</p> <p>A scatter of at least 2 stone artefacts located on a track on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF29</p> <p>A scatter of at least 10 stone artefacts located on a track at the upper end of a creek gully on a spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF30</p> <p>A scatter of at least 4 stone artefacts located on a track on the flat of a small spur/ridge.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF31</p> <p>A scatter of at least 5 stone artefacts located on a track on a creek margin.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF32</p> <p>A scatter of at least 3 stone artefacts located on a track on a ridge spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF33</p> <p>A scatter of at least 8 stone artefacts located on a track on a ridge spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF34</p> <p>A scatter of at least 8 stone artefacts located on a track on a ridge spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF35</p> <p>A scatter of at least 3 stone artefacts located on a track on a ridge spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF36</p> <p>A scatter of at least 2 stone artefacts located on a track on a ridge spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF37</p> <p>A scatter of at least 59 stone artefacts located on a track on a ridge spur and a creek side flat.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of MCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4b 5 6 7 8 9 10</p>
<p>PF38</p> <p>A scatter of at least 10 stone artefacts located on a track on a ridge spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF39</p> <p>A scatter of at least 2 stone artefacts located on a track intersection on a ridge spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF41</p> <p>A scatter of at least 20 stone artefacts located on a track on a ridge spur and flat.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF42</p> <p>A scatter of at least 2 stone artefacts located on a track on the flat of a ridge spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF43</p> <p>A scatter of at least 5 stone artefacts located on a track on a ridge spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF44</p> <p>A scatter of at least 13 stone artefacts located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF45</p> <p>A scatter of at least 4 stone artefacts located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF46</p> <p>A scatter of at least 3 stone artefacts located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF47</p> <p>A scatter of at least 7 stone artefacts located on a track and side-track leading to a gate.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF48</p> <p>A scatter of at least 8 stone artefacts located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF49</p> <p>A scatter of at least 4 stone artefacts located on a track and siding on a ridge spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF50</p> <p>A scatter of at least 32 stone artefacts located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 219 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF51</p> <p>A scatter of at least 17 stone artefacts located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF52</p> <p>An artefact scatter located on a track. No other details on recording form.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF53</p> <p>An artefact scatter located on a track. No other details on recording form.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF54</p> <p>An artefact scatter located on a track. No other details on recording form.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF55</p> <p>An artefact scatter located on a track. No other details on recording form.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF56</p> <p>A scatter of at least 4 stone artefacts located on a track on an east-facing slope.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF57</p> <p>A scatter of at least 2 stone artefacts located on a track on a west-facing slope.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF58</p> <p>A scatter of at least 15 stone artefacts located on a track near a break of slope.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF60</p> <p>A scatter of at least 2 stone artefacts located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF61</p> <p>A scatter of at least 5 stone artefacts located on a track on a rocky knoll.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF62</p> <p>A scatter of at least 2 stone artefacts located in an overhang among granite tors overlooking Oakey creek.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 219 District of Paddys river</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF63</p> <p>A scatter of at least 5 stone artefacts located on a track descending a spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF64</p> <p>A scatter of at least 10 stone artefacts located on a track on a ridge spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF65</p> <p>An artefact scatter located on a track. No other details on recording form.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF66</p> <p>An artefact scatter located on a track. No other details on recording form.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF67</p> <p>A scatter of at least 15 stone artefacts located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF68</p> <p>An artefact scatter located on a track. No other details on recording form.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF69</p> <p>An artefact scatter located on a track. No other details on recording form.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF70</p> <p>An artefact scatter located on a track. No other details on recording form.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF71</p> <p>A scatter of at least 12 stone artefacts located on a low rise above a drainage line.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF72</p> <p>A scatter of at least 6 stone artefacts located on a track across a spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF73</p> <p>A scatter of at least 2 stone artefacts located on a track across a spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF74</p> <p>A scatter of at least 6 stone artefacts located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF75</p> <p>A scatter of at least 3 stone artefacts located on a track on a spur between two drainage lines.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF76</p> <p>A scatter of at least 3 stone artefacts located on a spur between two drainage lines.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF77</p> <p>A scatter of at least 9 stone artefacts located on a track intersection.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF78</p> <p>An artefact scatter located on a track. No other details on recording form.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF79</p> <p>A scatter of at least 13 stone artefacts located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF80</p> <p>A scatter of at least 12 stone artefacts located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF81</p> <p>A scatter of at least 22 stone artefacts located on a track on the crest of a watershed east of Pierces Creek.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF82</p> <p>A scatter of at least 2 stone artefacts located on a track on a spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF83</p> <p>A scatter of at least 2 stone artefacts located on a terrace above Pierce’s Creek.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF84</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track on a spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF85</p> <p>A scatter of at least 4 stone artefacts located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF86</p> <p>A scatter of at least 6 stone artefacts located on a track crossing a spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF87</p> <p>A scatter of at least 2 stone artefacts located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF88</p> <p>A scatter of at least 8 stone artefacts located on a track at the base of a spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF89</p> <p>A scatter of at least 2 stone artefacts located on a track near a drainage line.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF90</p> <p>A scatter of at least 3 stone artefacts located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF91</p> <p>A scatter of at least 2 stone artefacts located on a track near the spine of a spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF92</p> <p>A scatter of at least 3 stone artefacts located on a track on the spine of a spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF93</p> <p>A scatter of at least 4 stone artefacts located on a track on the spine of a spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF94</p> <p>A scatter of at least 3 stone artefacts located on a track on the peak of a spur overlooking Murrays corner.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF95</p> <p>A scatter of at least 6 stone artefacts located on a track descending sharply to Paddys River gorge.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF96</p> <p>A scatter of at least 5 stone artefacts located on a track midway between intersections.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF97</p> <p>A scatter of at least 6 stone artefacts located on a track intersection on a small flat.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF99</p> <p>A scatter of at least 3 stone artefacts located on a track descending a spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF100</p> <p>A scatter of at least 15 stone artefacts located on a track on a ridge.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF101</p> <p>A scatter of at least 12 stone artefacts located on a track across a flat-topped ridge.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF102</p> <p>A scatter of at least 9 stone artefacts located on a track following a ridge.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF103</p> <p>A scatter of at least 2 stone artefacts located on a track at the base of a steep slope.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF104</p> <p>A scatter of at least 4 stone artefacts located on a track descending a ridge.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF105</p> <p>A scatter of at least 5 stone artefacts located on a track descending a ridge.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF106</p> <p>A scatter of at least 4 stone artefacts located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF107</p> <p>A scatter of at least 15 stone artefacts located on a track on the flat top of a spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF108</p> <p>A scatter of at least 30 stone artefacts located on a track and picnic area on a spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF109</p> <p>A scatter of at least 20 stone artefacts located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 323 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF110</p> <p>A scatter of at least 2 stone artefacts located on a track on a rise above a drainage line.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 323 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF111</p> <p>A scatter of at least 10 stone artefacts located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF112</p> <p>A scatter of at least 12 stone artefacts located on a track intersection.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF113</p> <p>A scatter of at least 9 stone artefacts located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF114</p> <p>A scatter of at least 27 stone artefacts located on a track intersection on the spine of a ridge.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF115</p> <p>A scatter of at least 10 stone artefacts located on a track intersection on the spine of a ridge.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF116</p> <p>A scatter of at least 5 stone artefacts located on a track intersection.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 491 District of Stromlo</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF117</p> <p>A scatter of at least 3 stone artefacts located on a track on a flat section of a spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF118</p> <p>A scatter of at least 22 stone artefacts located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF119</p> <p>A scatter of at least 37 stone artefacts located on a turning circle on a rocky knoll.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF120</p> <p>A scatter of at least 15 stone artefacts located on a track on a spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF121</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track on a peak.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF122</p> <p>A scatter of at least 3 stone artefacts located on a track along a terrace.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF123</p> <p>A scatter of at least 3 stone artefacts located on a track along a terrace.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 47 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF125</p> <p>A scatter of at least 11 stone artefacts located in the middle of forest tracks.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF126</p> <p>A scatter of at least 13 stone artefacts located on a track and siding on the flat of a spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF127</p> <p>A scatter of at least 5 stone artefacts located on a track on a spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF128</p> <p>A scatter of at least 2 stone artefacts located on a track between the flat of a knoll top and a saddle.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF129</p> <p>A scatter of at least 9 stone artefacts located on a track along a spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF130</p> <p>A scatter of at least 8 stone artefacts located on a track on a spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF131</p> <p>A scatter of at least 3 stone artefacts located on a track intersection between two spurs.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF132</p> <p>A scatter of at least 5 stone artefacts located on a track intersection descending a spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF133</p> <p>A scatter of at least 2 stone artefacts located on a track and car park.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF134</p> <p>An artefact scatter located on a track. No other details on recording form.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF136</p> <p>A scatter of at least 2 stone artefacts located on a terrace adjacent to pipeline road.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF137</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track on the spine of a spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF138</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track on a ridge.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF139</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track on a ridge.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF140</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track across a ridge.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF141</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track on a spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF142</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track on a spur above Paddy's River gorge.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF143</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track on a spur above the affluent of Paddy's River gorge.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF144</p> <p>A scatter of at least 2 stone artefacts located on a track along a ridge above Cotter River gorge.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF145</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track along a ridge above Cotter River gorge.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF146</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located in grass 2m west of a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF147</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located next to a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 323 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF148</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located in grader windrow on the verge of a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 323 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF149</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF150</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track adjacent to rock outcrops and overhangs.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF151</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track descending a spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF152</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track descending a spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF153</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF154</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF155</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track crossing a spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF156</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track on a steep slope.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF157</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track on a spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF158</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track near an intersection.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF159</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track following a ridge.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF160</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track descending a ridge.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF161</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located in a clearing on a knoll between two drainage lines.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF162</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track on a spur above Pierce’s Creek.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF163</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located at the intersection of five tracks.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 323 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF164</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located at the intersection of three tracks.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 323 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF165</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on Pierce’s Creek flats.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF166</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located at the base of a spur in a bend in Paddy’s River.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF167</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located at the base of a spur in a bend of Paddy’s River.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF168</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located in a track on the upper slopes of Bullen Range.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF169</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track descending a spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF170</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a gravel track near a car park.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF171</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF172</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track along the top of a watershed.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF173</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF174</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF175</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF176</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF177</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF178</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track on a spur top.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF179</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 324 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF180</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF181</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF182</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF183</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF184</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF185</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF186</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF187</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on the margin of Oakey Creek Road.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF188</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track on a spur.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF189</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF190</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track beside a creek.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 143 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF191</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on Oakey Creek Road at an intersection with a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF192</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF193</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF194</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF195</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 320 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF196</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF197</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 12 District of Cotter River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
<p>PF198</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>

<p>PF199</p> <p>An isolated stone artefact located on a track.</p> <p>Recorder – Access Archaeology 1992</p>	<p>Block 322 District of Paddys River</p>	<p>Artefact scatter of LCV:</p> <p>1 2 3 4a 5 6 7 8 9</p>
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BACKGROUND INFORMATION

1. DESCRIPTION OF PLACES

The places comprise 195 Aboriginal sites located in Pierces Creek Forest, ACT. The sites are scatters of stone artefacts (n=131) and isolated stone artefacts (n=64).

2. STATUS OF PLACES AT NOMINATION DATE:

The places are not previously recorded or entered into any ACT or Commonwealth Register.

3. BACKGROUND

A regional understanding of the variability, condition and conservation status of Aboriginal sites throughout the Territory is essential for the sound assessment of site significance and development of appropriate conservation strategies for Aboriginal heritage places and cultural landscapes. 'Site' is the common term for the locations where material remains relating to past Aboriginal occupation are in evidence, whereas the legislation refers to 'places'. These two terms are used interchangeably in this document.

The places were recorded in a 1992 cultural heritage survey of the Pierces Creek Forest for ACT Forests and two sites were reinvestigated by N. Dal Santo and N. Kuzmanoski in 2004.

Unregistered Aboriginal sites are legally protected from disturbance, however the poor state of knowledge regarding their nature and location, and difficulties with their recognition and detection has undoubtedly already resulted in inadvertent disturbance to and destruction of a proportion of the record. The remaining sites, for the most part, are considered to be under potential threat due to future development pressure, with the exception of registered places and sites located in the small proportion of land in the District of that is unsuitable for development.

The recommendations made in this register entry, regarding conservation and management of the reported sites are based upon professional recommendations, as contained in the cultural resource survey reports and the consideration and comparison of the reported sites with others recorded within the District of and to some extent within the wider Canberra region. Assessment of significance at a regional level is, as noted above, preliminary, since a regional overview of Aboriginal sites in the ACT is still in preparation.

4. CONSULTATION WITH STAKEHOLDERS

Aboriginal groups in the ACT are strongly supportive of actions that increase awareness and protection of Aboriginal cultural heritage places. The three Aboriginal organisations defined as relevant regarding consultation on heritage matters according to the *Land (Planning and Environment) Act, 1991*, have been consulted regarding the significance and management of these sites. The Interim Namadgi Advisory Board has also been consulted about the proposal in accordance with the Namadgi National Park Management Agreement.

During the registration process the Aboriginal organisations have the opportunity to provide additional comments on the Aboriginal significance of these places and their management.

Copies of the draft register entry have also been circulated to other stakeholders, including the land managers of the affected areas and parties that originally reported the sites.

5. ANALYSIS AGAINST THE CRITERIA SPECIFIED IN SCHEDULE 2 OF THE LAND (PLANNING AND ENVIRONMENT) ACT 1991:

Criterion (i): A place which demonstrates a high degree of technical and/or creative achievement, by showing qualities of innovation or departure or representing a new achievement of its time.

Not applicable

Criterion (ii): A place which exhibits outstanding design or aesthetic qualities valued by the community or a cultural group.

Not applicable

Criterion (iii): A place which demonstrates a distinctive way of life, taste, tradition, religion, land use, custom, process, design or function which is no longer practised, is in danger of being lost, or is of exceptional interest.

The sites are all the product of past Aboriginal land-use and demonstrate varied aspects of a traditional way of life no longer practised in the ACT. The artefact scatters present in these localities demonstrate occupation and use of land by Aboriginal people, in the past.

Criterion (iv): A place which is highly valued by the community or a cultural group for reasons of strong or special religious, spiritual cultural, educational or social associations.

The places are all of significance to the Aboriginal community due to their association with traditional Aboriginal culture and their ability to demonstrate the comprehensive occupation of the ACT by their ancestors.

Criterion (v): A place which is the only known or only comparatively intact example of its type.

Not applicable

Criterion (vi): A place which is a notable example of a class of natural or cultural places or landscapes and which demonstrates the principal characteristics of that class.

Not applicable

Criterion (vii): A place which has strong or special associations with a person, group, event, development or cultural phase which played a significant part in local or national history.

These places have been identified as significant by the ACT Aboriginal community. They provide physical evidence of the past occupation and use of the area that is now Pierces Creek Forest by Aboriginal people.

Criterion (viii): A place which represents the evolution of a natural landscape, including significant geological features, landforms, biota or natural processes.

Not applicable

Criterion (ix): A place which is a significant habitat or locality for the life cycle of native species; for rare, endangered or uncommon species; for species at the limits of their natural range; or for distinct occurrences of species.

Not applicable

Criterion (x): A place which exhibits unusual richness, diversity or significant transitions of flora, fauna or natural landscapes and their elements.

Not applicable

Criterion (xi): A place which demonstrates a likelihood of providing information which will contribute significantly to a wider understanding of natural or cultural history, by virtue of its use as a research site, teaching site, type locality or benchmark

These sites comprise part of a related body of evidence with potential to provide information about local and regional patterns of past Aboriginal land-use practices and settlement patterns. Some of the sites have potential for research to provide information about past Aboriginal occupation of the locality and region.

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