



**The Hon. James Griffin MP**  
Minister for Environment and Heritage

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Dear Ms Cockburn *Laura,*

Thank you for your letter on behalf of the Australian Institute of Architects regarding the State Heritage Register listing of the MLC Building, North Sydney. I appreciate you bringing your concerns to my attention.

In accordance with the Land and Environment Court order, I directed the removal of the MLC Building, North Sydney (former), from the State Heritage Register. The removal notice was published in the NSW Government Gazette on 21 October 2022.

It now falls to me to reconsider whether or not to list the item on the State Heritage Register. In making my decision I will reflect on all the statutory considerations under the *Heritage Act 1977*. I will provide public notification of my decision.

If you have any further questions about this matter, you can contact Ms Anna London, A/Director Heritage Programs at Heritage NSW, at [Anna.London@environment.nsw.gov.au](mailto:Anna.London@environment.nsw.gov.au) or on 0458 658 037.

Yours sincerely

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