

South Australian Heritage Council

Submission on whether the entry of **Australian Education Union Building (Raggatt House; SAIT Building)** should be confirmed in the South Australian Heritage Register

A place is eligible for entry in the Heritage Register if it meets one or more of the criteria in Section 16(1) of the *Heritage Places Act 1993* (Act). Using the table below, please provide your evidence or further information to explain why you believe the place does or does not meet said criteria. For help in making a submission, please refer to the Guidelines for Interpreting State Heritage Criteria (**Attachment E**) and also available online: [Guidelines-for-Interpreting-State-Heritage-Criteria-Final-2024.pdf](#)

Criteria

| Criteria under the <i>Heritage Places Act 1993</i> , section 16(1) | Provide evidence or other information why you believe criteria applies or does not apply to this place |
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| (a) it demonstrates important aspects of the evolution or pattern of the State's history | Of course it does as the Education union building and it's history with teachers in the state it demonstrates a strong connection with all the people of South Australia |
| (b) it has rare, uncommon or endangered qualities that are of cultural significance | There are not many buildings of brutalism that are well regarded, and as celebrated as this |

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| <p>(c) it may yield information that will contribute to an understanding of the State's history, including its natural history</p> | <p>Unknown</p> |
| <p>(d) it is an outstanding representative of a particular class of places of cultural significance</p> | <p>It is highly regarded as an architectural marvel and building complex by people who appreciate brutalist architecture</p> |
| <p>(e) it demonstrates a high degree of creative, aesthetic or technical accomplishment or is an outstanding representative of particular construction techniques or design characteristics</p> | <p>The concrete and texture is of a high degree of creative technical and aesthetic value, and there is an astounding technology used for the time</p> |
| <p>(f) it has strong cultural or spiritual associations for the community or a group within it</p> | <p>Unknown</p> |

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| (g) it has a special association with the life or work of a person or organisation or an event of historical importance | The work of Keith Neighbor is very celebrated in architecture circles |
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Declaration

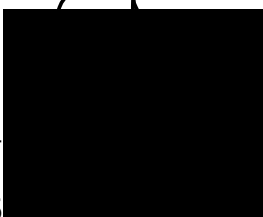
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We, 

wish to make a written representation regarding the provisional entry of **Australian Education Union Building (Raggatt House; SAIT Building)**. The information I have provided is correct to my knowledge.

- ☒ I **support** the confirmation of this provisional entry.
☐ I **do not support** the confirmation of this provisional entry.

I **do not** wish to appear personally before the Council to make oral representations.

Signature:  _____

Date: 04.06.25

Please attach any relevant documents and be aware that a heritage officer may contact you to discuss your submission.

Please provide your contact details here:

Phone:

Email:

Address:

This form must be received by 5pm on **4 June 2025**.

Please return completed submission form to the
Board and Policy Officer, South Australian Heritage Council
Via email: **DEWHeritage@sa.gov.au**
Or via post: **GPO Box 1047, Adelaide SA 5001**