

**For discussion
on 21 December 2010**

**BOARD PAPER
AAB/57/2009-10**

**MEMORANDUM FOR MEMBERS OF THE
ANTIQUITIES ADVISORY BOARD**

**ASSESSMENT OF 1,444 HISTORIC BUILDINGS
FINALISATION OF THE GRADINGS
OF PROPOSED GRADED BUILDINGS**

PURPOSE

This paper invites Members to consider endorsing the gradings of the historic buildings as detailed in paragraph 4 below.

BACKGROUND

2. At the 150th Meeting held on 10 November 2010, Members continued to discuss the remaining 7 items in Annex A, all 26 items in Annexes B and C to the Board Paper AAB/53/2009-10. Up to present, Members have endorsed the gradings of 802 historic buildings of the 1,444 including -

- (a) 138 Grade 1 buildings;
- (b) 271 Grade 2 buildings; and
- (c) 393 Grade 3 buildings

The Antiquities Advisory Board (AAB) has also confirmed that 279 buildings should be given a nil grade.

3. In addition, the AAB further discussed 5 new items in Annex D to the Board Paper AAB/53/2009-10 and endorsed that 4 historic buildings of the 5 new items should be accorded with gradings listed below –

- (a) 1 Grade 2 building; and
- (b) 3 Grade 3 buildings

There is 1 new item confirmed with a nil grade.

MORE ITEMS OF 1,444 FOR CONSIDERATION

4. Members are invited to consider the proposed gradings of 2 historic buildings for which notification letters have successfully reached the owners and no adverse comment has been received by the Antiquities and Monuments Office (at **Annex A**) and the proposed gradings of 25 buildings (at **Annex B**) with views from the owners reviewed by the Expert Panel or with queries from the owners addressed by AMO.

ADVICE SOUGHT

5. Members are invited to consider endorsing the proposed gradings of those items mentioned in paragraph 4 above.

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