

## **SYDNEY HARBOUR IS A NATIONAL TREASURE**

“One of the finest harbours in the world, in which a thousand sail on the line might ride in the most perfect security.” CAPTAIN ARTHUR PHILLIP, 1788

## **SUPPORT THE FIGHT AGAINST THE DESECRATION OF BARANGAROO**

**WHY HAS THE STATE GOVERNMENT USED A SECRETIVE PROCESS TO DELIVER A VAST, PUBLICLY OWNED HARBOUR SITE TO A RAPACIOUS DEVELOPER TO BUILD WHATEVER IT LIKES?**



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**TAKE THE TIME TO EMAIL the Premier at [premier@nsw.gov.au](mailto:premier@nsw.gov.au), the BDA Chairman, Michael Collins at [info@barangaroo.com.au](mailto:info@barangaroo.com.au) to let them know of your concerns, and the Leader of the Opposition at [LOP@parliament.nsw.gov.au](mailto:LOP@parliament.nsw.gov.au) to ask him to take a stand on Barangaroo. KEY ISSUES you may wish to include are listed overleaf, or draft e-mails are available at [www.barangarooaction.com.au](http://www.barangarooaction.com.au)**

# **UNRESOLVED ISSUES AT BARANGAROO**

**1) WHY HAS THE AWARD WINING HILL-THALIS BERKEMEIER DESIGN BEEN REPLACED BY A LEND LEASE OVERDEVELOPMENT THAT BEARS NO RESEMBLANCE TO THE WINNING DESIGN, WITH**

- A 40 STOREY HOTEL & APPARTMENT BLOCK IN THE HARBOUR ITSELF**
- CRUISE SHIP TERMINAL MOVED TO WHITE BAY**
- BUILDINGS INCREASED FROM 34 STOREYS TO 60**
- TOTAL BUILDING AREA INCREASED TO 550,000 SQ METRES FROM 300,000**
- SYDNEYS'S BIGGEST, TALLEST AND CLOSEST BUILDINGS AT THE WATER'S EDGE**
- USABLE, OPEN PUBLIC SPACE REDUCED BY MORE THAN 50% BY THE RECONSTRUCTED HEADLAND, SEA COVES AND SHOPPING MALLS**

**2) SERIOUS POLLUTION ISSUES IGNORED BY THE GOVERNMENT**

**3) BELOW GROUND WORK TO START BEFORE POLLUTION IS RESOLVED AND PLANS FOR ABOVE GROUND BUILDINGS ARE APPROVED**

**4) THE MINISTER OF PLANNING BEING THE CONSENT AUTHORITY IN PLACE OF THE MORE INDEPENDENT CENTRAL CITY PLANNING AUTHORITY**

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