



PRIME MINISTER

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GAMMON RANGES NATIONAL PARK, SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Joint Statement by Prime Minister and
Acting Premier of South Australia

The Australian and South Australian National Parks and Wildlife Services are to co-operate in the development of a training programme to involve local aboriginal people in the management of Gammon Ranges National Park in South Australia.

The Adnjamathana people have close traditional associations with the Gammon Ranges and it is important that they should have a close involvement in the management of the National Park.

The Commonwealth Government is particularly pleased that the Australian National Park and Wildlife Service, which has special experience in aboriginal Ranger training, should be able to assist the South Australian Government in a new and important initiative involving aboriginal people in the protection of their natural and cultural heritage.

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