



# PRIME MINISTER

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## HIGH COURT BUILDING

Statement by the Prime Minister, the Rt Hon. William McMahon  
C.H., M.P.

The Government has decided on the siting of the High Court building in Canberra.

The Prime Minister said today that it had been decided that the High Court building would stand within an area lying to the north of the Administration Building, in the Parliamentary Triangle.

The Government had also approved the holding of an architectural competition to establish the design of the building.

No approval had been given for construction to proceed, pending the establishment of a firm design and cost estimate for the Court building, Mr. McMahon said.

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