



EMBARGO: SUNDAY  
6.00 P.M.

## PRIME MINISTER

PRESS STATEMENT NO.289

21 July 1974

### VISIT BY THE PRINCE CHARLES

The Prime Minister today referred to his announcement last May that The Prince Charles would be making a visit to Australia in October to inaugurate the Anglo-Australian Telescope Board's telescope at Siding Spring in New South Wales and carry out other engagements.

Mr. Whitlam went on to say that advice has now been received from London that His Royal Highness has agreed to visit the A.C.T. and Eastern States in accordance with the following itinerary:

Saturday 12 October to Tuesday 15 October	Canberra
Tuesday 15 October to Saturday 19 October	New South Wales
Saturday 19 October to Wednesday 23 October	Queensland
Wednesday 23 October to Saturday 26 October	Tasmania
Saturday 26 October to Wednesday 30 October	Victoria

Consultations will now take place to prepare a program of engagements for the visit. These details will be publicly announced when approved.

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### ADDITION TO ITINERARY

ARRANGEMENTS HAVE BEEN MADE FOR THE INAUGURATION CEREMONY  
AT SIDING SPRING TO TAKE PLACE ON WEDNESDAY 16 OCTOBER.