

## PRIME MINISTER

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## M.I.T.E.R.S. GRANT

Cabramatta will benefit from a \$41,000 grant for new traffic signals and modifications to channelisation at the intersection of the Hume Highway and Cabramatta Road East.

The Prime Minister and Member for Werriwa, Mr Gough Whitlam, announced that the funds would be made available through the Minor Traffic Engineering and Road Safety Improvements category of the Roads Grants Act. He said that it was known that correction of known hazardous locations was an effective and low-cost method of improving road safety, and the Cabramatta grant was part of the Australian Government's comprehensive policy for the improvement of all aspects of the road transport system, especially in relation to road safety.

Mr Whitlam said that the Cabramatta grant was part of the \$2,600,000 being made available to New South Wales under MITERS during the current financial year. The State will receive a total of \$8,080,000 for such works over the period 1974/75 to 1976/77.

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