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PRIME MINISTER

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Ladies and gentlemen.

I think you will know that I am keen to see that the story of World War II, and in particular the Pacific War, is told to Australians with the same intensity and understanding that characterised our telling of the legends of Gallipoli, France and Palestine.

For this reason I hope that we will be able to find the means of helping the Memorial develop its Pacific War Gallery.

And as Dame Beryl said, they are now allocating \$150,000 a year to the collection. And I don't think it would unravel the Budget numbers if I were to say to you we'll double that.