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Inquiry into ACT's heritage arrangements

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Dear Committee

My comment on the heritage arrangements is that heritage listing should be reserved for old buildings that are either beautiful, usual or both. Some people seem to think that an item such as an electrical shed should be listed just because it is a few decades old, despite being ugly and having no remaining usefulness. Such listings just crowd out the possibility of new buildings than might be both attractive and useful.

Regards

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